

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 78

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-FIRST PARLIAMENT

WEDNESDAY, 22 JUNE 2022

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 12.00 noon pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

An Acknowledgement of Country and Prayers were read.

2. Papers

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

By the Clerk –

Auditor General, Office of the – Forensic Audit – Construction Training Fund, Report No. 19, 22 June 2022 (1223).

Auditor General, Office of the – Fraud Risk Management – Better Practice Guide, Report No. 20, 22 June 2022 (1224).

Planning and Development Act 2005 – Direction to the State Administrative Tribunal to refer application (DR 95 of 2022) for review in accordance with section 246(2)(a) of the Act (1225).

3. Notices of Motion

4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Sport and Recreation on the Government response to the Sports Integrity Australia review of the Women's Artistic Gymnastics Program.

The Minister for Energy on the Distributed Energy Resources Roadmap progress report.

The Minister for Transport on the Dongara–Geraldton–Northampton route alignment.

The Attorney General provided a formal apology to Tamica and Ted Mullaley for their treatment following ‘a sustained and vicious attack’ on Tamica and the murder of her baby Charlie. (*Participated remotely*)

The Minister for Police on the reforms to policing following a meeting with the Mullaley Family.

The Minister for Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence on the Mullaley family incident.

The Minister for Environment on the Containers For Change new initiative – Container Exchange Points.

5. Owner-Drivers (Contracts and Disputes) Amendment Bill 2022

The Minister for Transport, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Owner-Drivers (Contracts and Disputes) Act 2007*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

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

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

Mr P.J. Rundle moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

6. Casino Legislation Amendment (Burswood Casino) Bill 2022

The Minister for Racing and Gaming, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend –

- the *Casino Control Act 1984*; and
- the *Gaming and Wagering Commission Act 1987*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Minister for Racing and Gaming presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Minister for Racing and Gaming moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr P.J. Rundle moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

7. Bush Fires Amendment Bill 2022

The Minister for Environment, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Bush Fires Act 1954*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

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

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

Mr P.J. Rundle moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

8. Family Court Amendment Bill 2022

The Order of the Day for the consideration in detail of the bill was read.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 1 to 39 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded.

Leave was granted to proceed forthwith to the third reading of the bill.

The Minister for Finance moved, That the bill be now read a third time.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time and forwarded to the Legislative Council for concurrence.

9. Health Services Amendment Bill 2021

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 (Ms C.M. Tonkin speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

10. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 532 to 540 were asked.

Question on Notice No. 458 was answered.

11. Personal Explanation

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum made a personal explanation related to a query raised by the member for Moore, during consideration in detail of the Mining Amendment Bill 2021.

12. Procedure and Privileges Committee

Mr S.J. Price, as Deputy Speaker, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Procedure and Privileges Committee – Report No. 4: Amended Sitting Schedule for the Legislative Assembly (1226).

Dr D.J. Honey and Mr P.J. Rundle spoke on the report.

13. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That consideration of Government Business Order of the Day No. 2 be resumed.

14. Health Services Amendment Bill 2021

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 (Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

15. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Private Members' Business Order of the Day No. 9 be next considered.

16. McGowan Government Transparency

Ms M.J. Davies, pursuant to notice, moved,

That this House notes the Office of the Auditor General's findings of persistent transparency failures by the McGowan Labor Government, including reporting of progress of major projects, and calls on the Premier to deliver on his promise of "gold standard transparency".

Debate ensued.

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

17. Notice of Motion after the Time Prescribed

The Leader of the House was granted leave to give a late notice of motion.

18. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 7.01 pm until Thursday, 23 June 2022 at 9.00 am.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr G. Baker, Ms H.M. Beazley, Mrs R.M.J. Clarke, Mr R.H. Cook, Ms K.E. Giddens, Ms J.L. Hanns, Mr J.R. Quigley and Mr P.C. Tinley.

Members who participated remotely – Mr J.R. Quigley.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. MICHELLE H. ROBERTS
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly