TASMANIA

# **HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY**

**SESSION OF 2022** 

(THIRD SESSION OF THE FIFTIETH PARLIAMENT)

# NOTICES OF MOTION AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

No. 1

# WEDNESDAY, 17 AUGUST 2022

(At 10:00 o'clock a.m.)

# **Notices of Motion**

- 1 The Attorney-General to move—That the House:—
  - (1) Notes:—
    - (a) the positive effect that the Australian Building and Construction Commission (ABCC) has had on enforcing the rule of law on Tasmanian building sites;
    - (b) that abolishing the ABCC will have flow-on effects that will drive up the cost of housing and construction for families at a time when the industry is already facing increased pricing pressure due to supply chain issues from the fallout of the COVID-19 pandemic and other global activity;
    - (c) that abolishing the ABCC will result in a return to widespread anticompetitive, abusive, and threatening behaviour on building sites. Over the last two years alone, the ABCC has successfully prosecuted construction unions with fines totalling \$5.7 million for these types of unlawful behaviour; and
    - (d) that abolishing the ABCC will weaken the strong Tasmanian building and construction industry which has been vital to our nation-leading economy over the last few years.
  - (2) Calls on Tasmanian Labor to urge their Federal Labor colleagues in government to resist the payback to the CFMEU who supported them with \$5 million in donations over the last three years, and to not abolish the ABCC. (16 August 2022)
- 2 The Minister for Veterans' Affairs to move—That the House:—
  - (1) Recognises that 18 August 2022 is Vietnam Veterans Day, an annual day of remembrance for those who served during the Vietnam War.
  - (2) Notes:—
    - (a) that this day, originally known as Long Tan Day, commemorates the day in 1966 when the battle of Long Tan was fought by the men of D Company, 6th Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment (6RAR); and
    - (b) that this day, first commemorated in 1969 with the raising of a cross at the battlefield by the men of 6RAR, has since been adopted to cover all veterans who served in the Vietnam War—the longest conflict in Australia's history.
  - (3) Pays tribute to the almost 60,000 Australians who served in Vietnam between May 1962 and April 1975, including 521 who paid the ultimate price and more than 3,000 who were wounded.
  - (4) Acknowledges the service of the approximately 1,800 Tasmanians who served in Vietnam, including 16 Tasmanian born soldiers who died in their country's service.
  - (5) Further notes commemorative service and wreath-laying ceremonies will be held across Tasmania to mark the event, and thanks all the members of the VVAA Tasmania, including State President Terry Roe, for their efforts in supporting Vietnam veterans across the State over the years.

- (6) Honours the service and sacrifice of all those who fought for freedom in this conflict and remembers the motto of the VVAA: "Honour the Dead but Fight like Hell for the Living." (16 August 2022)
- The Minister for Veterans' Affairs to move—That the House:—
  - (1) Notes:—
    - (a) the important role the Deloraine Community Big Band play in their community by providing opportunities to locals to follow their musical passion; and
    - (b) the Tasmanian Government supported the Big Band to upgrade their PA system and purchase a new 24 track mixing desk and drum kit;
  - (2) Recognises Cameron Scott, Stuart and Anne Harvey and the big band members for their hard work and commitment to their community;
  - (3) Celebrates that community groups such as the Big Band demonstrate how community spirit is alive and well in Deloraine and acknowledges that these groups are an integral part of rural and regional communities. (16 August 2022)
- 4 Dr Woodruff to move—That the House:—
  - (1) Recognises the critical importance of regular State of the Environment Reports to alert Tasmanians to the condition, trends and changes in our natural world.
  - (2) Notes the Morrison Government sat on the 2021 Australian State of the Environment Report for over three months to avoid publication before the 2022 Federal Election.
  - (3) Recognises the State Liberal Government has been even more negligent, and has missed the last two statutory deadlines 2014 and 2019 to produce a State of the Environment Report.
  - (4) Understands in the 13 years since the last report there has been enormous impacts on our State's natural systems and species from climate change, habitat loss, invasive species, pollution, and intensive industrial extraction.
  - (5) Understands the Government is currently undertaking a review of reporting requirements, the format of the report, and the most suitable authority for the work.
  - (6) Calls on the Government to:—
    - (a) commit to ensuring at a minimum that the next State of the Environment report, due in 2024, is delivered on time;
    - (b) commit to fully resourcing the Tasmanian Planning Commission to undertake this independent scientific assessment;
    - (c) commit to not reducing the frequency or detail of current legislative reporting requirements; and
    - (d) ensure State of the Environment reports are produced independent of Government, using robust and credible environmental data and scientific assessment. (16 August 2022)
- 5 Ms O'Connor to move:—
  - (1) Pursuant to section 18(1A) of the 'Nature Conservation Act 2002', the House does not approve:—
    - (a) the 'Nature Conservation Act 2002: Proclamation Under Section 11(2) (Borradaile Regional Reserve Central Plateau Conservation Area Dove River Regional Reserve February Plains Regional Reserve Mole Creek Karst National Park Mersey River Conservation Area)', laid upon the Table of the House on Thursday 2 June 2022; and
    - (b) the 'Nature Conservation Act 2002: Proclamation Under Section 11(2) (Dogs Head Hill Regional Reserve Great Western Tiers Conservation Area Great Western Tiers Conservation Area Liffey Conservation Area Southwest Conservation Area Stringybark Conservation Area)' laid upon the Table of the House on Thursday 2 June 2022.
  - (2) Calls on the Tasmanian Government to:—
    - (a) in consultation with the Tasmanian Aboriginal people and stakeholders, develop reserve class tenures for Aboriginal-owned and managed protected areas, as recommended in the Pathway to Truth-Telling and Treaty report;

- (b) respond to the formal land return claim made by the Aboriginal Land Council of Tasmania (ALCT) in respect of the proposed 'kooparoona niara' National Park, by returning these lands to Aboriginal ownership and establishing the 'kooparoona niara' National Park under the new reserve tenure; and
- (c) reconsider the proposed tenure classification for the proposed Southwest Conservation Area and Stringybark Conservation Area, with a view to the consolidation of these lands in the Southwest National Park. (16 August 2022)

# **6** Ms O'Connor to move—That the House:—

- (1) Supports the findings and recommendations of the Tasmanian Law Reform Institute's (TLRI) report on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Conversion Practices.
- (2) Notes the report makes it clear that conversion practices currently occur in Tasmania.
- (3) Agrees that conversion practices are harmful and unscientific, and their practice in Tasmania is a matter of grave concern.
- (4) Further notes:—
  - (a) that members have received an open letter from medical practitioners to Members of the Tasmanian Parliament regarding conversion practices, decrying these practices as "unscientific, unethical and deeply harmful".
  - (b) that TasCOSS, Equality Tasmania and Working it Out have called for legislation to be enacted in Tasmania which affirms LGBTQA+ identities, bans conversion practices for all and provides support to survivors. and
  - (c) the Premier Hon Jeremy Rockliff MP has committed to introducing legislation to Parliament that gives effect to the recommendations of the TLRI report.
- (5) Congratulates the Premier for taking leadership on this issue, and calls on the Rockliff Government to progress the reforms recommended by the TLRI as a priority for the Parliament. (16 August 2022)

# 7 Ms *Dow* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Notes that:—
  - (a) Tasmania has the worst ambulance response times in the country; and
  - (b) these response times have blown out by 30% under the Liberal Government;
  - (c) sadly Tasmanians are dying waiting for an ambulance; and
  - recently a Hobart man died after waiting four hours and 15 minutes for an ambulance, a woman in the state's north died after being ramped for over nine hours, and a man also in the north died after waiting seven hours for an ambulance.
- (3) Acknowledges that:—
  - (a) a resilience scan of Ambulance Tasmania staff showed an extraordinary number of staff are suffering mental health conditions and self-medicating;
  - (b) Paramedics in this country have one of the highest rates of suicide of any profession;
  - (c) Paramedics and volunteer ambulance officers in Tasmania are under unprecedented pressure with regularly unfilled shifts, fatigue alerts and a lack of resources; and
  - (d) Paramedics have been left with no other choice but to commence industrial action.
- (4) Calls on the Premier to provide increased funding to ensure:—
  - (a) our paramedics are paid appropriate wages;
  - (b) improved conditions;
  - (c) Paramedics and volunteers are given better resources and mental health support; and
  - (d) the Government has a properly resourced plan to fix ambulance ramping across the State. (16 August 2022)

# 8 Ms *Dow* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Acknowledges that:—
  - (a) the current Burnie Court site is not fit for purpose;

