#### WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

## No. 219

## THURSDAY, 10 NOVEMBER 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. Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

#### **President**

Reports —

Ombudsman — A report on giving effect to the recommendations arising from the: Investigation into issues associated with violence restraining orders and their relationship with family and domestic violence fatalities (November 2016)....... 4856

## **Attorney General**

Reports —

#### **Minister for Planning**

Reports —

3. Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review — Report No. 104 — Statutes (Repeals) Bill 2016

Hon Kate Doust presented Report No. 104 of the Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review, *Statutes (Repeals) Bill 2016*. (Tabled Paper 4859).

4. Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People — Report No. 8 — Annual Report 2015–16

Hon Robyn McSweeney presented Report No. 8 of the Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People, 2015–16 Annual Report. (Tabled Paper 4860).

#### 5. Alcohol Advertising Ban on Public Transport Facilities

Private Members' Business No. 1 having been called, Hon Helen Morton moved, without notice — That this House encourages the Government of Western Australia to ban alcohol advertising on State Government controlled public transport facilities.

Debate ensued.

Motion lapsed.

#### 6. Order of Business

Ordered — That Order of the Day No. 2, *Energy Operators (Electricity Generation and Retail Corporation) (Charges) Amendment By-Laws 2016* — *Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 18, *Misuse of Drugs Amendment (Search Powers) Bill 2016*. (Attorney General).

# 7. Motor Vehicle (Catastrophic Injuries) Regulations 2016 — Disallowance — Discharge from Notice Paper

The Order of the Day having been called, Hon Robin Chapple moved, without notice —

That pursuant to recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation, Order of the Day No. 1, *Motor Vehicle (Catastrophic Injuries) Regulations 2016 — Disallowance*, be discharged from the Notice Paper.

Question — put and passed.

## 8. Pilbara Port Assets (Disposal) Bill 2015

The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill, in Committee of the Whole House, having been read.

The President left the Chair.

#### In Committee

(Hon Simon O'Brien in the Chair)

Clause 46.

Debate resumed on the amendments moved by Hon Robin Chapple as follows —

Page 33, after line 7 — To insert —

terms and conditions, in relation to an access arrangement, includes —

- (a) prices and charges relating to the access arrangement; and
- (b) any discounts, allowances, rebates or credits given or allowed in relation to the access arrangement; and
- (c) any commissions or similar benefits (whether monetary or otherwise) payable or given in relation to the access arrangement; and
- (d) the supply of other goods or services, where the other goods or services are supplied in connection with the first-mentioned goods or services; and
- (e) the making of payments for such other goods or services.

Page 33, after line 9 — To insert —

- (2A) Prior to executing any access arrangement under this section, the service provider shall publish standard form terms and conditions of access in the *Gazette*.
- (2B) Any variation to the standard form terms and conditions of access referred to at (2A), shall be published by the service provider prior to them having any lawful force and effect.
- (2C) The terms and conditions on which any access arrangement is agreed are
  - (a) so far as the service provider and any party to the access arrangement agree on the terms and conditions the agreed terms and conditions; and

(b) if the service provider and any party to the access arrangement do not agree on terms and conditions, but terms and conditions are set out in a standard form of agreement — the relevant standard form terms and conditions shall apply.

The Attorney General representing the Treasurer tabled documents in relation to key features of the proposed Utah Point Bulk Handling Facility Regime. (Tabled Paper 4861).

Debate resumed.

Amendments — put.

The Committee divided.

#### Ayes (10)

Hon Robin Chapple Hon Laine McDonald Hon Stephen Dawson Hon Martin Pritchard Hon Kate Doust Hon Sally Talbot Hon Sue Ellery Hon Darren West

Hon Lynn MacLaren Hon Samantha Rowe (Teller)

#### Noes (19)

Hon Nigel Hallett Hon Martin Aldridge Hon Peter Katsambanis Hon Ken Baston Hon Liz Behjat Hon Mark Lewis Hon Jacqui Boydell Hon Rick Mazza Hon Paul Brown Hon Robyn McSweeney Hon Jim Chown Hon Michael Mischin Hon Peter Collier Hon Helen Morton Hon Donna Faragher Hon Simon O'Brien Hon Nick Goiran Hon Phil Edman (Teller)

Hon Dave Grills

Amendments thus negatived.

Debate resumed.

Hon Lynn MacLaren moved —

Page 33, lines 10 and 11 — To delete "may do any or all of the following —" and insert —

the regulations must do all of the following —

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put.

The Committee divided.

## Ayes (10)

Hon Robin ChappleHon Laine McDonaldHon Stephen DawsonHon Martin PritchardHon Kate DoustHon Sally TalbotHon Sue ElleryHon Darren West

Hon Lynn MacLaren Hon Samantha Rowe (Teller)

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Hon Martin Aldridge Hon Nigel Hallett Hon Ken Baston Hon Peter Katsambanis Hon Liz Behiat Hon Mark Lewis Hon Jacqui Boydell Hon Rick Mazza Hon Paul Brown Hon Robyn McSweeney Hon Jim Chown Hon Michael Mischin Hon Peter Collier Hon Helen Morton Hon Donna Faragher Hon Simon O'Brien Hon Nick Goiran Hon Phil Edman (Teller) Hon Dave Grills

Amendment thus negatived.

Debate resumed.

Question, That the clause stand as printed — put and passed.

New Clause 46A.

Hon Lynn MacLaren moved —

Page 35, after line 16 — To insert —

## 46A. Preservation of rights to future access

(1) In this section —

access means access to a service;

access capacity means the capacity to provide services of the person who owns, controls or operates a port facility;

available capacity means access capacity that is not contracted to a protected user or is not the subject of a request by a protected user to be so contracted;

eligible request for access means a request for access capacity when a prescribed user has access capacity at a port facility;

*prescribed period* for a request for access or an eligible request for access means 180 days after the day on which the request is made;

*prescribed user* means a person specified in regulations as a user or potential user of a service;

*protected user* means a user or potential user of a service other than a prescribed user:

*service* has the meaning given in section 46(1).

- (2) It is a condition of the operation of a port facility that, subject to subsection (3), 100% of the access capacity must be reserved for protected users.
- (3) Despite subsection (2), if a request for access is made by a prescribed user and there is available capacity at that time, the request may be granted to the extent of the available capacity as long as it is granted on terms that enable a protected user who subsequently makes an eligible request for access being provided with such access within the prescribed period or at a later time agreed to by the protected user.

Debate ensued.

New Clause — put.

The Committee divided.

#### Ayes (11)

Hon Robin Chapple Hon Simon O'Brien
Hon Stephen Dawson Hon Martin Pritchard
Hon Kate Doust Hon Sally Talbot
Hon Sue Ellery Hon Darren West

Hon Lynn MacLaren Hon Samantha Rowe (Teller)

Hon Laine McDonald

#### **Noes (16)**

Hon Martin Aldridge Hon Donna Faragher Hon Ken Baston Hon Nick Goiran Hon Liz Behjat Hon Dave Grills Hon Jacqui Boydell Hon Peter Katsambanis Hon Paul Brown Hon Robyn McSweeney Hon Jim Chown Hon Michael Mischin Hon Peter Collier Hon Helen Morton Hon Brian Ellis Hon Phil Edman (Teller)

New Clause thus negatived.

New Clause 46A.

The Attorney General representing the Treasurer moved —

Page 35, after line 16 — To insert —

#### 46A. Preservation of rights to future access

(1) In this section —

access means access to a service;

access capacity means the capacity to provide services of the person who owns, controls or operates a port facility;

*eligible request for access* means a request for access that would not, if granted, result in the proportion of the access capacity taken up by protected users exceeding 50%;

*prescribed period* for a request for access means 180 days, or such other period as is specified in regulations, after the day on which the request is made;

prescribed user means a person specified in regulations as a user or potential user
of a service;

*protected user* means a user or potential user of a service other than a prescribed user;

service has the meaning given in section 46(1).

(2) It is a condition of the operation of a port facility that, subject to subsection (3), 50% of the access capacity must be reserved for protected users.

(3) Despite subsection (2) if a request for access made by a prescribed user would, if granted, result in the proportion of the access capacity taken up by prescribed users exceeding 50%, the request may be granted as long as it is granted on terms that would not prevent a protected user who subsequently makes an eligible request for access from being provided with access within the prescribed period or at a later time agreed to by the protected user.

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and passed.

New Clause agreed to.

Clause 47.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Schedule 1 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

The Acting President resumed the Chair.

Bill reported with amendment.

Ordered — That consideration of the Committee's Report be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting.

## 9. Aquatic Resources Management Bill 2015

The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill, in Committee of the Whole House, having been read.

The Acting President left the Chair.

#### In Committee

(Hon Liz Behjat in the Chair)

Clause 266.

Debate resumed.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 267 to 271 agreed to.

Clause 272.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 273 to 297 agreed to.

New Part 19, Division 1A.

The Attorney General representing the Minister for Fisheries moved —

Page 213, after line 22 — To insert —

## Division 1A — Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016 amended

#### 288A. Act amended

This Division amends the *Biodiversity Conservation Act* 2016.

#### 288B. Section 5 amended

(1) In section 5(1) delete the definitions of:

fish

#### pearl oyster

(2) In section 5(1) insert in alphabetical order:

aquatic organism has the meaning given in the Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016 section 3(1);

- (3) In section 5(1) in the definition of *biodiversity conservation measures* delete paragraph (g)(v) and insert:
  - (v) aquatic resource use plans and management plans under the Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016 and measures under Part 6 of that Act relating to the control of declared organisms or biological threats;
- (4) In section 5(1) in the definition of *fauna processing establishment* delete "fish or pearl oyster," and insert:

aquatic organisms,

## 288C. Section 7 amended

In section 7(1) in the definition of *relevant authorisation* delete paragraphs (d) and (e) and insert:

(d) the Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016; or

#### 288D. Section 12 amended

Delete section 12(1) and insert:

- (1) This Act, other than Part 9, does not apply to or in relation to any aquatic organism that is the subject of
  - (a) aquaculture, as defined in the *Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016* section 3(1); or
  - (b) commercial fishing, as defined in the *Aquatic Resources Management Act* 2016 section 3(1); or
  - (c) recreational fishing, as defined in the *Aquatic Resources Management Act* 2016 section 3(1).

#### 288E. Section 54 amended

In section 54(2)(b) delete "Fish Resources Management Act 1994." and insert:

Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016.

#### 288F. Section 132 amended

Delete section 132(3)(a)(ii) and (iii) and insert:

(ii) if the species to which the order relates is a species of aquatic organism — the Minister responsible for the administration of the *Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016*;

#### 288G. Section 145 amended

In section 145 in the definition of *fauna* delete "fish or pearl oyster." and insert: aquatic organisms.

#### 288H. Section 151 amended

(1) In section 151(1)(a) delete "fish or pearl oyster); and" and insert:

aquatic organisms); and

(2) In section 151(2)(a)(i) delete "fish or pearl oyster); and" and insert:

aquatic organisms); and

## 288I. Section 153 amended

(1) In section 153(3)(a) delete "fish or pearl oyster); and" and insert:

aquatic organisms); and

(2) In section 153(4(a)(i) delete "fish or pearl oyster); and" and insert:

aquatic organisms); and

#### 288J. Section 158 amended

In section 158(1) in the definition of *fauna* delete "fish or pearl oyster." and insert: aquatic organisms.

#### 288K. Section 166 amended

In section 166 in the definition of *flora* delete "fish." and insert:

aquatic organisms.

