

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 134

THURSDAY, 21 MAY 2015

1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 10.00am pursuant to order.

The Deputy President, Hon Adele Farina, took the Chair and read prayers.

2. Petition

Hon Alyssa Hayden presented a petition from 166 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to support the restoration of the Guildford Hotel and the development of a viable mixed-use building to the rear of the site. (Tabled Paper 2915).

3. Asbestos Diseases Compensation Bill 2013

Non-Government Business No. 1 having been called for the adjourned debate on the second reading of this Bill.

Debate resumed.

Interruption pursuant to order.

4. State Budget Benefits

Private Members' Business No. 1 having been called, Hon Mark Lewis moved, without notice —

That this House acknowledges the benefits to each of the Legislative Council's regions from the recent State Budget.

Debate ensued.

Motion lapsed.

5. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, *Shire of Trayning Public Places and Local Government Property Local Law 2014 — Disallowance*, and 2, *City of Gosnells Cat Local Law 2014 — Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 7, *Criminal Code Amendment (Prevention of Lawful Activity) Bill 2015*. (Leader of the House).

6. Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure — Consolidated Fund Estimates 2015–2016

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

That pursuant to Standing Order 69(1) the Legislative Council take note of Tabled Paper 2877A–E (2015–2016 Budget Statements), laid upon the Table of the House on Thursday, 14 May 2015.

Debate resumed.

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

7. Loan Bill 2015

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 Minister for Education tabled a list of public schools offered funding for small maintenance projects, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Sue Ellery. (Tabled Paper 2916).

The Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information in relation to sixteen proposed heritage sites, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Robin Chapple.

9. Loan Bill 2015

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

Interruption pursuant to order.

10. Members' Statements

Statements were taken.

11. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 5.37pm until Tuesday, 16 June 2015 at 2.00pm.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Ken Baston, Hon Alanna Clohesy, Hon Nick Goiran, Hon Colin Holt, Hon Barry House, Hon Lynn MacLaren (*leave of absence*), Hon Rick Mazza, Hon Michael Mischin and Hon Ken Travers (*leave of absence*).

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Clerk of the Legislative Council

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Deputy President of the Legislative Council