

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

**MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**

**No. 9**

**WEDNESDAY, 14 JUNE 2017**

**1. Meeting of Council**

The Council assembled at 1.00pm pursuant to order.

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

**2. Petition**

Hon Alanna Clohesy presented a petition from 600 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to review the *Animal Welfare Act 2002* and enforce harsher penalties and punishment for offences against animals. (Tabled Paper 268).

**3. Ministerial Statement — National Disability Insurance Scheme**

The Minister for Disability Services made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the progress of the National Disability Insurance Scheme and the status of State Government consideration.

**4. Paper**

The following Paper was laid on the Table by —

**Leader of the House**

*Annual Reports* —

Legal Practice Board (2015-2016) (Date received 13/06/2017) ..... 267

**5. Education Central**

Motion No. 1 having been called, debate resumed on the motion of Hon Donna Faragher as follows —

That this House notes both the significant concerns being raised across the community and the lack of consultation undertaken by the McGowan Government on its *Education Central* policy, particularly the proposed re-location of the State's only fully academically selective senior high school currently at Perth Modern School to a high-rise inner city school within Perth City Link and calls on the Government to:

- (a) reverse its *Education Central* policy and maintain Perth Modern School as a fully academically selective school; and
- (b) revert to the comprehensive *Western Suburbs Secondary Schooling Strategy* announced in September 2016.

Motion — put.

The Council divided.

**Ayes (20)**

Hon Jacqui Boydell  
 Hon Robin Chapple  
 Hon Jim Chown  
 Hon Tim Clifford  
 Hon Peter Collier  
 Hon Colin de Grussa  
 Hon Diane Evers  
 Hon Donna Faragher  
 Hon Nick Goiran  
 Hon Colin Holt

Hon Rick Mazza  
 Hon Simon O'Brien  
 Hon Robin Scott  
 Hon Tjorn Sibma  
 Hon Charles Smith  
 Hon Aaron Stonehouse  
 Hon Dr Steve Thomas  
 Hon Colin Tincknell  
 Hon Alison Xamon  
 Hon Ken Baston (*Teller*)

**Noes (11)**

Hon Alanna Clohesy  
 Hon Stephen Dawson  
 Hon Sue Ellery  
 Hon Adele Farina  
 Hon Laurie Graham  
 Hon Alannah MacTiernan

Hon Kyle McGinn  
 Hon Samantha Rowe  
 Hon Matthew Swinbourn  
 Hon Pierre Yang  
 Hon Martin Pritchard (*Teller*)

Motion thus passed.

**6. Climate Change and Measures for Amelioration**

Motion No. 2 having been called, Hon Robin Chapple, pursuant to notice, moved —

That the House note the impact of climate change and give consideration to measures that may be introduced to ameliorate its damaging and long term effects on Western Australia's social, economic and environmental prosperity.

*Interruption pursuant to order.*

**7. Order of Business**

Ordered — That Bills for Introduction be taken forthwith. (Leader of the House).

**8. Petroleum Legislation Amendment Bill 2017**

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum, pursuant to notice, moved —

That a Bill for “An Act to amend the *Petroleum and Geothermal Energy Resources Act 1967* and the *Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Act 1982.*” be introduced and read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 269).

Debate stands adjourned and Bill referred to the Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review [SO 126].

### **9. Order of Business**

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, *Firearms Amendment Regulations 2017 — Disallowance*, and 2, *Road Traffic (Vehicles) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2017 — Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 6, *Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation — Establishment*. (Leader of the House).

### **10. Address-In-Reply**

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the Address-in-Reply. Debate resumed.

### **11. Questions Without Notice**

Questions without notice were taken.

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, an answer in relation to the confidentiality of the compensation settlement agreed with Wang Nominees regarding the relocation of the Florence Hummerston kiosk at Elizabeth Quay, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Alison Xamon.

### **12. Address-In-Reply**

Debate resumed on the Address-in-Reply (*see item 10 above*).  
*Interruption pursuant to order.*

### **13. Members' Statements**

Statements were taken.

### **14. Adjournment**

The Council adjourned at 6.38pm until Thursday, 15 June 2017 at 10.00am.

#### **Members present during the day's proceedings**

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Martin Aldridge, Hon Michael Mischin and Hon Darren West.

**NIGEL PRATT**  
Clerk of the Legislative Council

**HON KATE DOUST MLC**  
President of the Legislative Council