

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20 2001

4.00pm

Prayers

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Petitions

(Hon Giz Watson x 2)

Papers For Tabling

(President)

Notices of Motions for Disallowance

Notices of Motions to Introduce Bills

Notices of Motions

Questions without Notice (5.00pm)

Motions without Notice

Motions

3. Impact of Greenhouse Gas Emissions (*Notice given May 1 2001*)

Resumption of debate (Thursday, June 14 2001, Hon Peter Foss) on amendment of Hon Christine Sharp to insert after the word "impacts" the following -

"and calls on the Government to formulate and begin implementation of a State Greenhouse Strategy within six months from the date on which this motion is passed."

to the motion of Hon Jim Scott as follows -

That the House notes the implications of the rapid rise of Greenhouse gas emissions on the West Australian ecosystems, human population and economy and supports any measures intended to reduce these emissions and their impacts.

Orders of the Day

1. Address-in-Reply

Resumption of debate (Tuesday, June 19 2001, Hon Bruce Donaldson) on motion of Hon Ken Travers

9. Corporations (Commonwealth Powers) Bill 2001 [LC 10-1] Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading adjourned Hon Bruce Donaldson (Tuesday, May 29 2001). *see Legislation Committee First Report*

10. Corporations (Ancillary Provisions) Bill 2001 [LC 15-1] Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading adjourned Hon Bruce Donaldson (Tuesday, May 29 2001). *see Legislation Committee First Report*

11. Corporations (Administrative Actions) Bill 2001 [LC 16-1] Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading adjourned Hon Bruce Donaldson (Tuesday, May 29 2001). *see Legislation Committee First Report*

12. Corporations (Consequential Amendments) Bill 2001 [LC 19-1] Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading adjourned Hon Bruce Donaldson (Tuesday, May 29 2001). *see Legislation Committee First Report*

***17. New SO 313 - Appointment of Estimates Committee (Notice given May 29 2001)**

Further consideration in committee (continuation of remarks Hon George Cash Tuesday June 19) on the motion moved by the Leader of the House as follows - *cf SNP 901*

(1) The following standing order is inserted –

313. Consideration of Annual Estimates

- 1 A committee of the whole (the “Estimates Committee”) is appointed to consider the Annual Estimates of Expenditure and related documents (the “Budget Papers”) which, on being tabled, stand referred to the Estimates Committee accordingly.
- 2 The Chairman of Committees, acting with the advice of the committee established under SO 125A, is to determine –
 - (a) the Votes in the Budget Papers to be considered and the order in which they will be considered;
 - (b) for each Vote, the day and time for its consideration;
 - (c) the final date for lodging questions on notice (if any) relating to each Vote; and
 - (d) cause a copy of that determination to be given to each member, each minister, and the chief executive officers of the departments or other State instrumentalities whose operations are wholly or partly funded from the Votes determined under paragraph (a).
- 3 Any variation or cancellation of a determination is to be made, if practicable, in accordance with the requirements of subclause 2.
- 4 The Chairman of Committees is the Chairman of the Estimates Committee and has those powers necessary or incidental to the

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maintenance of the orderly conduct of its proceedings.

- 5 When considering a Vote –
 - (a) there is no question to be resolved;
 - (b) members may ask oral questions of the appropriate minister in the Council and, with the minister's consent but subject nonetheless to SO 331, of any person appearing with that minister.
 - 6 The Estimates Committee is not to require the attendance of a person by name or office unless the person is authorized or required by law to perform a function with a public purpose and there is no capacity for a minister –
 - (a) to give directions as to the manner or occasion when the function is to be performed, or
 - (b) to alter or nullify an effect resulting from a performance of the function.
 - 7 Not later than 1 sitting day after the day on which the question for the second reading of a bill appropriating the Consolidated Fund for the ordinary annual services of the Government is first put, the Estimates Committee may report on any matter arising from its consideration of the Budget Papers.
 - 8 Standing order 234 does not apply to a bill that appropriates the Consolidated Fund in accordance with the Budget Papers if, when it is read a second time, no notice has been given of a motion for a purpose permitted under section 46 of the *Constitution Acts Amendment Act 1899*, and in such a case the question for the third reading is to be put immediately.
 - 9 The House stands adjourned over each day that is subject to a determination under subclause 2(b).
 - 10 Despite subclause 9, if satisfied by the Leader of the House that a matter requires the immediate attention of the House, the President may recall the House to sit on such a day at a specified time, and any proceedings of the Estimates Committee on that day are suspended for the duration of the sitting.
 - 11 The business to be transacted on a day provided for in subclause 10 is that determined by the Leader of the House and need not be confined to consideration of the matter for which the House is recalled.
- (2) Standing order 49(c) is repealed.

* For amendments see Supplementary Notice Paper #

For full text see Supplementary Notice Paper for other business before the House.

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