#### 288L. Section 190 amended

In section 190 in the definition of *aquatic-eco tourism delete* "Fish Resources Management Act 1994 section 4(1);" and insert:

Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016 section 3(1);

#### 288M. Section 194 amended

In section 194(3) delete "Fish Resources Management Act 1994" and insert:

Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016

#### 288N. Section 274 amended

In section 274(1) in the definition of *information sharing agency* —

- (a) after paragraph (a) insert:
  - (aa) the department of the Public Service principally assisting in the administration of the *Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016*;
- (b) delete paragraphs (e) and (h).

#### 288O. Schedule 1 amended

In Schedule 1 item 2 delete "fish or pearl oyster)," and insert:

aquatic organisms),

Debate ensued.

New Part — put and passed.

Clauses 298 to 311 agreed to.

Clause 312.

The Attorney General representing the Minister for Fisheries moved —

Page 220, line 22 to page 221, line 8 — To delete the lines and insert —

- (2) Delete section 101B(3)(a) and (b) and insert:
  - (a) the Aquatic Resources Management Act 2016,

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and passed.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 313 to 362 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

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The Acting President resumed the Chair.

Bill reported with amendment.

Ordered — That consideration of the Committee's Report be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting.

#### 10. Order of Business

Ordered — That Order of the Day No. 19, *Sale of Land Amendment Bill 2016*, be taken forthwith. (Attorney General).

#### 11. Sale of Land Amendment Bill 2016

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

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

Leave was granted to proceed forthwith to the third reading of the Bill.

The Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Lands moved, That the Bill be read a third time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a third time and passed.

## 12. Restraining Orders and Related Legislation Amendment (Family Violence) Bill 2016

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

#### 13. **Ouestions Without Notice**

Questions without notice were taken.

The Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance tabled documents in relation to staff from the Housing Authority, the Department of Corrective Services and the Department of Transport moving to offices in Fremantle, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Kate Doust. (Tabled Paper 4862).

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to TAFE campuses in the Pilbara, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Stephen Dawson.

The Minister for Education, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to asbestos containing materials found at Currambine Primary School, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Laine McDonald.

The Minister for Education, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to the removal of asbestos containing materials found at Currambine Primary School, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Laine McDonald.

The Attorney General, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to the increase of the minimum imprisonment sentence allowable under the *Sentencing Act 1995*, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Adele Farina.

The Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to payment plan options for land tax, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Martin Pritchard.

The Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to collection of the emergency services levy, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Laine McDonald.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Transport tabled documents in relation to the *Fremantle Traffic Bridge*, *Pier 15*, *Emergency Repair Report* by Main Roads Western Australia, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Kate Doust. (Tabled Paper 4863).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Transport, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to the Gateway review process, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Lynn MacLaren.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Mental Health tabled documents in relation to services funded by the Mental Health Commission in the Mandurah and Peel regions for teenagers at risk of suicide, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Sally Talbot. (Tabled Paper 4864).

#### 14. Restraining Orders and Related Legislation Amendment (Family Violence) Bill 2016

Debate resumed on the second reading of this Bill (see item 12 above).

Hon Lynn MacLaren sought leave to continue her remarks at the next sitting.

Leave granted.

On the motion of Leader of the House the debate was adjourned to the next sitting.

## 15. Oil Refinery (Kwinana) Agreement Amendment Bill 2016

The President reported the receipt of Message No. 192 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 4865).

Debate stands adjourned.

#### 16. Biological Control Amendment Bill 2016

The following Message from the Legislative Assembly was reported —

Mr President Message No. 193

The Legislative Assembly acquaints the Legislative Council that it has agreed to the *Biological Control Amendment Bill 2016* without amendment.

Mr N.W. Morton Acting Speaker Legislative Assembly Chamber Perth, 10 November 2016

## 17. Adjournment

There being no Members' Statements the Council adjourned at 5.19pm until Tuesday, 15 November 2016 at 2.00pm.

## Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Alanna Clohesy, Hon Adele Farina, Hon Alyssa Hayden, Hon Colin Holt and Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson.

**NIGEL PRATT** 

HON BARRY HOUSE

Clerk of the Legislative Council

President of the Legislative Council