

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 44

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

TUESDAY, 28 NOVEMBER 2017

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 2.00 pm pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Premier on the 16 Days in WA to Stop Violence Against Women campaign.

The Minister for Science on the Governor of Western Australia's School Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Awards.

The Minister for Child Protection on the Statutory Review of the *Children and Community Services Act 2004*.

Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Minister for Child Protection –

Communities, Department of – Statutory Review of the *Children and Community Services Act 2004*, November 2017 (991).

3. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 2127, 2188, 2203, 2211, 2239, 2256, 2273, 2290 and 2307 were answered.

Paper tabled by the Minister for Housing; Veterans Issues; Youth –

Question on Notice No. 2188 – Breakdown of joint venture housing development projects within the Asset Investment Program 2017–2018 (989).

Paper tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development; Jobs and Trade –

Question on Notice No. 2203 – Breakdown of every project funded under Local Projects, Local Jobs by electorate under the Minister’s portfolio of responsibilities (990).

4. Petitions

Canal Rocks Boat Ramp – Ms L. Mettam presented a petition from 3,694 persons requesting support to ensure that this vital facility remains open (P. 34).

Muzzling of Companion Greyhounds – Ms L.L. Baker presented a petition from 1,814 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly recommend the Government follow the lead of the ACT Government and repeal the breed specific legislation that requires companion greyhounds to be muzzled in WA (P. 35).

Community Resource Centres – Petitions requesting that the Legislative Assembly call upon the Premier Mark McGowan to ensure adequate funding to support the ongoing operation of all Community Resource Centres, without reducing service delivery were presented by –

Ms M.J. Davies from 164 persons (P. 36);

Mr P.J. Rundle from 72 persons (P. 37); and

Mr R.S. Love from 592 persons (P. 38).

5. Messages from the Governor

Messages from Her Excellency the Governor were reported recommending that appropriations be made for the purposes of the following bills –

Heritage Bill 2017 (Message No. 23).

Civil Liability Legislation Amendment (Child Sexual Abuse Actions) Bill 2017 (Message No. 24).

6. Papers

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

By the Clerk –

Architects Board of Western Australia – Annual Report 2016–2017 (976).

Biosecurity Council of Western Australia – Annual Report 2016–2017 (977).

Dog Act 1976 – Local Laws (Shire of Mundaring Dogs Local Law 2017 G.G. 21/11/2017) (978).

Domestic Violence Orders (National Recognition) Act 2017 – Regulations (Domestic Violence Orders (National Recognition) Regulations 2017 G.G. 24/11/2017) (979).

Fair Trading Act 2010 – Notices (Consumer Goods (Elastic luggage straps) Safety Standard 2017 G.G. 24/11/2017) (980).

Magistrates Court (Civil Proceedings) Act 2004 – Rules (Magistrates Court (Civil Proceedings) Amendment Rules (No. 2) 2017 G.G. 24/11/2017) (981).

Mental Health Tribunal – Annual Report 2016–2017 (982).

Mining Act 1978 – Regulations (Mining Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2017 G.G. 24/11/2017) (983).

Restraining Orders Act 1997 – Regulations (Restraining Orders Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2017 G.G. 24/11/2017) (984).

School Curriculum and Standards Authority Act 1997 – Regulations (School Curriculum and Standards Authority Amendment Regulations 2017 G.G. 24/11/2017) (985).

State Emergency Management Committee – Emergency Preparedness Report 2017 (986).

Transfer of Land Act 1893 – Regulations (Transfer of Land Amendment Regulations 2017 G.G. 24/11/2017) (987).

Western Power – Statement of Corporate Intent 2017–2018 (988).

7. Notices of Motion

8. Matter of Public Interest – First Year of the McGowan Government

The Speaker informed the Assembly that he was in receipt of a notice from Dr M.D. Nahan that he intended to move a motion on a matter of public interest.

At least five members having risen in support,

Dr M.D. Nahan moved,

That this House expresses concern over the failures of the McGowan Government in its first parliamentary year, including cuts to frontline services, massive increases to the cost of living, broken promises and a lack of accountability and transparency.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (15)

Mr C.J. Barnett
Mr I.C. Blayney
Ms M.J. Davies
Mrs L.M. Harvey
Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup

Mr A. Krsticevic
Mr S.K. L'Estrange
Mr R.S. Love
Mr W.R. Marmion
Mr J.E. McGrath

Dr M.D. Nahan
Mr D.C. Nalder
Mr K. O'Donnell
Mr P.J. Rundle
Ms L. Mettam (*Teller*)

Noes (36)

Ms L.L. Baker
Dr A.D. Buti
Mr J.N. Carey
Mrs R.M.J. Clarke
Mr R.H. Cook
Mr M.J. Folkard
Ms J.M. Freeman
Ms E. Hamilton
Mr T.J. Healy
Mr M. Hughes
Mr W.J. Johnston
Mr D.J. Kelly

Mr F.M. Logan
Mr M. McGowan
Ms S.F. McGurk
Mr S.A. Millman
Mr Y. Mubarakai
Mr M.P. Murray
Mrs L.M. O'Malley
Mr P. Papalia
Mr S.J. Price
Mr J.R. Quigley
Ms M.M. Quirk
Mrs M.H. Roberts

Ms C.M. Rowe
Ms R. Saffioti
Ms A. Sanderson
Ms J.J. Shaw
Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski
Mr C.J. Tallentire
Mr D.A. Templeman
Mr P.C. Tinley
Mr R.R. Whitby
Ms S.E. Winton
Mr B.S. Wyatt
Mr D.R. Michael (*Teller*)

Question thus negatived.

9. Civil Liability Legislation Amendment (Child Sexual Abuse Actions) Bill 2017

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bill was read.

Urgent Bill

The Attorney General moved, That the Civil Liability Legislation Amendment (Child Sexual Abuse Actions) Bill 2017 be considered an urgent bill.

Question put and passed.

Debate resumed.

The Leader of the House moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

10. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Order of the Day No. 5 be next considered.

11. Appropriation (Recurrent 2010–11 to 2015–16) Supplementary Bill 2017 Appropriation (Capital 2010–11 to 2015–16) Supplementary Bill 2017

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bills was read.

Debate resumed.

The Leader of the House moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

12. Messages from the Legislative Council

Messages from the Legislative Council were reported returning the following bills without amendment –
28 November 2017

Iron Ore (Channar Joint Venture) (Hamersley Range) Agreements Amendment Bill 2017
(Message No. 20).

Mineral Sands (Cooljarloo) Mining and Processing Agreement Amendment Bill 2017 (Message
No. 21).

Railway (BBI Rail Aus Pty Ltd) Agreement Bill 2017 (Message No. 22).

13. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 10.26 pm until Wednesday, 29 November 2017 at 12 noon.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Ms J. Farrer,
Mr P.A. Katsambanis, Mr K.J.J. Michel, Mr D.T. Redman and Mr B. Urban.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. PETER WATSON
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly