

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY, 28 MARCH 2012

2.00pm

Prayers

2.00PM - ORDER OF BUSINESS

Condolence Motions

Petitions

Statements by Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries

(Minister for Mental Health)

Papers for Tabling

(Minister for Child Protection)

Notice of Questions

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Notices of Motions

Motions without Notice

Motions on Notice

4.30pm Questions without Notice

5.00pm Committee Reports

7.30pm Orders of the Day

9.45pm Members' Statements

10.25pm House adjourns

MOTIONS ON NOTICE

1. Roe Highway Stage 8 (*Notice given 24 November 2010*)

Continuation of remarks Hon Lynn MacLaren – 30 mins (Wednesday, 21 March 2012) in moving the following motion –

That, for the purposes of —

- (a) saving the Beeliam wetlands by preserving ecological linkages and a range of other key values including —
 - (i) regionally significant vegetation, which is becoming rare as a result of encroaching urbanisation;
 - (ii) habitat for a great many fauna species, especially internationally and nationally significant migratory birds, as well as seriously threatened species like the Carnaby's Cockatoo and the Graceful Sun Moth; and
 - (iii) residential amenity, recreation and education; and
- (b) protecting our unique Aboriginal heritage; and
- (c) redirecting funds into more sustainable transport solutions, such as an expanded rail freight system and a passenger light rail network,

this House calls upon the Barnett Government to abandon the proposed Stage 8 of the Roe Highway development, and to request the Western Australian Planning Commission to initiate an amendment to the Metropolitan Region Scheme in order to delete the current zoning for a road reserve over the area of the proposed Stage 8 of the Roe Highway development.

Total time remaining on motion – 3hrs 45mins.

2. Uranium Mining - Environmental Management (*Notice given 24 February 2011*)

Hon Alison Xamon: To move -

That this House recommend that, should the Government proceed with its intention to licence uranium mining in Western Australia, it adopts the same minimum environmental management regulatory requirements for any future uranium mine in Western Australia as exists under Commonwealth and Northern Territory legislation for the operation of the Ranger uranium mine in the Northern Territory with regard to the disposal of radioactive tailings, including the requirements that -

- (a) the tailings are physically isolated from the environment for at least 10 000 years; and
- (b) any contaminants arising from the tailings do not result in any detrimental environmental impacts for at least 10 000 years.

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3. Unconventional Gas Exploration and Mining - Moratorium (*Notice given 15 March 2011, amended 21 September 2011*)

Hon Alison Xamon: To move -

That this House demands that the Government place a moratorium on all unconventional gas exploration and mining in Western Australia until such time as it can be assured that such activities will -

- (1) Have no impact on local land users, including -
 - (a) no reduction of available agricultural land;
 - (b) no reduction in local groundwater levels;
 - (c) no saltwater contamination of groundwater;
 - (d) no chemical contamination of groundwater; and
 - (e) no uncontrolled methane leakage from drilled locations.
- (2) Be governed by Government regulations that ensure that -
 - (a) absolute transparency is provided to the public about which chemicals are used in all unconventional gas drilling and hydraulic fracturing ('fracking') activities;
 - (b) rigorous independent testing is conducted on all chemicals before they are used in unconventional gas exploration, drilling and fracking operations to ensure no adverse impacts on groundwater, human health and the environment; and
 - (c) that any liability for contamination of ground water, land or community assets be borne by the company conducting the operations rather than the State and people of Western Australia.

CONSIDERATION OF COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. [Standing Committee on Public Administration - Report No. 13 - Inquiry into Western Australian Strata Managers - Committee Report](#) (*Tabled 1 September 2011*)

Continuation of remarks Hon Ed Dermer – 4 mins (Wednesday, 21 March 2012) on the motion of Hon Jim Chown that the report be noted. *See Tabled paper No. 3659.*

Total time remaining on motion – 45mins.

2. [Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 18 - Parliamentary Inspector's Report Concerning the Procedures Adopted by the Corruption and Crime Commission when dealing with Complaints of the Excessive Use of Force by Police - Committee Report](#) (*Tabled 8 September 2011*)

On the motion of Hon Nick Goiran (Wednesday, 7 March 2012) debate was adjourned to the next sitting. *See Tabled paper No. 3699.*

3. [Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 20 - Closed Hearing with Gail Archer SC and Further Analysis of Proposed Reforms to the Corruption and Crime Commission Act 2003 - Committee Report](#) (*Tabled 29 September 2011*)

On the motion of Hon Nick Goiran (Wednesday, 7 March 2012) debate was adjourned to the next sitting. *See Tabled paper No. 3928.*

4. [Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs - Report No. 24 - Inquiry into Cockburn Cement Limited, Munster - Committee Report](#) (Tabled 20 October 2011)

On the motion of Hon Brian Ellis (Wednesday, 7 March 2012) debate was adjourned to the next sitting. *See Tabled paper No. 3984.*

5. [Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 21 - Parliamentary Inspector's Report Concerning Telecommunication Interceptions and Legal Professional Privilege - Committee Report](#) (Tabled 24 November 2011)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 4104.*

6. [Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations - Report No. 35 - Inquiry into Western Australian Tourism Commission's Involvement in Major Tourism Events - Committee Report](#) (Tabled 1 December 2011)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 4146.*

7. [Standing Committee on Public Administration - Report No. 14 - Unassisted Failure - Committee Report](#) (Deemed Tabled 20 January 2012)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 4159.*

8. [Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 22 - The Role Played by the Corruption and Crime Commission in Aiding the Security Operation During the 2011 Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting - Committee Report](#) (Tabled 6 March 2012)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 4276*

9. [Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 23 - The post-CHOGM technological capability of the WA Police - Committee Report](#) (Tabled 6 March 2012)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 4277.*

10. [Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People - Report No. 8 - Report on the functions of the Commissioner for Children and Young People: Working with children checks - Committee Report](#) (Tabled 8 March 2012)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 4300.*

ORDERS OF THE DAY

1. **Town of Kwinana Extractive Industries Local Law 2011 – Disallowance**

Moved *pro forma* (SO 66(3)) 8 March 2012 on the motion of Hon Sally Talbot (Days remaining 12 after today)

That, pursuant to recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation, the *Town of Kwinana Extractive Industries Local Law 2011* published in the *Gazette* on 28 September 2011 and tabled in the Legislative Council on 18 October 2011 under the *Local Government Act 1995*, be and is hereby disallowed. (Tabled paper 3948).

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2. Shire of Kellerberrin Parking and Parking Facilities Local Law 2011 – Disallowance

Moved *pro forma* (SO 66(3)) 8 March 2012 on the motion of Hon Sally Talbot (Days remaining 12 after today)

That, pursuant to recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation, the *Shire of Kellerberrin Parking and Parking Facilities Local Law 2011* published in the *Gazette* on 14 October 2011 and tabled in the Legislative Council on 18 October 2011 under the *Local Government Act 1995*, be and are hereby disallowed. (Tabled paper 3948).

3. Mining Amendment Regulations (No. 5) 2011 – Disallowance

Moved *pro forma* (SO 66(3)) 8 March 2012 on the motion of Hon Robin Chapple (Days remaining 12 after today)

That the *Mining Amendment Regulations (No. 5) 2011* published in the *Gazette* on 11 October 2011 and tabled in the Legislative Council on 18 October 2011 under the *Mining Act 1978*, be and are hereby disallowed. (Tabled paper 3939).

4. Proposal No. 11/2011 – Amendment to Class A Reserve 22429 – Disallowance

Moved *pro forma* (SO 66(3)) 27 March 2012 on the motion of Hon Phil Edman (Question to be resolved by Wednesday, 20 June 2012: s. 43 *Land Administration Act 1997*)

That *Proposal No. 11/2011 – Amendment to Class A Reserve 22429* tabled in the Legislative Council on 23 November 2011 under section 42(4)(b) of the *Land Administration Act 1997*, be and is hereby disallowed. (Tabled paper 4101).

10. [Road Traffic \(Vehicles\) Bill 2011](#) [LA 245-1] Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

Consideration of report (Tuesday, 27 March 2012).

11. [Road Traffic Legislation Amendment Bill 2011](#) [LA 246-1] Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

Consideration of report (Tuesday, 27 March 2012).

8. [Adoption Amendment Bill 2011](#) [LC 250-1] Minister for Child Protection

Consideration of report (Tuesday, 27 March 2012).

13. [Western Australia Day \(Renaming\) Bill 2011](#) [LA 261-1] Leader of the House representing the Premier

Second reading continuation of remarks Hon Nick Goiran – 45 mins (Tuesday, 27 March 2012).

9. [*Criminal Investigation \(Covert Powers\) Bill 2011](#) [LA 210-2] Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police

Second reading adjourned (Tuesday, 1 November 2011). See [Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review Report No. 69](#) (Tabled 6 March 2012). cf SNP 210 Issue 4 – 27 March 2012.

7. [*Evidence and Public Interest Disclosure Legislation Amendment Bill 2011](#) [LC 232-1B] Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General

Committee (Thursday, 10 November 2011). See [Standing Committee on Procedure and Privileges Report No. 23](#) (Tabled 29 November 2011). cf SNP 232 Issue 2 - 1 December 2011.

* For amendments see Supplementary Notice Paper and/or Committee Report

MALCOLM PEACOCK
Clerk of the Legislative Council

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