



## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

**TUESDAY, 11 MAY 2021**

**2.00pm**

### 1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 2.00pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Kate Doust, took the Chair.

Prayers and an Acknowledgement of Country were read.

### 2. Petition

Hon Tjorn Sibma on behalf of Hon Simon O'Brien presented a petition from 22 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to recommend modifications to the *Caravan and Camping Grounds Regulations 1997*. (Tabled Paper 175).

### 3. Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

#### Leader of the House

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### 4. Veterinary Practice Bill 2021

The Minister for Agriculture and Food: To move on the next day of sitting —

That a Bill for “An Act —

- to provide for the regulation of the practice of veterinary medicine in Western Australia; and
- to facilitate the regulation of the practice of veterinary medicine on a national basis; and
- to repeal the *Veterinary Surgeons Act 1960* and the *Veterinary Surgeons Regulations 1979*; and
- to make consequential amendments to various Acts; and
- for related purposes.”

be introduced and read a first time.

### 5. Address-In-Reply

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

Hon Martin Aldridge sought leave to continue his remarks at a later stage of this day's sitting. Leave granted.

### 6. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Electoral Affairs tabled documents the *curriculum vitae's* of members of the Ministerial Expert Committee on Electoral Affairs, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Martin Aldridge. (Tabled Paper 176).

The Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to the current median wait times for children in the primary years of schooling to access speech pathology, occupational therapy and physiotherapy, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Donna Faragher.

The Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to the current median wait times in regional areas for children in the primary years of schooling to access speech pathology, occupational therapy and physiotherapy, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Donna Faragher.

### 7. Address-In-Reply

Debate resumed on the Address-in-Reply (*see item 5 above*).

On the motion of Hon Colin de Grussa the debate was adjourned to the next sitting.

### 8. Ministerial Statement — Committee Membership

The Leader of the House, by leave, made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the proposed membership of the Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations and the Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review.

**9. COVID-19 Response Legislation Amendment (Extension of Expiring Provisions) Bill 2021**

The President reported the receipt of Message No. 1 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

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

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for Emergency Services tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 177).

Debate stands adjourned.

**10. Order of Business**

Ordered — That Members' Statements be taken forthwith. (Leader of the House).

**11. Members' Statements**

Statements were taken.

Hon Robin Chapple tabled notes in relation to Aboriginal trusts, pursuant to Standing Order 59. (Tabled Paper 178).

**12. Adjournment**

The Council adjourned at 9.05pm until Wednesday, 12 May 2021 at 1.00pm.

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

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Simon O'Brien and Hon Charles Smith.

**NIGEL PRATT**

Clerk of the Legislative Council

**HON KATE DOUST MLC**

President of the Legislative Council