

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 166

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

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THURSDAY, 31 OCTOBER 2019

### 1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 9.00 am pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

An Acknowledgement of Country and Prayers were read.

### 2. Petition

Cottesloe Beach – Dr D.J. Honey presented a petition from 720 people asking the Legislative Assembly to ensure that the regulations for the Strata Titles Amendment Act 2018 empower the State Administrative Tribunal to consider Amberjacks Fish and Chips staying on Cottesloe Beach beyond 2020 (P. 159).

### 3. Papers

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

By the Clerk –

Chemistry Centre (WA) Act 2007 – Review of the Act (2984).

Racing and Wagering Western Australia – Annual Report 2018–2019 (2985).

Western Australian Greyhound Association – Annual Report 2018–2019 (2986).

### 4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Emergency Services on the Department of Fire and Emergency Services campaign, ‘Get Behind the Frontline’.

The Minister for Community Services on the Food Relief Framework Report 2019.

### 5. Statement by the Leader of the Opposition

Mrs L.M. Harvey, with the indulgence of the House, made a statement on the retirement of Mr J.E. McGrath in 2021.

## 6. Grievances

The Speaker called for grievances which were then made.

## 7. Suspension of Standing Orders

Mrs L.M. Harvey, without notice, moved, That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as is necessary to enable the following motion to be moved forthwith –

That this House calls on the Minister for Child Protection to resign for her maladministration of her important portfolios and the Department of Communities, placing vulnerable children at an unacceptable and completely avoidable risk of attack by known sex offenders.

The Leader of the House moved, To add to the motion –

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, subject to the debate being limited to 20 minutes for government members and 20 minutes for non-government members.

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Amendment put and passed.

On the question, That the motion, as amended, be agreed to,

Question put.

The Acting Speaker having counted the House, and an absolute majority being present and there being no dissentient voice, declared the motion, as amended, to be carried with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of members of the House.

## 8. Minister for Child Protection

Mrs L.M. Harvey, pursuant to the foregoing motion, moved,

That this House calls on the Minister for Child Protection to resign for her maladministration of her important portfolios and the Department of Communities, placing vulnerable children at an unacceptable and completely avoidable risk of attack by known sex offenders.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

### Ayes (18)

Mr I.C. Blayney	Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup	Ms L. Mettam
Mr V.A. Catania	Mr A. Krsticevic	Mr D.C. Nalder
Ms M.J. Davies	Mr S.K. L'Estrange	Mr K.M. O'Donnell
Mrs L.M. Harvey	Mr R.S. Love	Mr D.T. Redman
Dr D.J. Honey	Mr W.R. Marmion	Mr P.J. Rundle
Mr P.A. Katsambanis	Mr J.E. McGrath	Mrs A.K. Hayden ( <i>Teller</i> )

### Noes (34)

Ms L.L. Baker	Ms S.F. McGurk	Ms A. Sanderson
Dr A.D. Buti	Mr K.J.J. Michel	Ms J.J. Shaw
Mr J.N. Carey	Mr S.A. Millman	Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski
Mrs R.M.J. Clarke	Mr Y. Mubarakai	Mr C.J. Tallentire
Mr M.J. Folkard	Mrs L.M. O'Malley	Mr D.A. Templeman
Ms J.M. Freeman	Mr P. Papalia	Mr P.C. Tinley
Ms E.L. Hamilton	Mr S.J. Price	Mr R.R. Whitby
Mr M. Hughes	Mr D.T. Punch	Ms S.E. Winton
Mr W.J. Johnston	Mr J.R. Quigley	Mr B.S. Wyatt
Mr D.J. Kelly	Mrs M.H. Roberts	Mr D.R. Michael ( <i>Teller</i> )
Mr F.M. Logan	Ms C.M. Rowe	
Mr M. McGowan	Ms R. Saffioti	

Question thus negatived.

### **9. Petroleum Products Pricing Amendment Bill 2019**

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

Debate resumed.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

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

The Minister for Commerce 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.

### **10. Transfer of Land Amendment Bill 2018**

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 (Mr C.J. Tallentire speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

### **11. Members' Statements**

The Deputy Speaker called for members' statements which were then made.

### **12. Questions**

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 5457, 5467, 5472, 5503, 5519, 5520 and 5576 were answered.

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Papers tabled by the Minister for Health –

Question on Notice No. 5457 – 2017–2018 and 2018–2019 maintenance budget and actual spend for each hospital and service provider (2987).

Question on Notice No. 5467 – Medical equipment management register report extracts for each hospital as at 16 September 2019 (2988).

Question on Notice No. 5472 – Medical equipment which has been exempt from a competitive tender process since 17 March 2017 (2989).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services –

Question on Notice No. 5503 – Details of funding provided by the Commonwealth Government and State Government for WA homelessness services between 2016 and 2020 (2990).

### **13. Unanswered Questions on Notice**

Mr W.R. Marmion asked why no answer had been received in respect of his Questions on Notice Nos 5487 to 5495, 5524, 5526 to 5546, 5548 and 5550 to 5573.

### **14. Variation to the Order of Business**

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

### **15. Transfer of Land Amendment Bill 2018**

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

Debate resumed.

Question put and passed.  
Bill read a second time.

*CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL*

Clauses 1 to 62 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 Lands 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.

**16. Paper**

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –  
By the Speaker –  
State Records Commission – Annual Report 2018–2019 (2991).

**17. Special Adjournment**

The Leader of the House moved, That the House at its rising adjourn until Tuesday, 12 November 2019 at 2.00 pm.  
Question put and passed.

**18. Adjournment**

The Leader of the House moved, That the House do now adjourn.  
Question put and passed.  
The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 3.54 pm until Tuesday, 12 November 2019 at 2.00 pm.  
*Members present during any part of the day's proceedings* – All the members except Mr M.P. Murray and Ms M.M. Quirk.

**KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON**  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

**HON. PETER WATSON**  
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly