

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
THURSDAY, APRIL 18 2002

10.00am

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Prayers

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

Petitions

Statements by Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries

Papers For Tabling

(Minister for Housing and Works on behalf of Leader of the House)

Notices of Questions

Notices of Motions for Disallowance

Notices of Motions to Introduce Bills

Notices of Motions

Questions without Notice (4.00pm)

Motions without Notice

**Motions**

**26. Select Committee into Aboriginal Health Services in Western Australia - Appointment** (*Notice given December 18 2001*)

Resumption of debate in reply Hon Derrick Tomlinson (Thursday, April 11) on motion as follows -

That a Select Committee of three Members be appointed to enquire into and report on -

- (1) The funding, management and provision of primary health services by the following Aboriginal Health Services in Western Australia -
- Bega Garnbirringu Health Service;
  - Carnarvon Aboriginal Medical Service;
  - Derbarl Yerrigan Health Service;
  - East Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Service;
  - Geraldton Regional Aboriginal Medical Service;
  - Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Service Council;
  - Mawarnkarra Health Service;
  - Ngaanyatjarra Health Service;
  - Ngangganawili Aboriginal Health Service;
  - Nindilingarri Aboriginal Health Service;

- Puntunkurnu Aboriginal Medical Service;
  - South West Aboriginal Medical Service; and
  - Wirraka Maya Aboriginal Health Service.
- (2) In particular, the Committee is to enquire into and report upon -
- (a) the organisational and contractual relationships between the Aboriginal Health Services and the Department of Health;
  - (b) the adequacy of core funding provided from Commonwealth and State sources for primary health services currently being delivered and required to meet future community needs;
  - (c) the effectiveness of the primary health services currently being delivered;
  - (d) whether there is duplication, overlap or unmet need in the delivery of primary health services;
  - (e) future directions for the delivery of primary health services to Aboriginal communities; and
  - (f) any further matters relating to Aboriginal Health Services arising from the inquiry.
- (3) The Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records and to travel from place to place.
- (4) The Committee report to the House not later than September 26 2002 and if the House do then stand adjourned, the Committee to deliver its report to the President who shall cause the same to be printed by authority of this Order.

**27. Government's Pre-Election Claims on the Public Health System** (*Notice given December 18 2001*)

Resumption of introductory remarks of Hon Simon O'Brien (Wednesday, April 17 2002) in moving the following motion -

That this House:

Recalls the Labor Party's pre-election claims that it "understood the public health system" and "would fix the health system" and calls on the Government to explain:

- (a) Why the States health system is under more pressure now than it was in February 2001, especially in relation to staffing;
- (b) Why it has cut back rural health services;
- (c) Why the Minister for Health will not support an MRI scanner for the Southern Metropolitan Area;
- (d) The failure to obtain a PET scanner;
- (e) Why it has halved funding for the Central Waitlist Bureau;
- (f) Why it has sacked country hospital boards;
- (g) The inadequacy of emergency services to outer suburban areas, and
- (h) The inadequacy of funding for health services generally.

The business listed for today's sitting and sequence in which it is to be considered may be altered by the House without notice. Members and other persons are advised to check the status of an item in which they have an interest in the course of today's sitting. Electronic version available on the Parliament's Internet site at [www.parliament.wa.gov.au](http://www.parliament.wa.gov.au).

## Orders of the Day

### 84. Consideration of Committee Reports

(1) Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs - Report No. 1 - Overview of Petitions and Inquiries August 2001 – December 2001. (*Tabled March 14 2002*)

Resumption of debate in committee (Thursday, April 11 2002)

### 171. Labour Relations Reform Bill 2002 [LA 100-2] Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading interruption of debate (SO 61(b)) Hon Bill Stretch (mins 26) (Wednesday, April 17 2002).

### \*182. Criminal Investigation (Identifying People) Bill 2001 [LA 64-2] Minister for Racing and Gaming

Consideration in committee of Legislative Assembly Message 86.

### 147. Road Safety Council Bill 2001 [LA 77-1] Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading continuation of remarks Hon Bruce Donaldson (mins 31) (Thursday, April 11 2002).

### 145. Machinery of Government (Planning and Infrastructure) Amendment Bill 2001 [LA 76 -1] Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

Second reading adjourned Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (Thursday, March 21 2002).

\* For amendments see Supplementary Notice Paper #

For full text see Supplementary Notice Paper for other business before the House.

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Clerk of the Legislative Council