- (b) at the 2018 state election the Liberal and Labor parties committed \$15 million to redevelop the Burnie Court on the current site;
- (c) in 2020 the Liberal Government announced it was relocating the court to the old University of Tasmania campus in a residential and educational precinct in West Burnie; and
- (d) the Labor party at the 2021 state election committed to redeveloping the current site or to rebuild the Burnie Court on another site in the Burnie CBD.
- (2) Notes:—
  - (a) there has been no consultation with local residents about the relocation of the Court to their neighbourhood;
  - (b) the ongoing concerns raised by business, the community and Council;
  - (c) the ongoing concerns raised by the Law Society;
  - (d) the Government's recent announcement of three potential Court Complex sites in the Burnie CBD; and
  - (e) the project has now blown out to \$40 million.
- (4) Further notes 50,000 people visit the current court complex each year.
- (5) Calls on the Premier, Hon. Jeremy Rockliff MP, to rule out once and for all the relocation of the Burnie Court Complex to Mooreville Rd and announce the successful CBD site. (16 August 2022)
- **9** Ms *Johnston* to move—That:—
  - A Select Committee be appointed, with power to send for persons and papers and records, to inquire into and report upon the current private rental market in Tasmania, including:—
    - (a) supply and demand challenges;
    - (b) mechanisms to support Tasmanians experiencing housing stress in or attempting to enter the private rental market;
    - (c) any necessary reform of, or amendments to, the Residential Tenancy Act;
    - (d) personal experiences that could inform consideration of any of the above; and
    - (e) other matters incidental thereto.
  - (2) The Members to serve on the Committee be:—
    - (a) two from the Government, nominated by the Leader of the House;
    - (b) one from the Opposition, nominated by the Leader of the Opposition;
    - (c) one from the Tasmanian Greens, nominated by the Leader of the Greens; and
    - (d) the Mover.
  - (3) The Committee report by 30 April 2023. (16 August 2022)

# Orders of the Day

- **1** Acts Enumeration Amendment Bill (No. 37): Second reading. (The Premier)
- 2 Safe Climate Bill 2021 (No. 16 of 2021): Second reading. (Dr Woodruff)
- **3** Cable Car (kunanyi/Mount Wellington) Facilitation Repeal Bill 2021 (No. 17 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms *O'Connor*)
- **4** Land Use Planning and Approvals Amendment (Wellington Park Management Trust Veto) Bill 2021 (No. 18 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms *O'Connor*)
- **5** Criminal Code Amendment (Misconduct in Public Office) Bill 2021 (No. 19 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms *O'Connor*)
- 6 House of Assembly Restoration Bill 2021 (No. 20 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms O'Connor)
- **7** Public Interest Disclosures (Members of Parliament) Bill 2021 (No. 22 of 2021): Second reading. (Dr *Woodruff*)

- **8** Wildlife (Protection of Native Duck Species) Bill 2021 (No. 23 of 2021): Second reading. (Dr *Woodruff*)
- Cat Management Amendment (Mandatory Confinement) Bill 2021 (No. 24 of 2021): Second reading. (Dr *Woodruff*)
- Environmental Management and Pollution Control Amendment (EPA Independence) Bill 2021 (No. 25 of 2021): Second reading. (Dr *Woodruff*)
- 11 Right to Information Amendment Bill 2021 (No. 29 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms Haddad)
- **12** Residential Tenancy (Rental Market Reform) Amendment Bill 2021 (No. 30 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms *O'Connor*)
- **13** Right to Information Amendment (Public Protected Areas) Bill 2021 (No. 31 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms *O'Connor*)
- Nature Conservation Amendment (Brushy Creek Conservation Area) Bill 2021 (No. 41 of 2021): Second Reading (Dr *Woodruff*)
- Tasmanian Civil and Administrative Tribunal Amendment (Exhibition of Amended Applications) Bill 2021 (No. 62 of 2021): Second reading. (Ms *O'Connor*)
- Climate Change (State Action) Amendment Bill 2021 (No. 63 of 2021): Adjourned Debate on the Question proposed on Tuesday, 16 August 2022 by the Minister for Climate Change That the Bill be now read the Second time.
- **17** Traffic Amendment (Electronic Billboards) Bill 2022 (No. 5): Second reading. (Minister for Infrastructure and Transport)
- Electricity Safety Bill 2022 (No. 11): Second reading. (Minister for Workplace Safety and Consumer Affairs)
- Roads and Jetties Amendment Bill 2022 (No. 12): Second reading. (Minister for Infrastructure and Transport)
- Vehicle and Traffic Amendment (Driver Distraction and Speed Enforcement) Bill 2022 (No. 20): Second reading. (Minister for Infrastructure and Transport)
- 21 Electoral Disclosure and Funding Bill 2022 (No. 25): Second reading. (Minister for Justice)
- Electoral Matters (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2022 (No. 26): Second reading. (Minister for Justice)
- Occupational Licensing (Automatic Mutual Recognition Consequential Amendments) Bill 2022 (No. 27): Second reading. (Minister for Workplace Safety and Consumer Affairs)
- Land Use Planning and Approvals Amendment Bill 2022 (No. 29): Second reading. (Minister for Planning)
- Retail Leases Bill 2022 (No. 30): Second reading. (Minister for Workplace Safety and Consumer Affairs)
- Waste and Resource Recovery Amendment (Single-Use Plastics) Bill 2022 (No. 31): Second reading. (Dr *Woodruff*)

