

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
THURSDAY, 22 MARCH 2007

11.00am

Prayers

11.00AM - ORDER OF BUSINESS

Petitions

Statements by Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries

(Minister for Local Government)

Papers for Tabling

(Leader of the House)

(Minister for Regional Development)

(Hon Ray Halligan) x2

(Hon Barry House)

Notice of Questions

Notices of Motions for Disallowance

Notices of Motions to Introduce Bills

(Hon Paul Llewellyn)

Notices of Motions

Motions without Notice

11.00am Motions on Notice

12.00pm Consideration of Committee Reports

2.00pm Orders of the Day

4.00pm Questions without Notice

4.30pm Orders of the Day (continued)

5.00pm House adjourns

MOTIONS

46. Home Ownership Affordability (*Notice given 12 September 2006*)

Continuation of remarks Hon Louise Pratt (Wednesday, 21 March 2007) on the motion of Hon Ray Halligan as follows -

That this House condemns the Government for the undue anxiety created for the many first home buyers through its inability in a timely manner to -

- (1) Help reduce the cost pressures on residential land.
- (2) Help reduce the supply and cost pressures associated with skilled labour.
- (3) Meet its election commitments to -
 - (a) address housing affordability;
 - (b) increase social housing stock; and
 - (c) encourage and enable home ownership.

47. Building Industry Sustainability Index (*Notice given 12 September 2006*)

Hon Ray Halligan: To move -

That this House insists that, before the Building Industry Sustainability Index known as BASIX is considered for introduction as a regulatory regime in Western Australia, the Government -

- (1) Listens to the housing industry in Western Australia.
- (2) Provides an audited cost-benefit analysis of the proposed regime.
- (3) Includes in that analysis the additional costs to taxpayers to administer the scheme.
- (4) Identifies other regimes that have been examined and why BASIX is preferred.
- (5) Explains why it wishes to add to the financial burden already being experienced by first-home buyers.

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CONSIDERATION OF COMMITTEE REPORTS

- 271. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 10 - Interim Report on Amendments to the Corruption and Crime Commission Act 2003 - Committee Report** (*Tabled 22 June 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1626.*

- 287. Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation - Report No. 18 - Agriculture Produce (Egg Production Industry) Regulations 2006 - Committee Report** (*Tabled 24 August 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1781.*

- 288. Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs - Report No. 5 - Overview of Petitions - Committee Report** (*Tabled 24 August 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1782.*

- 289. Select Committee on the Adequacy of Foster Care Assessment Procedures by the Department for Community Development - Committee Report** (*Tabled 24 August 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1783.*

- 293. Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations - Report No. 4 - Budget Estimates 2005/06 - Committee Report** (*Tabled 29 August 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1801.*

- 294. Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations - Report No. 5 - Hearings in Relation to Budget Estimates 2006/07 - Committee Report** (*Tabled 29 August 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1802.*

- 296. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 11 - Public Hearing Examining Outreach Programmes of the Corruption and Crime Commission - Committee Report** (*Tabled 31 August 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1828.*

- 303. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission - Report No. 12 - Annual Report 2005-2006 - Committee Report** (*Tabled 21 September 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1904.*

- 304. Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation - Report No. 19 - Oaths, Affidavits and Statutory Declarations (Act Amendment) Regulations 2006 - Committee Report** (*Tabled 21 September 2006*)

Consideration. *See Tabled paper No. 1905.*

ORDERS OF THE DAY

342. Racing and Wagering Legislation Amendment Bill 2006 [LA 167-1]
Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading adjourned (Wednesday, 22 November 2006).

341. Racing and Wagering Western Australia Tax Amendment Bill 2006
[LA 168-1] Minister for Education and Training

Second reading adjourned (Wednesday, 22 November 2006).

***121. Parental Support and Responsibility Bill 2005 [LA 041-1]** *Minister for Child Protection*

Committee (Tuesday, 5 December 2006). *See Standing Committee on Legislation Report No. 5 (Tabled 2 November 2006). cf SNP 41 Issue 5 - 20 March 2007.*

356. Road Traffic Amendment Bill 2006 [LA 177-1] *Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure*

Second reading adjourned (Tuesday, 5 December 2006).

354. Road Traffic Amendment (Drugs) Bill 2006 [LA 171-1] *Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure*

Second reading adjourned (Tuesday, 5 December 2006).

***362. Acts Amendment (Consent to Medical Treatment) Bill 2006 [LA 149-2]**
Minister for Child Protection

Second reading adjourned (Wednesday, 6 December 2006). *cf SNP 149 Issue 1 - 21 March 2007.*

290. Gas and Electricity Safety Legislation Amendment Bill 2006 [LA 030-1C]
Leader of the House

Second reading adjourned (Thursday, 24 August 2006).

***361. Owner-Drivers (Contracts and Disputes) Bill 2006 [LA 176-2]**
Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

Second reading adjourned Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (Tuesday, 20 March 2007). *cf SNP 176 Issue 1 - 20 March 2007.*

* For amendments see Supplementary Notice Paper and/or Committee Report

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