

WESTERN AUSTRALIA
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
No. 47
TUESDAY, 20 MARCH 2018

1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 2.00pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Kate Doust, took the Chair and read prayers.

2. Statement by President — Parliamentary Education Office Video — The Difference between Parliament and Government

The President made the following Statement —

On your desks you would have received a small flyer and a packet of jelly beans with a QR code on the back. The QR code links to a web animation that explains the difference between Parliament and Government. The animation was produced by digital media students from North Metropolitan TAFE in partnership with the Parliamentary Education Office. This new tool for school, which is available on our website, is aimed primarily at school students to engage them in learning about Parliament in a way that is fun and appealing. It is a not-so-serious take on the serious work that we do. This project is one of the many ways that Parliament is seeking to identify alternative ways to engage with the community and promote the important work of Parliament. I encourage all Members to check it out and promote it to schools within their electorate. I offer my congratulations to the Parliamentary Education Office and the students who were involved in developing the animation.

3. Petitions

Hon Jim Chown presented a petition from 635 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to investigate and oppose the closure of the Point Peron Camp School. (Tabled Paper 1149).

Hon Simon O'Brien presented a petition from 733 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to undertake consultation with the community in regards to the new Murdoch Drive connection. (Tabled Paper 1150).

4. Ministerial Statement — Health Transparency

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health made a Ministerial Statement with respect to bringing greater accountability and transparency to the performance of the health system.

5. Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

Leader of the House

Local Laws —

Cat Act 2011 (Shire of York Cat Local Law 2017 G.G. 16/03/2018) 1143

Local Government Act 1995 (Shire of Broome Local Government Property and Public Places Amendment Local Law 2017 G.G. 13/03/2018 and Shire of Broome Trading, Outdoor Dining and Street Entertainment Amendment Local Law 2017 G.G. 13/03/2018) 1144

Rules —

District Court of Western Australia Act 1969 (District Court Amendment Rules 2018 G.G. 16/03/2018)	1145
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Minister for Environment*Local Laws —*

Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Act 2007 (Shire of Capel Waste Amendment Local Law 2017 G.G. 13/03/2018)	1146
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Orders —

Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 (Conservation and Land Management (Reservation of State Forest) Order 2018 G.G. 16/03/2018).....	1147
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Parliamentary Secretary to the Deputy Premier*Local Laws —*

Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1911 (Shire of Bruce Rock Animals, Environment and Nuisance Amendment Local Law 2018 G.G. 16/03/2018).....	1148
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6. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, *Shire of Chittering Repeal Local Law 2017 — Disallowance*, 2, *Shire of Northampton Local Government Property Local Law 2017 — Disallowance*, 3, *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007 Notice Under Section 130(1) — Disallowance*, 4, *Water Services (Water Corporations Charges) Amendment Regulations 2017 — Disallowance*, 5, *Shire of Bridgetown-Greenbushes Cemeteries Amendment Local Law 2017 — Disallowance*, 6, *Transfer of Land Amendment Regulations 2017 — Disallowance*, 7, *City of Karratha Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Local Law 2017 — Disallowance*, 8, *Shire of Donnybrook-Balingup Meeting Procedures Local Law 2017 — Disallowance*, 9, *Port Authorities Amendment Regulations 2017 — Disallowance*, and 10, *Shire of Broome Parking and Parking Facilities Amendment Local Law (2) 2017 — Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 22, *Appropriation (Capital 2010–11 to 2015–16) Supplementary Bill 2017*. (Leader of the House).

7. Civil Liability Legislation Amendment (Child Sexual Abuse Actions) Bill 2017

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

8. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation tabled the minutes from a meeting with the Minister for Sport and Recreation and Wanneroo Raceway Motorsport, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Aaron Stonehouse. (Tabled Paper 1151).

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum tabled a media statement from the Minister for Environment regarding Helena and Aurora Range, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Robin Scott. (Tabled Paper 1152).

9. Civil Liability Legislation Amendment (Child Sexual Abuse Actions) Bill 2017

Debate resumed on the second reading of this Bill (*see item 7 above*).

Hon Martin Aldridge sought leave to continue his remarks at a later stage of this day's sitting.

Leave granted.

On the motion of Hon Martin Pritchard the debate was adjourned to a later stage of this day's sitting.

10. Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Amendment Bill 2017

The Leader of the House moved, without notice —

That the *Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Amendment Bill 2017* be discharged and referred to the Standing Committee on Procedure and Privileges for consideration and report by no later than Tuesday, 10 April 2018.

Question — put and passed.

Debate stands adjourned and the Bill is discharged and referred to the Standing Committee on Procedure and Privileges.

11. Order of Business

Ordered — That Order of the Day No. 23, *Civil Liability Legislation Amendment (Child Sexual Abuse Actions) Bill 2017*, be taken forthwith. (Leader of the House).

12. Civil Liability Legislation Amendment (Child Sexual Abuse Actions) Bill 2017

Debate resumed on the second reading of this Bill (*see item 9 above*).

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

The Acting President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Robin Chapple in the Chair)

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

Interruption pursuant to order.

The President resumed the Chair.

The Deputy Chair of Committees reported that the Committee of the Whole House had considered the Bill, made progress, and seeks to sit again.

Ordered — That the Committee of the Whole House sit again.

13. Sentence Administration Amendment Bill 2017

The following Message from the Legislative Assembly was reported —

Mr President

Message No. 50

The Legislative Assembly acquaints the Legislative Council that it has agreed to the amendments made by the Legislative Council in the *Sentence Administration Amendment Bill 2017*.

Mr I.C. Blayney

Acting Speaker

Legislative Assembly Chamber

Perth, 20 March 2018

14. Members' Statements

Statements were taken.

15. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 9.59pm until Wednesday, 21 March 2018 at 1.00pm.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members.

NIGEL PRATT
Clerk of the Legislative Council

HON KATE DOUST MLC
President of the Legislative Council