

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

No. 222

THURSDAY, 8 OCTOBER 2020

1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 1.15pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Kate Doust, took the Chair.

Prayers and an Acknowledgement of Country were read.

2. Petition

Hon Jacqui Boydell, on behalf of Hon Colin Holt, presented a petition from 213 petitioners requesting the Legislative Council to recommend that the State Government reject Alcoa's proposed expansion of the Huntly Mine and the increase in production at the Pinjarra Refinery and bauxite export. (Tabled Paper 4429).

3. Papers

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4. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to school bus service contracts, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Martin Aldridge.

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Forestry tabled the Forest Products Commission's contracts of sale with WA Chip and Pulp Co. Pty Ltd, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Diane Evers. (Tabled Paper 4430).

The Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation tabled documents in relation to the Regional Organisational Fund administered by the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries, in response to question on notice 3145 asked by Hon Colin Holt. (Tabled Paper 4431).

The Minister for Education and Training tabled the *School Response and Planning Guidelines for Students with Suicidal Behaviour and Non-Suicidal Self-Injury*, in response to question on notice 3155 asked by Hon Alison Xamon. (Tabled Paper 4432).

The Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Emergency Services tabled documents in relation to the hours of volunteer brigades with the Department of Fire and Emergency Services, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Colin de Grussa. (Tabled Paper 4433).

The Minister for Environment tabled a list of meetings and correspondence between the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation, the Port Hedland Industries Council and industry in relation to dust monitoring, in response to question on notice 3146 asked by Hon Jacqui Boydell. (Tabled Paper 4434).

5. Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure — Consolidated Account Estimates 2020–2021 — Tabling of Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer

Budget Papers and Related Papers —

2020-21 — Budget Paper No. 1 — Treasurer’s Speech.....	4389A
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The Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer moved, without notice —

That pursuant to Standing Order 69(1) the Legislative Council take note of Tabled Paper 4389A-D (2020–2021 Budget Statements), laid upon the Table of the House on Thursday, 8 October 2020.

On the motion of Hon Ken Baston the debate was adjourned to the next sitting.

6. Order of Business

Ordered — That Members’ Statements be taken forthwith. (Leader of the House).

7. Members’ Statements

Statements were taken.

8. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 2.38pm until Tuesday, 13 October 2020 at 2.00pm.

Members present during the day’s proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Robin Chapple, Hon Nick Goiran, Hon Colin Holt, Hon Robin Scott and Hon Aaron Stonehouse.

NIGEL PRATT
Clerk of the Legislative Council

HON KATE DOUST MLC
President of the Legislative Council