



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

TUESDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2022

2.00pm

1. Meeting of Council

The Council assembled at 2.00pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Alanna Clohesy, 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 —

21 October 2022 — Message No. 27	Act No.
Emergency Management Amendment (Temporary COVID-19 Provisions) Bill 2022	33 of 2022

3. Ministerial Statement — Meet the Buyer — Buy West Eat Best

The Minister for Agriculture and Food made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the Meet the Buyer exhibition showcasing Western Australian food and beverage producers.

4. Papers

The following Papers were laid on the Table by —

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5. Order of Business

Ordered — That Orders of the Day Nos 1, *City of Fremantle Cat Management Amendment Local Law 2022 — Disallowance*, and 2, *City of Joondalup Health Amendment Local Law 2021 — Disallowance*, be taken after Order of the Day No. 3, *Statutes (Repeals and Minor Amendments) Bill 2021*. (Leader of the House).

6. Duties Amendment (Farm-in Agreements) Bill 2022

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

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

The Acting President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Steve Martin in the Chair)

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Finance tabled the Department of Finance Commissioners' Practice DA 54.0 for Farm-in Agreements. (Tabled Paper 1765).

Debate resumed.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 2 to 7 agreed to.

Clause 8.

Debate ensued.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Finance moved, That the Deputy Chair report progress and seek to sit again.

Question — put and passed.

The President resumed the Chair.

The Deputy Chair of Committees reported that the Committee of the Whole House had considered the Bill, made progress, and seeks to sit again.

Ordered — That the Committee of the Whole House sit again.

7. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety; Defence Industry; Veterans Issues, in accordance with Standing Order 108(2), advised that an answer to question on notice 944 asked by Hon Wilson Tucker will be provided by 15 November 2022.

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade tabled documents in relation to costs incurred for Western Australia's eight trade offices between 2020 and 2023, in response to question on notice 903 asked by Hon Martin Aldridge. (Tabled Paper 1766).

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Energy, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to natural gas-fired power stations on the South West Interconnected System, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Brad Pettitt.

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Energy, in accordance with Standing Order 108(2), advised that an answer to question on notice 933 asked by Hon Dr Steve Thomas will be provided by 15 November 2022.

The The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Energy, in accordance with Standing Order 108(2), advised that an answer to question on notice 954 asked by Hon Dr Brad Pettitt will be provided by 15 November 2022.

8. Order of Business

Ordered — That Order of the Day No. 5, *Owner-Drivers (Contracts and Disputes) Amendment Bill 2022*, be taken forthwith. (Leader of the House).

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

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

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

The Deputy President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Martin Aldridge in the Chair)

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.
 Clauses 2 and 3 agreed to.
 Clause 4.
 Debate ensued.
 Clause agreed to.
 Clauses 5 to 9 agreed to.
 Clause 10.
 Debate ensued.
 Clause agreed to.
 Clause 11.
 Debate ensued.
 Clause agreed to.
 Clauses 12 to 15 agreed to.
 Clause 16.
 Debate ensued.
 Clause agreed to.
 Clause 17.
 Debate ensued.
 Clause agreed to.
 Clauses 18 to 32 agreed to.
 Title agreed to.

The Acting President resumed the Chair.

Bill reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts on behalf of the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport moved, That the Bill be read a third time.

The Acting President announced that the Deputy Chair of Committees had certified that this was a true copy of the Bill as agreed to in Committee of the Whole House and reported.

Debate ensued.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a third time and passed.

10. Trans-Tasman Mutual Recognition (Western Australia) Amendment Bill 2022

The President reported the receipt of Message No. 82 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 1767).

Debate stands adjourned and Bill referred to the Standing Committee on Uniform Legislation and Statutes Review [SO 126].

11. Health and Disability Services (Complaints) Amendment Bill 2021

The following Message from the Legislative Assembly was reported —

Honourable President

Message No. 83

The Legislative Assembly acquaints the Legislative Council that it has agreed to the amendments made by the Legislative Council in the Health and Disability Services Amendment Bill 2021

Mr D.A.E. Scaife

Acting Speaker

Legislative Assembly Chamber

Perth, 25 October 2022

12. Order of Business

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

13. Adjournment

There being no Members' Statements, the Council adjourned at 9.42pm until Wednesday, 26 October 2022 at 1.00pm.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Colin de Grussa, Hon James Hayward (*suspended*), Hon Tjorn Sibma and Hon Dr Sally Talbot.

SAM HASTINGS

Clerk of the Legislative Council

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President of the Legislative Council