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## Notices of Motion

**170** Ms *Dow* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Notes that Tas Ports has called for \$80 million to be invested in the Burnie Port to deliver the upgrades outlined in the Burnie Port Masterplan.
- (2) Confirms that the Hodgman Liberal Government has failed to allocate any State money to the project in the 10 year infrastructure pipeline released during the week commencing 2 September 2019.
- (3) Acknowledges the potential for job-expansion in mining, agriculture, forestry and tourism relies on upgrades at the Burnie Port.
- (4) Further notes that the Hodgman Liberal Government has failed to invest in a project that is crucial to protect and grow Tasmanian jobs at a time when the state desperately needs leadership on jobs.
- (5) Further notes that businesses have told Tasmanian Labor that capacity constraints at the Burnie Port are costing them thousands and are particularly jeopardizing new jobs and investment in the minerals sector.
- (6) Further acknowledges that more than 5,100 full time Tasmanian jobs have been lost in the past year with the North-West and West Coast suffering severely under the Hodgman Liberal Government.
- (7) Further confirms that this is yet another example of how people on the North-West Coast and in regional Tasmania are being left behind by the Hodgman Liberal Government. (10 September 2019)

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

- (1) Acknowledges the critical role forests play in carbon sequestration and oxygen production.
- (2) Understands that to prevent the extremes of global heating the carbon that is in the ground, must stay in the ground.
- (3) Calls on the Labor and Liberal Parties to support the protection of the 356,000ha of high conservation value, carbon-rich forests set aside under the Tasmanian Forests Agreement. (10 September 2019)

**174** The Minister for Veterans' Affairs to move—That the House:—

- (1) Recognises that 15 September 2019 is Battle of Britain Day, an annual day of remembrance for those who fought and died in the Battle of Britain, history's first entirely aerial campaign and a strategic turning point of the Second World War.
- (2) Notes that the Battle occurred over the United Kingdom between 10 July 1940 and 31 October 1940 between the air forces of Nazi Germany and the then British Empire and Commonwealth.
- (3) Further notes that Allied success in the Battle was pivotal in seeing the planned seaborne invasion of the United Kingdom by Hitler's Germany cancelled, allowing the British Isles to eventually become the springboard from which the invasion of

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occupied Europe was performed, leading to the liberation of millions under Nazi oppression.

- (4) Pays tribute to 'The Few', as Winston Churchill immortally named the fighter pilots fighting in the skies over Britain, for their service, courage and sacrifice, including more than thirty Australians, 14 of whom died in the Battle including Flight Lieutenant Stuart Walch, of Hobart, who attended the Hutchins School before joining the RAAF.
- (5) Acknowledges that over this coming weekend, a memorial service commemorating the Battle will be held at St David's Cathedral and a wreath laying service at the Hobart Cenotaph with representatives from the Australian Defence Force, foreign militaries, ex-service organisations and all levels of Government attending and encourages all Tasmanians to pay their respects. (10 September 2019)

### **175** Mrs Rylah to move—That the House:—

- (1) Acknowledges that the Hodgman Liberal Party Government is working with primary producers to develop their exports, particularly into key Asian markets.
- (2) Notes that Tasmanian growers will be showcasing our produce at Hong Kong's Fruit Logistics in the week 10 - 13 September 2019 - which attracts more than 13,000 buyers from over 76 countries enabling Tasmanian producers to connect with key buyers and importers across Asia.
- (3) Further notes in 2019 Fruit Growers Tasmania has partnered with Brand Tasmania to exhibit at Asia Fruit logistics in their own right under the unique Tasmanian banner of 'the quiet pursuit of the extraordinary.'
- (4) Further acknowledges that Tasmania's brand is one of our State's greatest assets and Tasmanian growers will affirm their commitment to exceptional quality which is expected to boost export demand for our premium horticultural products.
- (5) Further notes that a key priority in our Trade Strategy is to build the export capability of local businesses and growing our agricultural exports will help deliver our target to grow the annual farm gate value of Tasmanian agriculture to \$10 billion by 2050.
- (6) Recognises that over 80 per cent of Tasmania's exports are consigned to the Asian region, with China and Hong Kong alone accounting for 35 per cent of total Tasmanian exports.
- (7) Further acknowledges that the Tasmanian Government is committed to empowering businesses to take their products to the world, so that the Tasmanian economy continues to grow, creating local jobs. (10 September 2019)

### **176** Mrs Rylah to move—That the House:—

- (1) Acknowledges that the '2018 – 19 Preliminary Outcomes Report', confirmed that the Hodgman Liberal Government, has delivered a balanced State Budget, returning a modest surplus of \$101.9 million.
- (2) Notes that the same Report shows the Government is on track to deliver a surplus for the fourth year in a row of approximately 1.6 per cent of revenue.
- (3) Further acknowledges that the NAB Monthly Business Survey results, for the seventh month in a row, found that Tasmania's business conditions are the best in the nation, three times better than the national result in trend terms.
- (4) Recognises that the this Government continues to have a strong balance sheet, holds net cash and investments, as opposed to net debt.
- (5) Further acknowledges that only by keeping the Budget strong can we deliver record investments in health, education and infrastructure. (10 September 2019)

### **177** Mrs Rylah to move—That the House:—

- (1) Acknowledges that Tourism contributes more than \$3 billion to Tasmania's economy.
- (2) Notes that our Tourism industry supports approximately 38,000 jobs—15.6% of total employment across the State.
- (3) Records that the Hodgman Liberal Government continues to invest strongly into our visitor economy, ensuring all regions reap the benefits.
- (4) Recognises that as a part of our 2019-20 Budget, this Government has committed \$20 million into the 'Regional Loan Attraction Scheme' that provides low interest loans of up to \$1 million for business to invest in new job creating tourism projects.

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- (5) Congratulates the Hodgman Liberal Government for continuing to support visitor growth in Tasmania by:—
- (a) supporting Tourism Tasmania marketing;
  - (b) growing the number of flights to the north of the State;
  - (c) launching the Western Wilds drive journey and the next iconic walk;
  - (d) investing \$72 million in our 'Roads to Support Tasmania's Visitor Economy' program; and
  - (e) investing in the 'Event Attraction Fund' which helps attract major events to regional centres. (10 September 2019)

**178** Mrs *Rylah* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Acknowledges the purchase of Specialty Veneers timber processing business by Britton Timbers.
- (2) Notes that Specialty Veneers is a productive member of the Tasmanian timber industry producing a premium range of products for the joinery and furniture industries.
- (3) Further notes that Specialty Veneers also manufacture and supply a number of quality solid Tasmanian timber species under the Corinna Timbers name.
- (4) Congratulates the famous Tasmanian timber industry family business, Britton Timbers on their announcement in late August 2019 of the purchase of the Specialty Veneers company.
- (5) Further notes that Britton Timbers now employ in excess of 180 people, the majority of which live in regional areas.
- (6) Further notes that this purchase is a vote of confidence in the Tasmanian timber industry, helping secure the future of over 20 employees in the North West region.
- (7) Further acknowledges the industry's confidence, backed by the solid support of the Hodgman Liberal Government. (10 September 2019)

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

- (1) Notes that the Honourable Member for Murchison, Hon. Ruth Forrest MLC, has been acknowledged for her hard work and policy backbone as the only Tasmanian in the Australian Financial Review's 100 Women of Influence Awards for 2019.
- (2) Acknowledges that women who lead in their field should always be celebrated, and that this inspires women and girls to aspire to achieve.
- (3) Recognises that when women work together, positive change happens.
- (4) Warmly congratulates Hon. Ruth Forrest MLC for being listed one of the one hundred most influential women in Australia. (11 September 2019)

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**1** Acts Enumeration Amendment Bill (No. 1 of 2019): Second reading. (The Premier)

**2** Animal Welfare Reformation Bill (No. 38 of 2018): Second reading. (Ms *O'Connor*)

**3** Right to Information Amendment Bill 2019 (No. 8 of 2019): Second reading. (Ms *Haddad*)

**4** Disposal of Uncollected Goods Bill 2019 (No. 16 of 2019): Second reading. (Minister for Building and Construction)

**5** 2019 Federal Election: Adjourned Debate on the Question proposed on Wednesday, 22 May 2019 by Mr *Shelton*—That the House:—

- (1) Congratulates Prime Minister Hon. Scott Morrison MP and the Federal Liberal Party for the outstanding result in the Australian Federal election held on 18 May 2019.
- (2) Further congratulates, subject to final confirmation, the election of Tasmanian Federal Liberal representatives in both the Senate and the House of Representatives.

