



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
SESSION OF 2018
(FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 10

TUESDAY, 19 JUNE 2018

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

2 DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.— The President said “I would like to draw to the attention of Honourable Members the presence in the President’s Reserve of the Lindisfarne Riverside Arts Club.”

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

- (1) Electricity Supply Industry Act 1995: Statutory Rules 2018, No. 2, containing Electricity Supply Industry (Network Planning Requirements) Regulations 2018.
- (2) Department of Premier and Cabinet: Fees set in accordance with the Fee Units Act 1997.
- (3) Land Acquisition Act 1993: Notice of Acquisition of land under Section 18, comprising area of land situate in the Land District of Buckingham, Parish of Kingborough in the Municipal area of Kingborough.

4 SPECIAL INTEREST MATTERS.— The President advised the Chamber of six Members who had indicated their desire to speak and of the order in which they were to speak as follows —

- (1) Mr *Valentine* – The late Norman (Bluey) Watson;
- (2) Mr *Finch* – The CH Smith Development;
- (3) Ms *Siejka* - Lindisfarne Riverside Arts Club;
- (4) Ms *Forrest* – Play-based Early Learning;
- (5) Ms *Hiscutt* – Emu Valley Rhododendron Gardens; and
- (6) Ms *Howlett* – Bridgewater Bridge.

At the conclusion of Special Interest Matters the Council proceeded to Orders of the Day.

5 BUDGET PAPERS 2018-19 AND CONSOLIDATED FUND APPROPRIATION BILLS (NO.1 AND NO.2) 2018.— The Order of the Day was read for resuming the Debate on the Question, That the Budget Papers and the Consolidated Fund Appropriation Bills (No. 1 and No. 2) 2018 be noted.

6 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.

7 QUESTION TIME.— The President called for Questions without Notice. There were two Questions asked.

8 BUDGET PAPERS 2018-19 AND CONSOLIDATED FUND APPROPRIATION BILLS (NO.1 AND NO.2) 2018.— The Council resumed Debate on the Question, That the Budget Papers and the Consolidated Fund Appropriation Bills (No. 1 and No. 2) 2018 be noted.

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned. (Mr *Dean*)

9 BILL NO. 18.— 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 *Payroll Tax Act 2008*, the *Payroll Tax Rebate (Apprentices, Trainees and Youth Employees) Act 2017*, the *Land Tax Act 2000*, the *First Home Owner Grant Act 2000* and the *Duties Act 2001*’, to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

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The Bill was read the First time.

10 MOTION WITHOUT NOTICE.— *Ordered*, That Mrs *Hiscutt* have leave to move a Motion without Notice.

11 SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS.— *Ordered*, That so much of Standing Orders be suspended in respect of the Taxation Related Legislation (Housing Availability and Payroll Relief) Bill 2018 in order that the Bill may pass through its remaining stages at such times as the council may appoint. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

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

12 BILL NO. 18.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT,

The House of Assembly doth agreed to the following Resolution communicated to it by the Legislative Council on 14 June 2018:-

Resolved, That the Legislative Council having appointed two Estimates Committees reflecting the distribution of Government Ministers’ portfolio responsibilities, requests that the House of Assembly give leave to all Ministers to appear before and give evidence to the relevant Council Estimates Committee in relation to the Budget Estimates and related documents.

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13 ADJOURNMENT.— A Motion was made (Mrs *Hiscutt*) and the Question was put, That the Council will at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o’clock am on Wednesday, 20 June 2018. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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

The Council adjourned at 5.47 o’clock pm.

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