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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL THURSDAY, 20 AUGUST 2020 10.00am

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ORDER OF BUSINESS

Condolence Motions Notification of Royal Assent - Message No. 32 Petitions Hon Alison Xamon Statements by Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries Minister for Agriculture and Food Papers for Tabling President Leader of the House Minister for Environment Hon Matthew Swinbourn Notice of Questions Notices of Motions to Introduce Bills Notices of Motions for Disallowance Notices of Motions Hon Charles Smith Motions without Notice **Non-Government Business** Private Members' Business Orders of the Day 4.30pm Questions without Notice 5.00pm Orders of the Day

- 5.20pm Members' Statements
- 6.00pm House adjourns

The business listed for today's sitting and sequence in which it is to be considered may be altered by the House without notice. To see what is currently being debated in the course of today's sitting please see the electronic Business Program at: www.parliament.wa.gov.au/WebCMS.nsf/content/legislative-council-live-broadcast-lc

NON-GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

1. Social Housing in Western Australia

Hon Colin Tincknell: To move —

That this House acknowledges the shameful policies of the McGowan Government that have led to a tragic rise in the number of homeless Western Australians and a large reduction in the quantity and quality of social housing dwellings available to Western Australians.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

1. United Nations Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons

Hon Matthew Swinbourn: To move —

That this House notes the 75th anniversaries of the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki was observed on 6 and 9 August 2020, respectively and further notes —

- (a) that the coronavirus pandemic starkly demonstrates the urgent need for greater international cooperation to address all major threats to the health and welfare of humankind, including the paramount threat of nuclear war;
- (b) that close to 14,000 nuclear weapons are held between 9 nations, presenting an unacceptable risk to humanity;
- the concerning trend in weakening or undermining arms control agreements by nuclear-armed states including: the Iran deal; the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty; and the Open Skies Treaty;
- (d) the substantial progress towards entry-into-force of the 2017 UN Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (TPNW), which will comprehensively outlaw nuclear weapons and provide a pathway to elimination; and
- (e) that Australia work towards signing and ratifying the TPNW, in line with our international obligations to pursue the elimination of these illegitimate weapons of mass destruction.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

33. *COVID-19 Response and Economic Recovery Omnibus Bill 2020 [LA 199–1] Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning

Second reading continuation of remarks Hon Dr Steve Thomas — 43 mins (Wednesday, 19 August 2020).

cf SNP 199 Issue 2 – 19 August 2020.

26. *Environmental Protection Amendment Bill 2020 [LA 181–1] Minister for Environment Second reading resumption of debate adjourned Hon Pierre Yang (Tuesday, 11 August 2020). Cognate debate with Environmental Protection Amendment Bill (No. 2) 2020. cf SNP 181 Issue 4 – 11 August 2020.

25. *Environmental Protection Amendment Bill (No. 2) 2020 [LA 182–2] Minister for Environment Second reading resumption of debate adjourned Hon Pierre Yang (Tuesday, 11 August 2020). Cognate debate with Environmental Protection Amendment Bill 2020.

cf SNP 182 Issue 1 – 11 August 2020.

32. <u>Electoral Amendment Bill 2020</u> [LA 100–1B] Minister for Electoral Affairs Second reading adjourned (Thursday, 13 August 2020).

30. *<u>Work Health and Safety Bill 2019</u> [LA 155–1] Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Industrial Relations

Second reading adjourned (Thursday, 20 February 2020).

See Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review Report No. 126 (Tabled 12 May 2020).

See Standing Committee on Legislation Report No. 43 (Tabled 11 August 2020).

24. *<u>Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2019</u> [LA 156–1] Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Industrial Relations

Second reading adjourned (Thursday, 20 February 2020).

See Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review Report No. 126 (Tabled 12 May 2020).

27. *Criminal Law (Unlawful Consorting) Bill 2020 [LA 161–2] Leader of the House representing the Attorney General

Second reading adjourned (Tuesday, 23 June 2020).

cf SNP 161 Issue 2 – 11 August 2020.

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

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Clerk of the Legislative Council