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- (3) Notes the strong relationship between the Hodgman and Morrison Governments, working together to deliver a stronger economy, real investment in infrastructure and better health and education services for all Tasmanians. (Next Speaker: Dr *Woodruff*)

**6** Battery of the Nation: Adjourned Debate on the Question proposed on Wednesday, 31 July 2019 by Mrs *Rylah*—That the House:—

- (1) Notes Tasmania has the renewable and dispatchable energy the rest of the nation needs, and the Hodgman Liberal Government is committed to using this advantage to ensure all Tasmanians benefit.
- (2) Records this Governments continuing drive for the development of the Battery of the Nation and the crucial second interconnector, the Marinus project, which have the potential to inject up to \$5 billion into the Tasmanian economy and deliver 2,000 jobs, particularly into regional areas.
- (3) Further notes that the development stage of the first phase of the Battery of the Nation carries the commitment of the Federal Government through the Federal Underwriting New Generation Investment program.
- (4) Further notes that support by both the Hodgman Liberal Government and the Federal Government, gives UPC Renewables and AC energy, more confidence to develop their Robbins Island and Jims Plain wind and solar parks.
- (5) Recognises that Tasmania has a world-class wind resource complemented by our pumped hydro that means there will always be some electricity available for export when the mainland is experiencing low wind or high demand.
- (6) Acknowledges that the Australian Government clearly recognises the importance of Tasmania's energy solutions and our status as the leading energy state.
- (7) Commends the Hodgman Liberal Government for its strong commitment to making use of the natural resources available to the State while at the same time ensuring all Tasmanians will have access to low cost, reliable and clean energy in their homes and businesses. (Mrs *Rylah*)

To which the following amendment has been proposed by Dr *Woodruff*, by leaving out all words after "That the House:—" and inserting instead:

- “(1) Notes that the Liberals repeatedly talk about the Marinus project and use it as a political wedge, particularly during election periods, despite the fact that they have not put forward a financing proposal or a position on who should finance the multi-billion project.
- (2) Agrees that the project could cost in excess of current total Public Non-Financial Corporations Sector debt, and feasibility studies and prominent economists such as Saul Eslake have raised serious concerns about the viability of the project, which have not been addressed by the State Government.
- (3) Notes that the Liberals passed legislation to set wholesale electricity prices at a rate higher than projected, leading to energy bills decreasing by less than they would otherwise would have.
- (4) Notes with alarm that the Liberal Government continues to allow Entura to engage in profiteering from immoral projects overseas such as the Karuma hydro power project Uganda, which has been linked to killings and other human rights violations.
- (5) Condemns the Liberal Government for their lack of honesty, ethics or plan in their handling of the Energy portfolio.” (Next Speaker: Minister for Energy)

**7** Minimum Mandatory Sentences: Adjourned Debate on the Question proposed on Wednesday, 7 August 2019 by Mr *Tucker*—That the House:—

- (1) Welcomes the Federal Labor party's recent sensible backflip on minimum mandatory sentences for crimes relating to child abuse.
- (2) Acknowledges the Tasmanian Labor Party is now out of step with its Federal Labor colleagues.
- (3) Supports the introduction of minimum mandatory sentences for serious sexual offences against children. (Next Speaker: The Attorney-General)

**8** Housing and Homelessness: Adjourned Debate on the Question proposed on Thursday, 8 August 2019 by the Minister for Housing—That the House:—

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- (1) Acknowledges the dedicated work that is being done every day in the community and housing sectors to support Tasmanians experiencing homelessness or who are at risk of homelessness.
- (2) Further acknowledges that homelessness is often linked to other challenges such as mental illness, and the Tasmanian Government is focusing on the integration of mental health services to provide more holistic support and greater independence for clients.
- (3) Further acknowledges that Tasmania's Affordable Housing Strategy is responding to the current challenges in the housing market by boosting supply across a spectrum of needs.
- (4) Further acknowledges that the Affordable Housing Action Plan Stage 2 and the additional investment in funding is another positive step towards continuing this momentum.
- (5) Recognises that all levels of government have a role to play in addressing the supply and demand in our housing market.
- (6) Call on all Members to work together to put the needs of Tasmanians above political point scoring. (Next Speaker: Minister for Housing)

**9** Public Works Committee Amendment Bill 2019 (No. 32 of 2019): Second reading. (The Treasurer)

**10** Legal Profession Amendment (Validation) Bill 2019 (No. 34 of 2019): Adjourned debate on the question proposed on Wednesday, 11 September 2019 by the Minister for Justice – That the Bill be now read the Second time. (Next Speaker: Ms *Haddad*)

**11** Neighbourhood Disputes About Plants Amendment Bill 2019 (No. 35 of 2019): Second reading. (Minister for Justice)

**12** Genetically Modified Organisms Control Amendment Bill 2019 (No. 33 of 2019): Second reading. (Minister for Primary Industries and Water)

**13** Marine-related Incidents (MARPOL Implementation) Bill 2019 (No. 37 of 2019): Second reading. (Minister for Environment, Parks and Heritage)

**14** Justice Legislation Amendment (Organisational Liability for Child Abuse) Bill 2019 (No. 36 of 2019): Second reading. (Minister for Justice)

**15** Place Names Bill 2019 (No. 38 of 2019): Second reading. (Minister for Primary Industries and Water)

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### Orders of the Day

**1** Housing Affordability: Report of Select Committee to be brought up.

**2** House of Assembly Restoration Bill (No. 55 of 2018): Report of Select Committee to be brought up.

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Firearms Legislation and Policy: Report of Select Committee to be brought up.

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SHANE DONNELLY, *Clerk of the House*

### PAPERS ISSUED

#### HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day No. 29.  
Notices of Motion No. 25.  
Notices of Question No. 8.  
Votes and Proceedings No. 1–18.

### BILLS

#### *Read First Time*

Bill No. 1. Acts Enumeration Amendment (*pro forma*).

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

Bill No. 38 of 2018.	Animal Welfare Reformation.
Bill No. 8.	Right to Information Amendment.
Bill No. 16.	Disposal of Uncollected Goods.
Bill No. 32.	Public Works Committee Amendment.
Bill No. 33.	Genetically Modified Organisms Control Amendment.
Bill No. 35.	Neighbourhood Disputes About Plants Amendment.
Bill No. 36.	Justice Legislation Amendment (Organisational Liability for Child Abuse).
Bill No. 37.	Marine-related Incidents (MARPOL Implementation).
Bill No. 38.	Place Names.

#### *Second Reading Debate Adjourned*

Bill No. 34. Legal Profession Amendment (Validation).

#### *Referred to Select Committee*

Bill No. 55 of 2018. House of Assembly Restoration.

#### *Second Reading Negatived*

Bill No. 5 of 2018.	Sentencing Amendment (Mandatory Sentencing for Serious Sexual Offences Against Children).
Bill No. 18.	Sentencing Amendment (Assault of Certain Frontline Workers) Bill.

#### *Read Third Time and transmitted to L. C.*

Bill No. 6 of 2018.	Sentencing Amendment (Assaults on Off-Duty Police).
Bill No. 15 of 2018.	Corrections Amendment (Prisoner Remission).
Bill No. 59 of 2018.	Land Acquisition Amendment.
Bill No. 60 of 2018.	Litter Amendment.
Bill No. 63 of 2018.	Criminal Code and Related Legislation Amendment (Child Abuse)
Bill No. 5.	Criminal Code Amendment (Bullying).
Bill No. 6.	Fruit and Nut Industry (Research, Development and Extension Trust Fund) Repeal.
Bill No. 17.	Local Government (Highways) Amendment Bill.
Bill No. 19.	Vehicle and Traffic Amendment.
Bill No. 23.	Government Procurement Review (International Free Trade Agreements).
Bill No. 25.	Roads and Jetties Amendment (Validation).
Bill No. 26.	Roads and Jetties Amendment (Works in Highways).
Bill No. 27.	Magistrates Court (Criminal and General Division).
Bill No. 28.	Magistrates Court (Criminal and General Division) (Consequential Amendments).
Bill No. 29.	Restraint Orders.
Bill No. 30.	Civil Liability Amendment Bill.
Bill No. 31.	Historic Cultural Heritage Amendment.

#### *Agreed to by Both Houses*

Bill No. 40 of 2018.	Gas Industry. ( <i>Act No. 1 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 41 of 2018.	Gas Safety. ( <i>Act No. 2 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 42 of 2018.	Gas (Consequential Amendments). ( <i>Act No. 3 of 2019</i> )

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Bill No. 43 of 2018.	Mental Health Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 8 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 47 of 2018.	Justice and Related Legislation (Marriage and Gender Amendments). ( <i>Act No. 7 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 51 of 2018.	Security and Investigations Agents Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 9 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 52 of 2018.	Supreme Court Civil Procedure Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 14 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 57 of 2018.	Energy Co-ordination and Planning Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 4 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 58 of 2018.	Community, Health, Human Services and Related Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments). ( <i>Act No. 13 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 61 of 2018.	Forest Practices Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 25 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 64 of 2018.	Electricity Supply Industry Restructuring (Savings and Transitional Provisions) Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 24 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 65 of 2018.	Registration to Work With Vulnerable People Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 18 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 66 of 2018.	Short Stay Accommodation. ( <i>Act No. 12 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 3.	Electoral Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 5 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 4.	Motor Accidents (Liabilities and Compensation) Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 6 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 7.	Workers Rehabilitation and Compensation Amendment (Presumption as to Cause of Disease). ( <i>Act No. 11 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 9.	Consolidated Fund Appropriation (Supplementary Appropriation for 2018-19). ( <i>Act No. 10 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 10.	Disability Services Amendment Bill. ( <i>Act No. 17 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 11.	Greater Hobart. ( <i>Act No. 21 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 12.	Health Miscellaneous Amendments. ( <i>Act No. 15 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 14.	Right to Information Amendment (Applications for Review).
Bill No. 15.	Biosecurity. ( <i>Act No. 22 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 20.	Workers Rehabilitation and Compensation Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 23 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 21.	Appropriation (No. 1). ( <i>Act No. 19 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 22.	Appropriation (No. 2). ( <i>Act No. 20 of 2019</i> )
Bill No. 24.	First Home Owner Grant Amendment. ( <i>Act No. 16 of 2019</i> )

## PAPERS TABLED AND ORDERED TO BE PRINTED

### 2019

2. Auditor-General: Report No. 7 of 2018-19 – Performance Management in the Tasmanian State Service: A Focus on Quality Conversations, March 2019.
3. Auditor-General: Report No. 8 of 2018-19 – Student Attendance and Engagement: Year 7 to 10, March 2019.
7. Auditor-General: Report No. 9 of 2018-19 – Financial Statements of State Entities Volume 1, 31 December 2018.
9. Auditor-General: Report No. 11 of 2018-19 – Performance of Tasmania's four major hospitals in the delivery of Emergency Department services, May 2019.
6. Joint Meeting of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly to choose a Senator in the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia – Wednesday 20 March 2019.
10. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Richmond Road Projects - Section 1 Cambridge Link Road and Sections 3, 4 and 5 Richmond Road.
13. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: West Tamar Highway Safety Improvements.
15. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Stage 2 King Island Hospital Redevelopment.
16. Public Works, Parliamentary Standing Committee on: Midland Highway 10-year Action Plan – Melton Mowbray to Lovely Banks.

## STANDING COMMITTEES AND MEMBERS

Public Accounts: Mrs *Rylah*; and Mr *Tucker*

Public Works: The Chair of Committees; Ms *Butler*; and Mrs *Rylah*

Subordinate Legislation: The Chair of Committees; Ms *Standen*; and Mr *Tucker*.

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

Standing Orders: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; the Leader of the House; Mr *O'Byrne*; and Ms *White*.

## SELECT COMMITTEES AND MEMBERS

Firearms Legislation and Policy: The Chair of Committees; Dr *Broad*; Mr *Tucker*; and Dr *Woodruff*.

House of Assembly Restoration Bill: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; Ms *Dow*; Ms *Haddad*; Ms *O'Connor*; and Mrs *Rylah*.

Housing Affordability: Ms *Butler*, Ms *O'Connor*, Mrs *Rylah*, Ms *Standen*, and Mr *Tucker*.

## JOINT COMMITTEES AND MEMBERS

Library: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; Dr *Broad*; Ms *Dow*; Mrs *Rylah*; and Mr *Tucker*.

House: The Speaker; the Chair of Committees; and Mr *O'Byrne*.

Integrity: The Chair of Committees; the Leader of the House; and Ms *Houston*.