

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION OF 2022

(SECOND SESSION OF THE FIFTIETH PARLIAMENT)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 7

THURSDAY, 26 MAY 2022

- 1 **COUNCIL MEETS.** The Council met at 11.00 o'clock in the forenoon.
- **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 BILL NO. 15.** 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 *Police Offences Act 1935* and to repeal the *Workplaces (Protection from Protesters) Act 2014*',

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

House of Assembly, 25 May 2022

MARK SHELTON, 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. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

- **5 BILL NO. 14.** The Appropriation (Supplementary Appropriation for 2021-22) Bill 2022 was read the Third time and passed.
- **6 BILL NO. 14.** A Message to the House of Assembly:—

MR SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council has this day agreed, without Request and without Amendment, to a Bill intituled, 'A Bill for an Act for the appropriation of \$441 739 000 out of the Public Account for the services of the Government for the financial year ending on 30 June 2022'.

Legislative Council, 26 May 2022

C.M. FARRELL, President

- 7 **BILL NO. 4.** The Criminal Code Amendment Bill 2022 was read the Third time and passed.
- **8 BILL NO. 4.** A Message to the House of Assembly:—

MR SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council has this day agreed, without Amendment, to a Bill intituled, 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Criminal Code Act 1924*'.

Legislative Council, 26 May 2022

C.M. FARRELL, President

9 BILL NO. 9.— The Order of the Day was read for the Second reading of the Youth Justice Amendment (Searches in Custody) Bill 2022.

A Motion was made (Mrs *Hiscutt*), and the Question was proposed, That the Bill be now read the Second time.

A Debate arose thereupon.

10 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.

11 QUESTION TIME.— The President called for Questions without Notice. There were six Questions asked.

Ordered, That Mrs *Hiscutt*, have leave to Table Answers to Questions regarding TasRacing and their use of the Devonport Track and have the Answers incorporated into the Hansard record.

SITTING SUSPENDED.—*Resolved*, That the Sitting of the Council be suspended until the ringing of the Division bells for the purpose of enabling Members to attend the Assembly to hear the Budget Speech delivered by the Treasurer. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

The Sitting was suspended at 2.44 o'clock p.m. and resumed at 3.53 o'clock p.m.

- **13 LEAVE TO TABLE BUDGET PAPERS.** *Ordered*, That Mrs *Hiscutt* have leave to Table Budget Papers.
- **14 BUDGET PAPERS.** Mrs *Hiscutt* laid upon the Table Budget Papers for 2022-23 entitled:

Budget Speech;

The Tasmanian Budget – Budget Paper No. 1;

Government Services – Budget Paper No. 2, Volumes 1 and 2;

Appropriation Bill (No. 1) 2022;

Appropriation Bill (No. 2) 2022;

The Tasmanian Budget - An Overview; and

The Tasmanian Budget – Gender Budget Statement.

- **MOTION WITHOUT NOTICE.** *Ordered*, That Mrs *Hiscutt* have leave to move two Motions without Notice.
- **16 PRECEDENCE OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.** *Ordered*, That Government business have precedence on the next two sitting Tuesdays being Tuesday, 31 May and Tuesday 21 June 2021. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)
- 17 BUDGET PAPERS 2022-23 AND APPROPRIATION BILLS (NO. 1 AND

NO. 2) 2022: TAKE NOTE.— A Motion was made (Mrs *Hiscutt*) and the Question was proposed, That the Budget Papers and Appropriation Bills (No. 1 and No. 2) 2022 be noted.

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned. (Mrs Hiscutt)

18 ADJOURNMENT.— *Ordered*, That the Council at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, 31 May 2022. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

A Motion was made (Mrs Hiscutt) and the Question was proposed, That the Council do now adjourn.

A Debate arose thereupon.

And the Question being put,

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Council adjourned at 3.56 o'clock p.m.

D.T. PEARCE, Clerk of the Council.

Briefings:

- Local Government Amendment (Elections) Bill 2022 (No. 28)
- Youth Justice Amendment (Searches in Custody) Bill 2022 (No. 9)