

WESTERN AUSTRALIA  
**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**  
**No. 3**  
**WEDNESDAY, 17 MAY 2017**

**1. Meeting of Council**

The Council assembled at 3.00pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Barry House, took the Chair and read prayers.

**2. Statement by President — Information and Services for Members**

The President made the following Statement —

Members may have noticed yesterday and today a Parliamentary Services Department information booth in the courtyard. I advise that next week, on Tuesday and Wednesday between 11.00am and 2.00pm, the information booth will again be attended by Parliamentary Services Department staff. This booth will deliver a range of information and answer your questions about PSD services such as Hansard, Library, Education, Reception Services and Catering. Through this booth, you will be able to pick up an education pack for your office and book a library training session on POWAnet.

**3. Petition**

Hon Dr Bill Leadbetter presented a petition from 185 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to conduct an inquiry into the sale and development of Midland Recreation Ground Reserve (Midland Oval). (Tabled Paper 180).

**4. Ministerial Statement — Corrected Answer**

The Leader of the House representing the Premier made a Ministerial Statement with respect to a corrected answer to a question without notice asked by Hon Liz Behjat.

**5. Papers**

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## **6. Education Central**

Hon Donna Faragher: To move on the next day of sitting —

That this House notes both the significant concerns being raised across the community and the lack of consultation undertaken by the McGowan Government on its *Education Central* policy, particularly the proposed re-location of the State's only fully academically selective senior high school currently at Perth Modern School to a high-rise inner city school within Perth City Link and calls on the Government to:

- (1) reverse its *Education Central* policy and maintain Perth Modern School as a fully academically selective school; and
- (2) revert to the comprehensive *Western Suburbs Secondary Schooling Strategy* announced in September 2016.

## **7. Climate Change and Measures for Amelioration**

Hon Robin Chapple: To move on the next day of sitting —

That the House note the impact of climate change and give consideration to measures that may be introduced to ameliorate its damaging and long term effects on Western Australia's social, economic and environmental prosperity.

## **8. Western Australia's Finances**

Hon Sally Talbot: To move on the next day of sitting —

That this House condemns the former Liberal-National Government for its reckless mismanagement of the State's finances.

## **9. Sale of the Western Australia Totalisator Agency Board**

Hon Colin Holt: To move on the next day of sitting —

That this House calls on the McGowan Government to immediately "test the market" for the sale of the Western Australia Totalisator Agency Board, and if favourable to the industry proceed with the sale and ensure all proceeds of the sale are returned to the racing industry.

## **10. Address-In-Reply**

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the Address-in-Reply.  
Debate resumed.

## **11. Questions Without Notice**

Questions without notice were taken.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier tabled a letter from the Premier to the Salaries and Allowances Tribunal regarding motor vehicle allowances for Members of Parliament, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Peter Collier. (Tabled Paper 181).

**12. Address-In-Reply**

Debate resumed on the Address-in-Reply (*see item 10 above*).

On the motion of Hon Alyssa Hayden the debate was adjourned to the next sitting.

**13. Order of Business**

Ordered — That *Bills for Introduction* be taken forthwith. (Leader of the House).

**14. Constitution Amendment (Demise of the Crown) Bill 2017**

The Leader of the House representing the Attorney General, pursuant to notice, moved —

That a Bill for “An Act to amend the *Constitution Act 1889*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Leader of the House representing the Attorney General moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Leader of the House representing the Attorney General tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 182).

Debate stands adjourned.

**15. Order of Business**

Ordered — That Members’ Statements be taken forthwith. (Leader of the House).

**16. Adjournment**

There being no Members' Statements the Council adjourned at 6.10pm until Thursday, 18 May 2017 at 11.00am.

**Members present during the day’s proceedings**

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Martin Aldridge and Hon Nigel Hallett.

**NIGEL PRATT**  
Clerk of the Legislative Council

**HON BARRY HOUSE**  
President of the Legislative Council