



TASMANIA

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION OF 2019

(SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT)

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 8

WEDNESDAY, 10 APRIL 2019

**1 COUNCIL MEETS.**— The Council met at 11.00 o'clock in the forenoon and the President read Prayers.

**2 PAPERS.**— The Clerk of the Council laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

- (1) Duties Act 2001: Statutory Rules 2019, No. 2, containing Duties (Concession Extension) Order 2019.
- (2) Land Tax Act 2000: Statutory Rules 2019, No. 3, containing Land Tax (Exemption Extension) Order 2019.

**3 BILL NO. 4.**— The Motor Accidents (Liabilities and Compensation) Amendment Bill 2019 was read the Third time and passed.

**4 BILL NO. 4.**— A Message to the House of Assembly:—

MADAM SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council has this day agreed, without Amendment, to the Bill intituled, 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Motor Accidents (Liabilities and Compensation) Act 1973*',

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J.S. WILKINSON, *President*

**5 SITTING SUSPENDED.**— *Resolved*, That the Sitting of the Council be suspended until the ringing of the Division bells. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

The Sitting was suspended at 11.06 o'clock a.m. and resumed at 11.34 o'clock a.m.

**6 BILL NO. 43 of 2018.**— The Order of the Day was read for the Second reading of the Mental Health Amendment Bill 2018.

A Motion was made (Mrs *Hiscutt*), and the Question was proposed, That the Bill be now read the Second time.

A Debate arose thereupon.

And the Question being put,

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Bill was, accordingly, read the Second time and committed to a Committee of the Whole Council.

And the President having left the Chair, the Council resolved itself into the said Committee.

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(In the Committee)

Ms *Forrest* in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 5 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill to be reported without Amendment.

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The Council being resumed, Ms *Forrest* reported that the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed her to report the same to the Council without Amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Third reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for tomorrow. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

**7 PREMIER'S ADDRESS.**— The Order of the day was read for resuming the Debate on the Question, That the Premier's Address be noted.

The Question was again proposed and the Council resumed the Debate.

**8 SITTING SUSPENDED.**— It being 1.00 o'clock p.m. the Sitting of the Council was suspended.

The Council resumed the Sitting at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

**9 QUESTION TIME.**— The President called for Questions without Notice. There were four Questions asked.

**10 PREMIER'S ADDRESS.**— The Council resumed the Debate on the Question, That the Premier's Address be noted.

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned. (Ms *Armitage*)

**11 BILL NO. 47 of 2018.**— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT,

The House of Assembly doth agree to the Amendments made by the Legislative Council to the Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Adoption Act 1988*, the *Anti-Discrimination Act 1998*, the *Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act 1999*, the *Civil Liability Act 2002*, the *Conveyancing and Law of Property Act 1884*, the *Criminal Code Act 1924* and the *Status of Children Act 1974*',

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S. HICKEY, *Speaker*

**12 ADJOURNMENT.**— A Motion was made (Mrs *Hiscutt*) and the Question was proposed, That the Council will at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 11 April 2019.

A Debate arose thereupon.

And the Question being put,

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Resolved*, That the Council do now adjourn. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

The Council adjourned at 5.59 o'clock p.m.

D.T. PEARCE, *Clerk of the Council*.

*Briefings:*

- *Mental Health Amendment Bill 2018*
- *Supreme Court Civil Procedure Amendment Bill 2018*
- *Community, Health, Human Services and Related Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2018*