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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 171

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

WEDNESDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 2011

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 12.00 noon pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Petition

Household fees and charges – Mr C.J. Tallentire presented a petition from 17 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly voice the case for, and give relief to, householders dealing with recent increases in fees and charges (P. 475).

3. Papers

The following papers were presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Speaker –

Auditor General, Office of the – Ensuring Compliance with Conditions on Mining, Report 8: September 2011 (3977)

Corruption and Crime Commission of Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3978)

Information Commissioner, Office of the – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3979)

Legislative Council, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3980)

Parliamentary Commissioner for Administrative Investigations [Ombudsman] – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4041)

By the Clerk –

Aqwest – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3981)

Broome Port Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3982)

Building and Construction Industry Training Board – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3983)

Bunbury Port Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3984)

Coal Miners' Welfare Board – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3985)

Coastal Shipping Commission, Western Australian – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3986)

Commerce, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3987)

Commissioner for Children and Young People – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3988)

Corruption and Crime Commission, Surveillance Devices Act 1998 – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3989)

Corruption and Crime Commission, Telecommunications (Interception and Access) Act 1979 – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3990)

Country High School Hostels Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3991)

Country Housing Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3992)

Criminal Injuries Compensation, Office of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3993)

Curriculum Council – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3994)

Economic Regulation Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3995)

Education, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3996)

Education Services, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3997)

Energy, Office of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3998)

Environment and Conservation, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (3999)

Environmental Protection Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4000)

Equal Opportunity in Public Employment, Director of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4001)

Fire and Emergency Services Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4002)

Forest Products Commission – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4003)

Fremantle Port Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4004)

Geraldton Port Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4005)

Gold Corporation – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4006)

Governor's Establishment – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4007)

Housing Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4008)

Housing, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4009)

Indigenous Affairs, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4010)

Insurance Commission of Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4011)

Legal Aid Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4012)

Lotterywest – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4013)

Main Roads Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4014)

Midland Redevelopment Act 1999 – Ministerial Approval for Endorsement of Deposited Plan 70650 – SU0013 Lot 9502, 9503 and 9011 Yelverton Drive and Lot 9504 Centennial Place (4015)

Police, Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4016)

Port Hedland Port Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4017)

Premier and Cabinet, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4018)

Professional Combat Sports Commission – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4019)

Public Advocate, Office of the – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4020)

Public Education Endowment Trust – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4021)

Public Sector Commission – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4022)

Public Transport Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4023)

Public Trustee – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4024)

Queen Elizabeth II Medical Centre Trust – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4025)

Regional Development and Lands, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4026)

Rottnest Island Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4027)

Rural Business Development Corporation – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4028)

Small Business Development Corporation – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4029)

State Development, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4030)

State Government Insurance Corporation – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4031)

State Supply Commission – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4032)

State Training Board – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4033)
 Swan River Trust – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4034)
 Training Accreditation Council – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4035)
 Training and Workforce Development, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4036)
 Transport, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4037)
 Treasury Corporation of Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4038)
 Water, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4039)
 Western Australian Energy Disputes Arbitrator – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4040)

4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Emergency Services on the revised and updated ‘Prepare. Act. Survive.’ bushfire safety publication.

Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Minister for Emergency Services –

Emergency Services, Minister for – *Prepare. Act. Survive. Your Guide to Preparing for and Surviving the Bushfire Season* (4042).

The Minister for Agriculture and Food on the use of funding provided through the State Government’s Natural Resource Management Program.

The Minister for Environment on the Prescribed Burning Program in the Nullarbor Plain.

5. Inspector of Custodial Services Amendment Bill 2011

The Minister for Corrective Services, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Inspector of Custodial Services Act 2003*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Minister for Corrective Services presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Minister for Corrective Services moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr M. McGowan moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

6. Liquor Control Amendment Bill 2011

Dr J.M. Woollard, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Liquor Control Act 1988*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

Dr J.M. Woollard presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

Ordered, That the second reading of the bill be made an Order of the Day for a later stage of the sitting.

7. Notice of Motion Postponed

Ordered, That Government Business Notice of Motion No. 1 be postponed to the next sitting of the Assembly.

8. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Orders of the Day Nos 1, 4 and 2 be next considered.

9. Fish Resources Management Amendment Bill 2011

The Order of the Day for the third reading of the bill having been read, the Minister for Environment moved, That the bill be now read a third time.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time and passed.

10. Premier's Statement

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the question, That the Premier's Statement be noted, was read.

Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Mr T.G. Stephens speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

11. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 6218 to 6248 were asked.

12. Additional Information

The Minister for Corrective Services provided additional information relating to Question without Notice No. 647 from Mr F.M. Logan.

13. Community Development and Justice Standing Committee – Changes to Terms of Reference and Reporting Date

The Speaker advised members that he had received a letter from the Chair of the Community Development and Justice Standing Committee advising that the Committee resolved on 28 September 2011 to amend its terms of reference for its examination of the State's preparedness for this year's coming fire season by examining three additional witnesses.

The Committee will now report to the House by 24 November 2011.

14. Additional Information

The Minister for Road Safety provided additional information relating to Question without Notice No. 642 from Ms M.M. Quirk.

15. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Order of the Day No. 2 be next considered.

16. Criminal Investigation (Covert Powers) Bill 2011

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bill was read.

Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Mr J.R. Quigley speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

17. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Private Members' Business Order of the Day for the second reading of the Liquor Control Amendment Bill 2011, Private Members' Business Notice of Motion No. 8 and Private Members' Business Order of the Day No. 10 be next considered.

18. Liquor Control Amendment Bill 2011

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the bill was read.

Dr J.M. Woollard moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr D.A. Templeman moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

19. Minister for Education – North Mandurah Primary School

Mr D.A. Templeman, pursuant to notice, moved,

That this House condemns the Minister for Education for her failures in relation to the North Mandurah Primary School and its loss of 17 permanent teaching positions and calls on her to immediately address this issue and other failures in her Education portfolio including the downgrading of a number of regional/district offices.

Debate ensued.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Mr P. Abetz speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

20. Papers

The following Papers were presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Clerk –

Albany Port Authority – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4043)

Communities, Department for – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4044)

Country Health Service, Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4045)

Director of Public Prosecutions, Office of the – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4046)

Equal Opportunity Commission – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4047)

Financial Management Act 2006 – Notice Under Section 65 of the Act from the Minister for Health, advising that the Metropolitan Health Service Annual Report 2010–2011 will not be Tabled Within the Prescribed Period (4048)

Fire and Emergency Services Superannuation Board – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4049)

Government Employees Superannuation Board – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4050)

Health, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4051)

Healthway – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4052)

Law Reform Commission – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4053)

Legal Costs Committee – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4054)

Local Government, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4055)

Local Health Authorities Analytical Committee – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4056)

Lotterywest – Statement of Corporate Intent 2011–2012 (4057)

Professional Standards Council – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4058)

Professional Standards Council – Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 June 2011 (4059)

State of the Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Report – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4060)

Tourism Western Australia – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4061)

Treasury and Finance, Department of – Annual Report 2010–2011 (4062)

Water Corporation – Statement of Corporate Intent 2011–2012 (4063)

21. Adjournment

The Leader of the House moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 7.01 p.m. until Thursday, 29 September 2011 at 9.00 a.m.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mrs L.M. Harvey, Mrs C.A. Martin and Mr C.C. Porter.

PETER J. McHUGH

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. GRANT WOODHAMS

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly