

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 192

THURSDAY, 23 JUNE 2016

1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 10.00am pursuant to order.

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

2. Ministerial Statement — Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Initiatives in Western Australian Public Schools

The Minister for Education made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the implementation of science, technology, engineering and mathematics initiatives in Western Australian public schools.

3. Ministerial Statement — Appointments — Chief Commissioner of the Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission, Magistrates Court of Western Australia, Children's Court of Western Australia and Solicitor-General of Western Australia

The Attorney General made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the appointment of Pamela Scott to the position of Chief Commissioner of the Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission, Sandra De Maio to the position of Magistrate of the Magistrates Court of Western Australia, Anne Longden to the position of Magistrate of the Children's Court of Western Australia and Peter Quinlan SC to the position of Solicitor-General of Western Australia.

4. Paper

The following Paper was laid on the Table by —

President

Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People —

Everybody's Business — An examination into how the Commissioner for Children and Young People can enhance WA's response to child abuse (Report No. 7)

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5. Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation — Report No. 84 — Access to Australian Standards Adopted in Delegated Legislation

Hon Mark Lewis presented Report No. 84 of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation, *Access to Australian Standards Adopted in Delegated Legislation*. (Tabled Paper 4236).

6. Royal Perth Hospital Protection Bill 2013

Non-Government Business No. 1 having been called, Hon Sue Ellery moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

Hon Sue Ellery tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 4237).

Debate stands adjourned.

7. Royal Perth Hospital

Non-Government Business No. 2 having been called, Hon Ken Travers moved, without notice —

That this House condemns the Liberal-National Government for its failure to honour its 2008 election promise to transform Royal Perth Hospital into a 400 bed trauma facility with a new emergency department and a new west wing.

Debate ensued.

Motion lapsed.

8. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, *Albany Cemetery Board By-laws Amendment 2015 — Disallowance*, and 2, *Shire of Kellerberrin Dogs Local Law 2016 — Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 18, *Public Health (Consequential Provisions) Bill 2014*. (Leader of the House).

9. Shire of Chittering Cats Local Law 2015 — Disallowance — Discharge from Notice Paper

The Order of the Day having been called, Hon Mark Lewis moved, without notice —

That, pursuant to recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation, Order of the Day No. 3, *Shire of Chittering Cats Local Law 2015 — Disallowance*, be discharged from the Notice Paper.

Question — put and passed.

10. Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure — Consolidated Account Estimates 2016–2017

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the motion of the Attorney General representing the Treasurer as follows —

That pursuant to Standing Order 69(1) the Legislative Council take note of Tabled Paper No. 4085 A-E (2016–2017 Budget Statements), laid upon the Table of the House on Thursday, 12 May 2016.

Debate resumed.

Hon Ken Travers, by leave, tabled documents in relation to expenditure trends, budget outcomes and major funding pressures. (Tabled Paper 4238).

On the motion of Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson the debate was adjourned to the next sitting.

11. Genetically Modified Crops Free Areas Repeal Bill 2015

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the second reading of this Bill.

Debate resumed.

12. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Minister for Education, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to the review of the Teacher Registration Board of Western Australia's tariffs, fees and charges, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Sue Ellery.

The Minister for Education tabled documents in relation to transportable classrooms in use in public schools for term 1 of 2016, in response to question on notice No. 4109 asked by Hon Sue Ellery. (Tabled Paper 4239).

13. Legal Profession Amendment Bill 2016

The following Message from the Legislative Assembly was reported —

Mr President

Message No. 157

The Legislative Assembly acquaints the Legislative Council that it has agreed to the amendments made by the Legislative Council in the *Legal Profession Amendment Bill 2016*.

Mr I.M. Britza

Acting Speaker

Legislative Assembly Chamber

Perth, 23 June 2016

14. Genetically Modified Crops Free Areas Repeal Bill 2015

Debate resumed on the second reading of this Bill (*see item 11 above*).

Interruption pursuant to order.

15. Members' Statements

Statements were taken.

16. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 5.43pm until Tuesday, 28 June 2016 at 2.00pm.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Stephen Dawson, Hon Donna Faragher, Hon Nigel Hallett, Hon Colin Holt, Hon Rick Mazza and Hon Sally Talbot.

NIGEL PRATT

Clerk of the Legislative Council

HON BARRY HOUSE

President of the Legislative Council