

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
WEDNESDAY, 21 MARCH 2007

4.00pm

Prayers

4.00PM - ORDER OF BUSINESS

Ruling by President

Petitions

(Hon Helen Morton)
(Hon Simon O'Brien)

Statements by Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries

Papers for Tabling

(President)
(Leader of the House)

Notice of Questions

Notices of Motions for Disallowance

Notices of Motions to Introduce Bills

(Hon Norman Moore)

Notices of Motions

(Hon Norman Moore)
(Hon Giz Watson)

Motions without Notice

4.00pm	Motions on Notice
5.00pm	Questions without Notice
5.30pm	Orders of the Day
10.00pm	House adjourns

MOTIONS ON NOTICE

46. Home Ownership Affordability (*Notice given 12 September 2006*)

Continuation of remarks Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works (Wednesday, 6 December 2006) on the motion of Hon Ray Halligan as follows -

That this House condemns the Government for the undue anxiety created for the many first home buyers through its inability in a timely manner to -

- (1) Help reduce the cost pressures on residential land.
- (2) Help reduce the supply and cost pressures associated with skilled labour.
- (3) Meet its election commitments to -
 - (a) address housing affordability;
 - (b) increase social housing stock; and
 - (c) encourage and enable home ownership.

47. Building Industry Sustainability Index (*Notice given 12 September 2006*)

Hon Ray Halligan: To move -

That this House insists that, before the Building Industry Sustainability Index known as BASIX is considered for introduction as a regulatory regime in Western Australia, the Government -

- (1) Listens to the housing industry in Western Australia.
- (2) Provides an audited cost-benefit analysis of the proposed regime.
- (3) Includes in that analysis the additional costs to taxpayers to administer the scheme.
- (4) Identifies other regimes that have been examined and why BASIX is preferred.
- (5) Explains why it wishes to add to the financial burden already being experienced by first-home buyers.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

346. Criminal Law and Evidence Amendment Bill 2006 [*LA 145-2*] *Minister for Child Protection*

Second reading continuation of remarks Hon Giz Watson - mins 25 (Tuesday, 20 March 2007).

***230. Local Government (Official Conduct) Amendment Bill 2005** [*LA 104-2*] *Minister for Local Government*

Second reading adjourned Minister for Education and Training (Thursday, 19 October 2006). *cf SNP 104 Issue 4 - 27 September 2006.*

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.

***361. Owner-Drivers (Contracts and Disputes) Bill 2006 [LA 176-2]**
Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

Second reading adjourned Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (Tuesday, 20 March 2007). *cf SNP 176 Issue 1 - 20 March 2007.*

***121. Parental Support and Responsibility Bill 2005 [LA 041-1]** *Minister for Child Protection*

Committee (Tuesday, 5 December 2006). *See Standing Committee on Legislation Report No. 5 (Tabled 2 November 2006). cf SNP 41 Issue 5 - 20 March 2007.*

354. Road Traffic Amendment (Drugs) Bill 2006 [LA 171-1] *Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure*

Second reading adjourned (Tuesday, 5 December 2006).

356. Road Traffic Amendment Bill 2006 [LA 177-1] *Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure*

Second reading adjourned (Tuesday, 5 December 2006).

362. Acts Amendment (Consent to Medical Treatment) Bill 2006 [LA 149-2]
Minister for Child Protection

Second reading adjourned (Wednesday, 6 December 2006).

342. Racing and Wagering Legislation Amendment Bill 2006 [LA 167-1]
Minister for Racing and Gaming

Second reading adjourned (Wednesday, 22 November 2006).

341. Racing and Wagering Western Australia Tax Amendment Bill 2006 [LA 168-1] *Minister for Education and Training*

Second reading adjourned (Wednesday, 22 November 2006).

290. Gas and Electricity Safety Legislation Amendment Bill 2006 [LA 030-1C]
Leader of the House

Second reading adjourned (Thursday, 24 August 2006).

* For amendments see Supplementary Notice Paper and/or Committee Report

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Clerk of the Legislative Council