

## HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

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(FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTIETH PARLIAMENT)

## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

## No. 14

## WEDNESDAY, 15 SEPTEMBER 2021

1 The House met at Ten o'clock a.m.

**2** ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TRADITIONAL PEOPLE. - The Speaker made a statement acknowledging the traditional people of the land.

**3** PRAYERS AND REFLECTION. – The Speaker read Prayers.

**4** QUESTIONS SEEKING INFORMATION. – In accordance with Standing Order No. 43, Questions without notice were asked.

**5** SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION, PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON: REPORT BROUGHT UP. – Ms *Finlay* brought up the following Report of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Subordinate Legislation:

Report No. 16 - Scrutiny of Notice Issued Under Section 20 of the COVID-19 Disease Emergency (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2020 (Supreme Court of Tasmania) (Paper No. 16).

*Ordered*, That the said Report be received. (Ms *Finlay*)

6 PAPERS. – Mr *Ellis* laid upon the Table of the House the following Paper:-

Additional information provided to Estimates Committee B in respect of the Estimates of the Minister for Small Business and Minister for Women.

7 BILL NO. 43. – The Minister for Parks presented -

"A Bill for an Act to amend the Abandoned Lands Act 1973, the Associations Incorporation Act 1964, the Conveyancing and Law of Property Act 1884, the Conveyancing and Law of Property (Building Title Plans) Regulations 2012, the Homes Act 1935, the Land Acquisition Act 1993, the Land Titles Act 1980, the Land Titles Regulations 2012, the Local Government (Building and Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1993, the Local Government (Highways) Act 1982, the Nature Conservation Act 2002, the Neighbourhood Disputes About Plants Act 2017, the War Service Land Settlement Act 1950 and the Wellington Park Act 1993".

And Mrs *Petrusma* having presented the said Bill, the same was read the First time and made an Order of the Day for tomorrow.

8 BILL NO. 44. – Ms O'Connor presented -

"A Bill for an Act to amend the Forest Management Act 2013 to repeal the minimum sawlog quota".

And Ms O'Connor having presented the said Bill, the same was read the First time and made an Order of the Day for tomorrow.

**9** MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE: FISCAL SUSTAINABILITY. – Dr *Broad*, in accordance with Standing Orders, moved - That the House take note of the following matter:

Fiscal Sustainability.

And the Question being proposed;

A Debate arose thereupon.

And the Question being put;

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

**10** BILL NOS. 36 AND 37. - ESTIMATES COMMITTEES: FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS. - The Order of the Day being read for further consideration of the Reports of Estimates Committees A and B on the Appropriation Bills (No. 1) and (No. 2) 2021, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House.

(In the Committee)

Mr Tucker took the Chair.

Estimates of the Minister for Resources, Minister for Primary Industries and Water, Minister for Energy and Emissions Reduction, Minister for Trade and Minister for Veterans' Affairs.

Question proposed - That the proposed expenditures be agreed to and the resolutions or expressions of opinion agreed to by the Committee in relation to those expenditures be noted.

A debate arose thereupon.

Mr *Ellis* took the Chair.

Question again proposed.

SUSPENSION OF SITTING. - At One o'clock the Chair of Committees left the Chair. At half-past Two o'clock the Chair of Committees resumed the Chair.

Mr Ellis took the Chair.

Question again proposed.

Mr Tucker took the Chair.

Question again proposed.

Question put and agreed to.

The Chair of Committees took the Chair.

Estimates of the Minister for Health, Minister for Mental Health and Wellbeing, Minister for Advanced Manufacturing and Defence Industries and Minister for Community Services and Development.

Question proposed - That the proposed expenditures be agreed to and the resolutions or expressions of opinion agreed to by the Committee in relation to those expenditures be noted.

A debate arose thereupon.

Question put and agreed to.

Estimates of the Minister for Education, Minister for Hospitality and Events, Minister for Skills, Training and Workforce Development, Minister for Disability Services and Minister for Children and Youth.

Question proposed - That the proposed expenditures be agreed to and the resolutions or expressions of opinion agreed to by the Committee in relation to those expenditures be noted.

Mr Tucker took the Chair.

Question again proposed.

The Chair of Committees resumed the Chair.

Question again proposed.

Question put and agreed to.

To report progress and ask leave to sit again.

The House being resumed, Mr *Street* reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bills, and had directed him to ask leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, on tomorrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

**11** ADJOURNMENT. – A Motion being made - That the House do now adjourn. (The Minister for Education)

The Speaker proposed – That the House do now adjourn and called for issues to be raised;

The House adjourned at twenty-nine minutes past seven o'clock.

SHANE DONNELLY, Clerk of the House.

MEMBERS. - All present during the day.

The Minister for Sport and Recreation, Minister for Racing, Minister for Women and Minister for Small Business attended Question Time.