- **27** Sentencing Amendment (Mandatory Sentencing) Bill 2022 (No. 32): Second reading. (Minister for Justice)
- **28** Carer Recognition Bill 2022 (No. 33): Second reading. (Minister for Community Services and Development)
- **29** Electricity Supply Industry (Price Cap) Bill 2022 (No. 34): Second reading. (Mr *Winter*)
- **30** Homes Tasmania Bill 2022 (No. 35): Second reading. (Minister for State Development, Construction and Housing)
- **31** Homes Tasmania (Consequential Amendments) Bill 2022 (No. 36): Second reading. (Minister for State Development, Construction and Housing)
- **32** Joint Sessional Gender and Equality Committee: Consideration of the following Message from the Legislative Council: -

### MR SPEAKER

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the following Resolution now transmits the same to the House of Assembly and requests its concurrence therein: –

*Resolved*, That a Joint Sessional Gender and Equality Committee be appointed with power to send for persons and papers, with leave to sit during any adjournment of either House and with leave to adjourn from place to place to inquire into and report upon –

- (1) Any Bill referred to it by either House in order to examine gender and equality impacts and any such Bill so referred shall be reported upon within 10 sitting days of its referral;
  - (b) Any matter related to gender and equality referred to it by either House; and
  - (c) Any matter related to gender and equality, initiated by its own motion; and
- (2) That Notice of any own Motion Inquiry shall be reported to both Houses within two (2) sitting days of the Committee's Resolution; and
- (3) That the number of Members to serve on the said Committee on the part of the Legislative Council be four.

Legislative Council, 16 August 2022.

C.M. FARRELL, President.

SHANE DONNELLY, Clerk of the House

### PAPERS ISSUED

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

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#### BILLS.

Read First Time

Bill No.	37.	Acts Enumeration Amendment (pro forma).
Bill No.	35.	Homes Tasmania.
Bill No.	36.	Homes Tasmania (Consequential Amendments).

#### Read First Time and ready for Second Reading

Bill No.	16 of 2021.	Safe Climate.
Bill No.	17 of 2021.	Cable Car (kunanyi/Mount Wellington) Facilitation Repeal.
Bill No.	18 of 2021.	Land Use Planning and Approvals Amendment (Wellington Park Management Trust Veto).
Bill No.	19 of 2021.	Criminal Code Amendment (Misconduct in Public Office).
Bill No.	20 of 2021.	House of Assembly Restoration.
Bill No.	22 of 2021.	Public Interest Disclosures (Members of Parliament).
Bill No.	23 of 2021.	Wildlife (Protection of Native Duck Species).
Bill No.	24 of 2021.	Cat Management Amendment (Mandatory Confinement).
Bill No.	25 of 2021.	Environmental Management and Pollution Control Amendment (EPA Independence).
Bill No.	29 of 2021.	Right to Information Amendment.
Bill No.	30 of 2021.	Residential Tenancy (Rental Market Reform) Amendment.
Bill No.	31 of 2021.	Right to Information Amendment (Public Protected Areas).
Bill No.	41 of 2021.	Nature Conservation Amendment (Brushy Creek Conservation Area).
Bill No.	62 of 2021.	Tasmanian Civil and Administrative Tribunal Amendment (Exhibition of Amended Applications).
Bill No.	5.	Traffic Amendment (Electronic Billboards).
Bill No.	11.	Electricity Safety.
Bill No.	12.	Roads and Jetties Amendment.
Bill No.	20.	Vehicle and Traffic Amendment (Driver Distraction and Speed Enforcement).
Bill No.	25.	Electoral Disclosure and Funding.
Bill No.	26.	Electoral Matters (Miscellaneous Amendments).
Bill No.	27.	Occupational Licensing (Automatic Mutual Recognition Consequential Amendments).
Bill No.	29.	Land Use Planning and Approvals Amendment.
Bill No.	30.	Retail Leases.
Bill No.	31.	Waste and Resource Recovery Amendment (Single-Use Plastics).
Bill No.	32.	Sentencing Amendment (Mandatory Sentencing).
Bill No.	33.	Carer Recognition.
Bill No.	34.	Electricity Supply Industry (Price Cap).
		Second Reading Debate Adjourned
Bill No.	63 of 2021.	Climate Change (State Action) Amendment.
		Read Third Time and transmitted to L.C.
Bill No.	10.	Family Violence Reforms.
Bill No.	15.	Police Offences Amendment (Workplace Protection).
Bill No.	19.	Health Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments).

# PAPERS TABLED AND ORDERED TO BE PRINTED

## 2022

- 14. Auditor-General: Report No. 5 of 2021-22 - Report on the Financial Statements of State entities, Volume 2 Audit of State entities and audited subsidiaries of State entities: 31 December 2020 and 30 June 2021.
- 19. Auditor-General: Report No. 6 of 2021-22 - Accessing Services for the Safety and Wellbeing of Children and Young People – the Strong Families, Safe Kids Advice and Referral Line, 21 June 2022.
- 20. Auditor-General: Report No. 7 of 2021-22 - COVID-19 - Response to Social Impacts: Mental Health and Digital Inclusion, 29 June 2022.
- Government Administration Committee 'A', Legislative Council: Report on Finfish Farming in Tasmania.
- Public Accounts, Parliamentary Standing Committee of: Review of the Auditor-General's Report No. 11 of 2018-19: 9. Performance of Tasmania's Four Major Hospitals in the Delivery of Emergency Department Services.
- 17. Public Accounts, Parliamentary Standing Committee of: Review of Selected Public Works Committee Reports - 27 of 2015: Midland Highway, Mangalore to Bagdad Stage 1 and Midland Highway, Kempton to Melton Mowbray Stage 1; and 28 of 2015: Midland Highway, Perth to Breadalbane Duplication.
- Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on Illawarra Main Road Upgrade. 1.
- 2. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on New Brighton High School.
- 3. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on New Legana Primary School.
- Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on Royal Hobart Hospital Stage 2 J Black 4. Redevelopment.
- 7. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on Burnie Ambulance Station.
- Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on Burnie Court Complex. 8.
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- Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on Tasman Highway Sideling Upgrade.

  Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on Royal Hobart Hospital Emergency Department 11. Expansion Stage 1.
- 21. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Report on Mental Health Service St John's Park Facility..

- Subordinate Legislation, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Scrutiny of Notices Issued Under Sections 13, 15 and 19 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Land Use Planning and Approvals Act 1993) – Report 18.
- Subordinate Legislation, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Scrutiny of Notice Issued Under Section 20 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Magistrates Court – Electronic Service and Witnessing) and Scrutiny of Notice Issued Under Section 20 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Magistrates Court – Proceedings)

  – Report 19.
- 12. Subordinate Legislation, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Inquiry into the Crown Land Regulations 2021 (S.R. 2021, No. 87)
- Subordinate Legislation, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Scrutiny of Notice Issued under Section 20 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Tasmanian Civil and Administrative Tribunal), Scrutiny of Notice Issued under Section 11 and 17 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Local Government), Scrutiny of Notice Issued under Section 11, 18 and 19 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Local Government), and Scrutiny of Notice Issued under Section 20 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Supreme Court).

#### STANDING COMMITTEES AND MEMBERS

Integrity: The Speaker; the Leader of the House; and Ms *O'Byrne*. Public Accounts: Mrs Alexander; Dr *Broad*; and Mr *Tucker*.

Public Works: Ms Butler; Mr Tucker; and Mr Wood.

Subordinate Legislation: Mrs Alexander; Ms Finlay; and Mr Young.

Privileges: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; the Deputy Premier; the Leader of the House; Ms O'Connor; Ms Haddad; and

Mr Winter.

Standing Orders: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; the Leader of the House; Ms White; and Mr Winter.

### JOINT COMMITTEES AND MEMBERS

Library: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; Mrs Alexander; Dr Broad; Ms Dow; and Mr Young.

House: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; and Mr Winter.