

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 39

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT

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WEDNESDAY, 16 OCTOBER 2013

**1. Meeting of Assembly**

The Assembly met at 12.00 noon pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

**2. Papers**

The following papers were presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Clerk –

Environmental Protection Authority – Annual Report 2012–2013 (1023).

Forest Products Commission – Statement of Corporate Intent 2013–2014 (1024).

**3. Notice of Motion**

**4. Speaker's Statement – Non-Conforming Notices of Motion**

The Speaker referred members to the Notice Paper and advised that Private Members' Notices of Motion Nos 11, 12 and 13 in the name of the member for Girrawheen, and Private Members' Notice of Motion No. 14 in the name of the member for Kwinana appeared in an amended form from what the members gave to the House on the previous day.

Private Members' Notices of Motion Nos 11 and 14 contained words amounting to argument, and did not readily identify the propositions to be put to the House. Following agreement with the members, the Speaker directed that the notices of motion be amended to clearly identify the propositions within each notice.

Private Members' Notices of Motion Nos 12 and 13 in their original form contained a proposition that the House direct a minister take certain action. Following agreement with the member, the Speaker directed that the notice of motion be amended to now read that the House requests the minister take certain action.

**5. Brief Ministerial Statements**

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Veterans on the 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the establishment of Legacy in Australia.

The Minister for Tourism on the addition of flights operated by Scoot Airlines to Perth airport.

The Minister for Sport and Recreation on the ICC Cricket World Cup 2015 to be held at the WACA in Perth.

## **6. Electricity Corporations Amendment Bill 2013**

The Minister for Energy, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Electricity Corporations Act 2005* to provide for the merger of electricity corporations, to consequentially amend other Acts, and for other purposes.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Minister for Energy presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Minister for Energy moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr D.A. Templeman moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

## **7. Minerals Research Institute of Western Australia Bill 2013**

The Leader of the House, on behalf of the Minister for Mines and Petroleum, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to –

- to establish the Minerals Research Institute of Western Australia for the purposes of fostering and promoting minerals research for the benefit of the State; and
- to repeal the *Minerals and Energy Research Act 1987*; and
- to amend certain other Acts as a consequence of this Act,

and for related purposes.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Leader of the House, on behalf of the Minister for Mines and Petroleum, presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Leader of the House, on behalf of the Minister for Mines and Petroleum, moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Ms R. Saffioti moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

## **8. Taxi Drivers Licensing Bill 2013**

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bill was read.

Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Mr C.D. Hatton speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

## **9. Questions**

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 1299 to 1306 were asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 1069, 1073, 1082 to 1084, 1097, 1122 to 1185, 1187 to 1222 and 1230 were answered.

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Papers tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Education –

Question on Notice No. 1122 – Information relating to positions cut from Central Office of the Department of Education (1025).

Question on Notice No. 1124 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Churchlands Senior High School (1026).

Question on Notice No. 1125 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Rossmoyne Senior High School (1027).

Question on Notice No. 1126 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Perth Modern School (1028).

Question on Notice No. 1127 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Mindarie Senior College (1029).

Question on Notice No. 1128 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Mount Lawley Senior High School (1030).

Question on Notice No. 1132 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for John Tonkin College (1031).

Question on Notice No. 1136 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Gilmore College (1032).

Question on Notice No. 1137 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Hedland Senior High School (1033).

Question on Notice No. 1138 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Shenton College (1034).

Question on Notice No. 1141 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for John Curtin College of the Arts (1035).

Question on Notice No. 1142 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Lockridge Senior High School (1036).

Question on Notice No. 1143 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Mirrabooka Senior High School (1037).

Question on Notice No. 1145 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for John Forrest Secondary College (1038).

Question on Notice No. 1146 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Woodvale Secondary College (1039).

Question on Notice No. 1149 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Kalamunda Senior High School (1040).

Question on Notice No. 1155 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Morley Senior High School (1041).

Question on Notice No. 1157 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Wanneroo School (1042).

Question on Notice No. 1159 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Como Secondary College (1043).

Question on Notice No. 1160 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Canning Vale College (1044).

Question on Notice No. 1165 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Leeming Senior High School (1045).

Question on Notice No. 1169 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Eastern Hills Senior High School (1046).

Question on Notice No. 1171 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Balga Senior High School (1047).

Question on Notice No. 1174 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Busselton Senior High School (1048).

Question on Notice No. 1176 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Pinjarra Senior High School (1049).

Question on Notice No. 1181 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Carine Senior High School (1050).

Question on Notice No. 1183 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Cyril Jackson Senior Campus (1051).

Question on Notice No. 1185 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Collie Senior High School (1052).

Question on Notice No. 1187 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for South Fremantle Senior High School (1053).

Question on Notice No. 1188 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for WA College of Agriculture – Harvey (1054).

Question on Notice No. 1190 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Hampton Senior High School (1055).

Question on Notice No. 1192 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Kent Street Senior High School (1056).

Question on Notice No. 1193 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Kununurra District High School (1057).

Question on Notice No. 1196 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Balcatta Senior High School (1058).

Question on Notice No. 1197 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for WA College of Agriculture – Denmark (1059).

Question on Notice No. 1199 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Kelmscott Senior High School (1060).

Question on Notice No. 1202 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Albany Senior High School (1061).

Question on Notice No. 1206 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for John Willcock College (1062).

Question on Notice No. 1207 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Derby District High School (1063).

Question on Notice No. 1208 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Atwell College (1064).

Question on Notice No. 1210 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Australind Senior High School (1065).

Question on Notice No. 1217 – Breakdown of costs for asset replacements for Kinross College (1066).

#### **10. Medicines, Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Bill 2013**

The Order of the Day for the third reading of the bill having been read, the Minister for Health moved, That the bill be now read a third time.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time and forwarded to the Legislative Council for concurrence.

#### **11. Variation to the Order of Business**

Ordered, That Private Members' Business Notice of Motion No. 10 and Private Members' Business Order of the Day No. 8 be next considered.

#### **12. Environmental Health of the Swan and Canning Rivers**

Mr C.J. Tallentire, pursuant to notice, moved,

That this House condemns the Barnett Government's failure to protect the environmental health of the Swan and Canning Rivers, and for abolishing the Swan River Trust.

Debate ensued.

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*Paper*

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Minister for Environment –

Environment, Minister for – WA Labor FINAL Platform 2011 (1067).

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Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (17)

Ms L.L. Baker  
Dr A.D. Buti  
Mr R.H. Cook  
Ms J. Farrer  
Mr W.J. Johnston  
Mr F.M. Logan

Mr M. McGowan  
Ms S.F. McGurk  
Mr M.P. Murray  
Ms M.M. Quirk  
Mrs M.H. Roberts  
Ms R. Saffioti

Mr C.J. Tallentire  
Mr P.C. Tinley  
Mr P.B. Watson  
Mr B.S. Wyatt  
Mr D.A. Templeman (*Teller*)

Noes (32)

Mr P. Abetz  
Mr F.A. Alban  
Mr C.J. Barnett  
Mr I.C. Blayney  
Mr I.M. Britza  
Mr V.A. Catania  
Mr M.J. Cowper  
Ms M.J. Davies  
Mr J.H.D. Day  
Ms W.M. Duncan  
Ms E. Evangel

Mr J.M. Francis  
Mrs G.J. Godfrey  
Mr B.J. Grylls  
Dr K.D. Hames  
Mrs L.M. Harvey  
Mr C.D. Hatton  
Mr A.P. Jacob  
Dr G.G. Jacobs  
Mr S.K. L'Estrange  
Mr R.S. Love  
Mr J.E. McGrath

Mr P.T. Miles  
Ms A.R. Mitchell  
Mr N.W. Morton  
Mr D.C. Nalder  
Mr J. Norberger  
Mr D.T. Redman  
Mr A.J. Simpson  
Mr M.H. Taylor  
Mr T.K. Waldron  
Mr A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Question thus negated.

### 13. Dadour Local Poll Provision

The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of debate on the motion moved by Mr B.S. Wyatt,

That this House supports the retention of the Dadour local poll provision in the Local Government Act.

Debate resumed.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (17)

Ms L.L. Baker  
Dr A.D. Buti  
Mr R.H. Cook  
Ms J. Farrer  
Mr W.J. Johnston  
Mr F.M. Logan

Mr M. McGowan  
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Ms R. Saffioti

Mr C.J. Tallentire  
Mr P.C. Tinley  
Mr P.B. Watson  
Mr B.S. Wyatt  
Mr D.A. Templeman (*Teller*)

## Noes (31)

Mr P. Abetz  
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 Mr I.M. Britza  
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 Mr J. Norberger  
 Mr D.T. Redman  
 Mr A.J. Simpson  
 Mr M.H. Taylor  
 Mr T.K. Waldron  
 Mr A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Question thus negated.

#### 14. Adjournment

The Leader of the House moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 7.02 p.m. until Thursday, 17 October 2013 at 9.00 a.m.

*Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr P. Papalia.*

**PETER J. McHUGH**  
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

**HON. MICHAEL SUTHERLAND**  
 Speaker of the Legislative Assembly