WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 81

THURSDAY, 14 AUGUST 2014

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. Ministerial Statement — Count Me In Western Australian Football League Round

The Minister for Disability Services made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the *Count Me In* Western Australian Football League round.

3. Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

Minister for Agriculture and Food on behalf of the Attorney General

Reports -

Department of Commerce — Local Content Report (May 2014)...... 1761

Minister for Agriculture and Food

Reports -

4. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission — Report No. 15 — Ensuring the timely appointment of a new Corruption and Crime Commissioner

Hon Nick Goiran presented Report No. 15 of the Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission, *Ensuring the timely appointment of a new Corruption and Crime Commissioner*. (Tabled Paper 1764).

5. Shire of Ashburton Fencing Local Law 2014 — Disallowance

Hon Robin Chapple: To move on the next day of sitting -----

That, pursuant to recommendation of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation, the *Shire of Ashburton Fencing Local Law 2014* published in the *Gazette* on 11 April 2014 and tabled in the Legislative Council on 6 May 2014 under the *Dividing Fences Act 1961*, be and is hereby disallowed. (Tabled Paper 1414).

6. Partial Revocation of State Forest Nos 6, 22, 23, 28, 32, 33 and 65

The Leader of the House moved, without notice —

That Motion No. 49, *Partial Revocation of State Forest Nos 6, 22, 23, 28, 32, 33 and 65*, be made an Order of the Day for the next day's sitting.

Question — put and passed.

7. School Funding

Non-Government Business No. 1 having been called, Hon Sue Ellery moved, without notice —

That this House calls on the Government to recognise the impact of its cuts to schools in 2014, and revisit the further proposed cut to 30 per cent of schools in 2015.

Debate ensued.

Motion lapsed.

8. Road Safety in the Wheatbelt Region

Private Members' Business No. 1 having been called, Hon Martin Aldridge moved, without notice — That this House —

- (a) notes that the Wheatbelt region has the highest killed or seriously injured rate per capita of road traffic accidents in the State; and
- (b) propose initiatives and strategies to Government to improve road safety in the Wheatbelt and in turn reduce the social and economic impacts of road trauma on our regional communities and the State.

Debate ensued. *Motion lapsed.*

10. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, Regulation 11(3)(o) as inserted into the Retirement Villages Regulations 1992 by Regulation 6 of the Retirement Villages (Recurrent Charges, Prescribed Matters and Exemption Certificates) Amendment Regulations 2014 — Disallowance, 2, Shire of Shark Bay Local Government Property Amendment Local Law 2014 — Disallowance, and 3, Firearms Amendment Regulations 2014 — Disallowance, be taken after Order of the Day No. 10, Mental Health Bill 2013. (Leader of the House).

11. Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Recurrent 2014–15 Bill 2014 and Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Capital 2014–15 Bill 2014

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

12. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Lands tabled a document in relation to the inspection of Red Bluff by the Department of Lands and the Department of Agriculture and Food, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Robin Chapple. (Tabled Paper 1765).

The Minister for Education, by leave incorporated into *Hansard*, information regarding children and family centres established in Halls Creek, Fitzroy Crossing, Kununurra, Roebourne and Swan in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Stephen Dawson.

The Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry tabled a document in relation to production contract No. 3008, between Nannup Timber Processing Pty Ltd and the Forest Products Commission, in response to question on notice No. 1233 asked by Hon Lynn MacLaren. (Tabled Paper 1766).

The Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry tabled a document in relation to contracts of sale between various timber companies and the Forest Products Commission, in response to question on notice No. 1213 asked by Hon Lynn MacLaren. (Tabled Paper 1767).

13. Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Recurrent 2014–15 Bill 2014 and Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Capital 2014–15 Bill 2014

Cognate debate resumed on the second reading of these Bills (*see item 11 above*). *Interruption pursuant to order*.

14. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 5.20pm until Tuesday, 19 August 2014 at 3.00pm. **Members present during the day's proceedings** Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Jacqui Boydell, Hon Kate Doust and Hon Adele Farina.

NIGEL PRATT Clerk of the Legislative Council

HON BARRY HOUSE

President of the Legislative Council