WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 234

TUESDAY, 25 SEPTEMBER 2012

1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 3.00pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Barry House, took the Chair and read prayers.

2. Petition

Hon Lynn MacLaren presented a petition from 13 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to investigate the live animal trade with a view to recommending a timeframe within which the trade can be permanently discontinued. (Tabled Paper 5034).

3. Ministerial Statement — Mining Amendment Bill 2012 — Correction to Statement

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum made a Ministerial statement with respect to a correction to his second reading speech on the *Mining Amendment Bill 2012*.

4. Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

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5. School Education Amendment Bill 2012

The Minister for Education: To move on the next day of sitting —

That a Bill for "An Act to amend the *School Education Act 1999* and to make consequential amendments to the *School Curriculum and Standards Authority Act 1997*." be introduced and read a first time.

6. Aboriginal Affairs Planning Authority Amendment Bill 2012

The Minister for Indigenous Affairs: To move on the next day of sitting —

That a Bill for "An Act to amend the *Aboriginal Affairs Planning Authority Act 1972* and to consequentially amend the *Unclaimed Money Act 1990*." be introduced and read a first time.

7. Courts Legislation Amendment Bill 2012

The Attorney General: To move on the next day of sitting —

That a Bill for "An Act to amend —

- the Criminal Procedure Act 2004; and
- the Magistrates Court (Civil Proceedings) Act 2004."

be introduced and read a first time.

8. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, Mindarie Regional Council Standing Orders Amendment Local Law 2012 — Disallowance, 2, City of Bayswater Standing Orders Local Law 2012 — Disallowance, 3, City of Perth Standing Orders Amendment Local Law 2012 — Disallowance, 4, Pawnbrokers and Second-hand Dealers Amendment Regulations 2012 — Disallowance, 5, Security and Related Activities (Control) Amendment Regulations 2012 — Disallowance, 6, Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup Removal of Refuse, Rubbish and Disused Materials Local Law 2012 — Disallowance, and 7, Submission No. 13/2012 — Amendment to Class A Reserve 8485 and Cancellation of Class A Reserve 28535 — Disallowance, be taken after Order of the Day No. 15, Revenue Laws Amendment Bill 2012. (Leader of the House).

9. Retirement Villages Amendment Bill 2012

The Order of the Day having been read for the consideration of the Committee's report upon this Bill. The Minister for Commerce moved, That the report be adopted.

Question — put and passed.

Ordered — That the third reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting.

10. Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment (Jockeys) Bill 2012

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.

The President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Colin Holt in the Chair)

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 2.

Hon Kate Doust moved —

Page 2, line 8 — To insert after "proclamation" —

, which may be a day prior to the day on which the proclamation fixing the day is published in the *Gazette*

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and negatived.

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

Clauses 3 to 6 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

The Deputy President resumed the Chair.

Bill reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

The Minister for Commerce moved, That the Bill be read a third time.

The Deputy President having reported that the Deputy Chair of Committees had certified that this was a true copy of the Bill as agreed to in Committee of the Whole House and reported.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a third time and passed.

11. Criminal Investigation (Covert Powers) Bill 2011

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

The Deputy President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Colin Holt in the Chair)

Postponed Clause 5.

Debate resumed on the amendment of the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police as follows —

Page 6, lines 26 and 27 — To delete the lines and insert —

- (b) an offence not covered by paragraph (a) that is prescribed for the purposes of this definition, being an offence under any of the following Acts
 - (i) the Classification (Publications, Films and Computer Games) Enforcement Act 1996;
 - (ii) The Criminal Code;
 - (iii) the Firearms Act 1973;
 - (iv) the Fish Resources Management Act 1994;
 - (v) the Misuse of Drugs Act 1981;
 - (vi) the Prostitution Act 2000;
 - (vii) the Weapons Act 1999;

12. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

13. Criminal Investigation (Covert Powers) Bill 2011

Resumption of consideration of this Bill in Committee of the Whole House (see item 11 above). The President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Brian Ellis in the Chair)

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 - (vii) the Weapons Act 1999;

The Attorney General representing the Minister for Police, by leave, tabled a revised consideration of prescribed relevant offences and the definition of 'relevant offence' adopted in other jurisdictions. (Tabled Paper 5035).

Debate resumed.

Hon Adele Farina moved, That consideration of Clause 5 be postponed until after postponed Clause 80.

Debate ensued.

Question — put and negatived.

Debate resumed.

Amendment — put and passed.

Hon Adele Farina moved the following Committee Recommendation —

Page 6, lines 31 and 32 — To delete the lines.

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and negatived.

Hon Adele Farina moved the following Committee Recommendation —

Page 6, line 32 — To delete "definition;" and insert —

definition if and only if the prescribing of that offence has been recommended by resolution passed by both Houses of Parliament of this State;

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and negatived.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

Postponed clause 80.

Debate ensued.

Interruption pursuant to order.

The President resumed the Chair.

The Deputy Chair of Committees reported that the Committee of the Whole House had considered the Bill, made progress, and sought to sit again.

Ordered — That the Committee of the Whole House sit again.

14. Members' Statements

Statements were taken.

15. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 10.11pm until Wednesday, 26 September 2012 at 2.00pm.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Wendy Duncan, Hon Donna Faragher and Hon Jon Ford.

MALCOLM PEACOCK

HON BARRY HOUSE

Clerk of the Legislative Council

President of the Legislative Council