

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION OF 2024

(FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-FIRST PARLIAMENT)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 10

FRIDAY, 2 AUGUST 2024

- 1 **COUNCIL MEETS.** The Council met at 9.30 o'clock a.m.
- **2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TRADITIONAL PEOPLE.** The President said: "We meet today on Tasmanian Aboriginal land. We acknowledge and pay respect to the Tasmanian Aboriginal people and elders, past and present. We recognise them as the traditional and original owners and the continuing custodians of this land."
- **PRAYERS.** The President read Prayers.
- **4 PAPERS.** The Clerk of the Council laid upon the Table the following Papers:—
- (1) *Primary Produce Safety Act 2011*: Statutory Rules 2023, No. 85, Primary Procedure Safety (Horticulture Produce) Regulations 2023.
- (2) *Primary Produce Safety Act 2011*: Statutory Rules 2023, No. 90, Primary Produce Safety (General) Regulations 2023.
- (3) *Primary Produce Safety Act 2011*: Statutory Rules 2023, No. 91, Primary Produce Safety (Seafood) Regulations 2023.
- (4) Fire Service Act 1979: Statutory Rules 2024, No. 19, General Fire Amendment Regulations 2024.
- (5) Local Government Act 1993: Statutory Rules 2024, No. 33, Local Government (Appointment and Performance of General Managers) Order 2024.
- (6) Tasmania Legal Aid: Client Satisfaction Survey, Summary Report 2023.
- (7) Tasmanian Health Service: Annual Service Plan 2024-2025.
- (8) Registration to Work with Vulnerable People Act 2013: Statutory Rules 2024, No. 16, Registration to Work with Vulnerable People Regulations 2024.
- (9) Residential Tenancy Act 1997: Statutory Rules 2024, No. 31, Residential Tenancy Amendment Regulations 2024.
- **5 ROYAL ASSENT TO BILL.** The President read a Message from Her Excellency the Governor as follows:

MESSAGE

Barbara Baker, Governor

A Bill for an Act to amend the *Duties Act 2001*, the *Land Tax Act 2000*, the *Land Tax Rating Act 2000* and the *Payroll Tax Rebate (Apprentices, Trainees and Youth Employees) Act 2017*

Taxation Legislation (Affordable Housing and Employment Support) Act 2024 (Bill No 13 of 2024; Act No. 5 of 2024)

having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, she has in the name of His Majesty the King, assented to the said Bill.

Government House, Hobart, 28 June 2024

6 ROYAL ASSENT TO BILL.— The President read a Message from Her Excellency the Governor as follows:

MESSAGE

Barbara Baker, Governor

A Bill for an to establish an independent monitor to monitor and report to Parliament on the implementation of the recommendations of the Commission of Inquiry into the Tasmanian Government's Responses to Child Sexual Abuse in Institutional Settings, any recommendations of the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse that have been accepted by the State but not yet implemented, and certain other relevant recommendations and for related purposes

Child Safety Reform Implementation Monitor Act 2024 (Bill No 14 of 2024; Act No. 6 of 2024)

having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, she has in the name of His Majesty the King, assented to the said Bill.

Government House, Hobart, 5 July 2024

7 BILL NO. 20.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT.

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Forest Practices Act 1985* and the *Private Forests Act 1994*'

to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

House of Assembly, 30 July 2024

MICHELLE O'BYRNE, Speaker

The Bill was read the First time.

Ordered, That the Second reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next. (Ms Palmer)

8 BILL NO. 21.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT,

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Asbestos-Related Diseases (Occupational Exposure) Compensation Act 2011*'

to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

House of Assembly, 30 July 2024

MICHELLE O'BYRNE, Speaker

The Bill was read the First time.

Ordered, That the Second reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next. (Ms Palmer)

9 BILL NO. 17.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT.

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Industrial Hemp Act 2015* and the *Industrial Hemp Regulations 2016*'

to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

House of Assembly, 30 July 2024

MICHELLE O'BYRNE, Speaker

The Bill was read the First time.

Ordered, That the Second reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next. (Ms Palmer)

10 BILL NO. 26.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT.

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled—'A Bill for an to amend the Civil Liability Act 2002, the Corrections Act 1997, the Criminal Code Act 1924, the Police Offences Act 1935, the Registration to Work with Vulnerable People Act 2013 and the Sentencing Act 1997 and to consequentially amend the Annulled Convictions Act 2003, the Child and Youth Safe Organisations Act 2023, the Community Protection (Offender Reporting) Act 2005, the Evidence Act 2001, the Evidence (Children and Special Witnesses) Act 2001 and the Justices Act 1959' to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

House of Assembly, 1 August 2024

MICHELLE O'BYRNE, Speaker

The Bill was read the First time.

Ordered, That the Second reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next. (Ms Palmer)

BILL NO. 28.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT,

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an to amend the *Evidence (Children and Special Witnesses) Act 2001*'

to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

House of Assembly, 1 August 2024

MICHELLE O'BYRNE, Speaker

The Bill was read the First time.

Ordered, That the Second reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next. (Ms Palmer)

12 BILL NO. 19.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT,

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an to amend the Coroners Act 1985, the Criminal Code Act 1924, the Legal Profession Act 2007, the Police Offences Act 1935 and the Variation of Trusts Act 1994'

to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

House of Assembly, 1 August 2024

 ${\tt MICHELLE~O'BYRNE}, {\it Speaker}$

The Bill was read the First time.

Ordered, That the Second reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next. (Ms Palmer)

13 ADJOURNMENT.— *Resolved*, That the Council will, at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, 6 August 2024. (Ms *Palmer*)

Resolved, That the Council do now adjourn. (Ms Palmer)

The Council adjourned at 9.40 o'clock a.m.

C.L. VICKERS, Clerk of the Council.

Papers deemed tabled out of session:

 Office of the Custodial Inspector: Adult Health Care Inspection Report 2023 (deemed tabled 17 July 2024)

- Office of the Custodial Inspector: Youth Health Care Inspection Report 2023 (deemed tabled 18 July 2024)
- Office of the Custodial Inspector: Youth Wellbeing Inspection Report 2024 (deemed tabled 25 July 2024)