



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION OF 2019

(SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 26

WEDNESDAY, 14 AUGUST 2019

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

2 BILL NO. 14.— The Order of the Day was read for the consideration of the Right to Information Amendment (Applications for Review) Bill 2019 as amended in Committee of the Whole Council.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The Council, accordingly, proceeded to take the same into consideration.

The Amendments were read the First time.

The said Amendments, being read the Second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill as amended in the Committee, be now read the Third time. (*Mrs Hiscutt*)

The Bill was read the Third time and passed.

3 BILL NO. 14.— A Message to the House of Assembly:—

MADAM SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council having this day agreed, with Amendments, to a Bill intituled — 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Right to Information Act 2009*',

returns the same to the House of Assembly, and requests its concurrence therein.

Legislative Council, 14 August 2019

C.M. FARRELL, *President*

4 BILL NO. 20. — The Workers Rehabilitation and Compensation Amendment Bill 2019 was read the Third time and passed.

5 BILL NO. 20.— A Message to the House of Assembly:—

MADAM SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council has this day agreed, without Amendment, to the Bill intituled, 'A Bill for an Act to amend the *Workers Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1988* to remove certain restrictions in relation to weekly payments in respect of police officers injured while on active duty'.

Legislative Council, 14 August 2019

C.M. FARRELL, *President*

6 BILL NO. 64 of 2018. — The Electricity Supply Industry Restructuring (Savings and Transitional Provisions) Amendment Bill 2018 was read the Third time and passed.

7 BILL NO. 64 of 2018.— A Message to the House of Assembly:—

MADAM SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council has this day agreed, without Amendment, to the Bill intituled, 'A Bill for an Act to amend the An Act to amend the *Electricity Supply Industry Restructuring (Savings and Transitional Provisions) Act 1995*'.

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C.M. FARRELL, *President*

8 SITTING SUSPENDED.— *Resolved*, That the Sitting of the Council be suspended until the ringing of the Division bells. (*Mrs Hiscutt*)

The Sitting was suspended at 11.06 o'clock a.m. and resumed at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

9 QUESTION TIME.— The President called for Questions without Notice. There were eight Questions asked.

10 BILL NO. 61 OF 2018.— The Order of the Day was read for the Second reading of the *Forest Practices Amendment Bill 2018*.

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

A Debate arose thereupon.

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned. (*Ms Howlett*)

11 SITTING SUSPENDED.— *Resolved*, That the Sitting of the Council be suspended until the ringing of the Division bells. (*Mrs Hiscutt*)

The Sitting was suspended at 3.16 o'clock p.m. and resumed at 4.16 o'clock p.m.

12 BILL NO. 61 of 2018.— The Council, according to Order, resumed the Debate on the Question, That the *Forest Practices Amendment Bill 2018* be now read the Second time.

And the Question being put,

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Bill was, accordingly, read the Second time and committed to a Committee of the Whole Council.

And the President having left the Chair, the Council resolved itself into the said Committee.

(In the Committee)

Ms Forrest in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 32 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill to be reported without Amendment.

The Council being resumed, *Ms Forrest* reported that the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed her to report the same to the Council without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Third reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for tomorrow. (*Ms Howlett*)

13 ADJOURNMENT.— A Motion was made (*Mrs Hiscutt*) and the Question was proposed, That the Council will at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o'clock am on Thursday, 15 August 2019.

A Debate arose thereupon.

And the Question being put,

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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

The Council adjourned at 6.29 o'clock p.m.

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

Briefings:

- *Government Procurement Review (International Free Trade Agreements) Bill 2019*
- *Local Government (Highways) Amendment Bill 2019*
- *Criminal Code and Related Legislation Amendment (Child Abuse) Bill 2018*
- *Forest Practices Amendment Bill 2018*