

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 216

TUESDAY, 15 SEPTEMBER 2020

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. Message from His Excellency the Governor — Assent to Bill

The President reported the receipt of a Message from His Excellency the Governor assenting to the following Bill —

11 September 2020 — Message No. 35	Act No.
COVID-19 Response and Economic Recovery Omnibus Bill 2020	No. 34 of 2020

3. Ministerial Statement — Temporary Extension of the Lotteries Commission Amendment (COVID-19 Response) Act 2020

The Leader of the House representing the Premier made a Ministerial Statement with respect to a temporary extension, to 15 March 2021, of the *Lotteries Commission Amendment (COVID-19 Response) Act 2020*.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier tabled the Notice of Extension Declaration pursuant to Section 3B of the *Lotteries Commission Amendment (COVID-19 Response) Act 2020*. (Tabled Paper 4191).

4. Ministerial Statement — Inquiry into Working Holiday Maker Program

The Minister for Agriculture and Food made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the Federal Parliament's Joint Standing Committee on Migration's interim report from its inquiry into the Working Holiday Maker Program.

5. Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

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6. Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review — Report 129 — Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Bill 2020 and Legal Profession Uniform Law Application (Levy) Bill 2020

Hon Michael Mischin presented Report 129 of the Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review, *Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Bill 2020 and Legal Profession Uniform Law Application (Levy) Bill 2020*. (Tabled Paper 4204).

7. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, *Local Government (Rules of Conduct) Amendment Regulations 2020 — Disallowance*, 2, *Local Government (Rules of Conduct) Amendment Regulations 2020 — Disallowance*, and 3, *Local Government (Rules of Conduct) Amendment Regulations 2020 — Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 38, *Children and Community Services Amendment Bill 2019*. (Leader of the House).

8. Cognate Debate — Work Health and Safety Bill 2019 and Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2019

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Industrial Relations sought leave of the Council to debate Order of the Day 33, *Work Health and Safety Bill 2019*, and Order of the Day 27, *Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2019*, cognately [SO 127].

Leave granted.

9. Work Health and Safety Bill 2019 and Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2019

The Orders of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the second reading of these Bills cognately.

Debate ensued.

10. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Minister for Education and Training tabled documents in relation to the Minister's visit to the South Metropolitan region on 30 June 2020, in response to question on notice 3032 asked by Hon Nick Goiran. (Tabled Paper 4205).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport tabled information in relation to the regional town bus service in Bunbury during 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20, in response to question on notice 3018 asked by Hon Colin Holt. (Tabled Paper 4206).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport tabled information in relation to the regional town bus service in Busselton during 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20, in response to question on notice 3019 asked by Hon Colin Holt. (Tabled Paper 4207).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport tabled information in relation to the regional town bus service in Collie during 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20, in response to question on notice 3020 asked by Hon Colin Holt. (Tabled Paper 4208).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport tabled information in relation to the regional town bus service in Geraldton during 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20, in response to question on notice 3021 asked by Hon Colin Holt. (Tabled Paper 4209).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport tabled information in relation to the regional town bus service in Kalgoorlie during 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20, in response to question on notice 3022 asked by Hon Colin Holt. (Tabled Paper 4210).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport tabled information in relation to the regional town bus service in Albany during 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20, in response to question on notice 3067 asked by Hon Colin Holt. (Tabled Paper 4211).

The Minister for Environment tabled documents in relation to additions proposed to formal reserves in the *Forest Management Plan 2014-2023*, in response to question on notice 3062 asked by Hon Diane Evers. (Tabled Paper 4212).

The Minister for Environment tabled documents in relation to the *Conservation and Land Management Amendment Bill 2020* consultation details with traditional owner groups, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Tjorn Sibma. (Tabled Paper 4213).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to how many homes the McGowan Government procured for immediate social housing and affordable rental housing use since March 2020, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Tim Clifford.

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to the trial permission made in 2016 for Alcoa Australia to export bauxite for a trial period of 5 years, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Colin Holt.

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum tabled documents in relation to the Alcoa bauxite mining and processing areas, in response to question on notice 3028 asked by Hon Robin Chapple. (Tabled Paper 4214).

11. Work Health and Safety Bill 2019 and Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2019

Cognate debate resumed on the second reading of these Bills (*see item 9 above*).

On the motion of the Leader of the House the debate was adjourned to the next sitting.

12. Road Traffic Amendment (Immobilisation, Towing and Detention of Vehicles) Bill 2020

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the second reading of this Bill.

Debate ensued.

Interruption pursuant to order.

13. Members' Statements

Statements were taken.

14. Health Services Amendment Bill 2019

The President reported the receipt of Message No. 220 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 4215).

Debate stands adjourned.

15. Swan Valley Planning Bill 2020

The President reported the receipt of Message No. 221 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 4216).

Debate stands adjourned.

16. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 10.19pm until Wednesday, 16 September 2020 at 1.00pm.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Jacqui Boydell and Hon Matthew Swinbourn.

NIGEL PRATT
Clerk of the Legislative Council

HON KATE DOUST MLC
President of the Legislative Council