



HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

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(FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SECOND PARLIAMENT)

NOTICES OF MOTION AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

No. 8

WEDNESDAY, 5 NOVEMBER 2025

(At 10:00 o'clock a.m.)

Notices of Motion tabled prior to 25 September are published in the Motion Paper.

Notices of Motion

- 27** The Minister for Tourism, Hospitality and Events to move—That the House:—
- (1) Recognises and celebrates Tasmania's success at the recent Australia's Top Tourism Town Awards held in Canberra on 3 September 2025.
 - (2) Notes that Tasmania continues to stand out on the national stage for our brilliant visitor economy and high quality visitor experience.
 - (3) Congratulates Cat Davidson of Inala Nature Tours, Bruny Island, who won the national trophy for the top tour guide in the country.
 - (4) Acknowledges that silver medals were also won by Deloraine, in the 'Small Tourism Town' section, and Devonport in the 'Top Tourism Town' section.
 - (5) Further notes that Stanley was also a finalist in the 'Tiny Tourism Towns' category.
 - (6) Further recognises that it is the first time Deloraine has been an entrant in the national awards, where it was recognised for the high-quality tourism experienced by visitors to the area.
 - (7) Further notes that Devonport won the gold award last year and has returned to win silver this year.
 - (8) Further congratulates the many people who contributed to these wins especially the community leadership of Mayor of Devonport, Alison Jarman, and Acting Mayor of the Meander Valley, Stephanie Cameron.
 - (9) Further acknowledges that these awards are a benchmark for the gold standard of tourism in Australia and to have one of our tour guides taking out the top award, and our towns winning silver medals, is recognition of the high standard found in Tasmania.
 - (10) Further notes that the Tasmanian Government is working together with our hardworking industry to take our state forward and deliver a strong tourism sector. (25 September 2025)
- 28** Mr *Ferguson* to move—That the House:—
- (1) Notes that:—
 - (a) Bell Bay Aluminium in Northern Tasmania is Australia's only aluminium smelter powered entirely by renewable energy, directly employing more than 550 Tasmanians and supporting nearly 300 local businesses in the supply chain;
 - (b) the Tasmanian Liberal Government has worked tirelessly alongside industry, local government, and community stakeholders to secure the smelter's future - including advocacy to the Commonwealth to ensure Tasmania receives its fair and appropriate share of national industry support;
 - (c) the Australian Government has offered substantial support packages to mainland smelters (including to Tomago Aluminium in New South Wales) while

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withholding confirmation that Bell Bay Aluminium will be eligible for assistance under the Green Aluminium Production Credit Scheme;

- (d) Hydro Tasmania is engaged in good faith negotiations, offering Bell Bay Aluminium a competitive, commercial energy price (consistent with its Charter and Australia's competition law obligations) to put Tasmanian jobs and the economy first; and
 - (e) despite repeated requests since the start of 2025, the Australian Government has failed to provide any assurance that Bell Bay Aluminium will be treated equitably under the national scheme.
- (2) Acknowledges that maintaining Bell Bay Aluminium is in both the State's interest and the national interest in that it is critical to Australia's sovereign industrial capability and the long-term future of Tasmanian jobs, exports, and economic activity.
- (3) Calls on the Australian Government to immediately:—
- (a) confirm that Bell Bay Aluminium is entitled to access the Green Aluminium Production Credit Scheme; and
 - (b) work with the Tasmanian Government to deliver a fair and equitable outcome that recognises Tasmania's renewable energy advantage. (4 November 2025)

29 The Minister for Macquarie Point Urban Renewal to move—That the House approves, in accordance with section 26(9) of the State Policies and Projects Act 1993, the State Policies and Projects (Macquarie Point Precinct) Order 2025 (Statutory Rules 2025, No.49) made on 21 October 2025. (4 November 2025)

30 Mr *George* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Notes that:—
- (a) the State's public debt is approaching \$13 billion, the highest in Tasmania's history, placing growing pressure on essential services such as health, housing, education, and mental health;
 - (b) the Government nevertheless remains committed to a \$1.13 billion stadium project at Macquarie Point, despite widespread public opposition and escalating costs;
 - (c) the final cost of the stadium and surrounding infrastructure will further increase the cost to the public purse;
 - (d) Tasmania already possesses suitable AFL venues which could be upgraded at a fraction of the cost of a new build;
 - (e) the proposed stadium has become a symbol of misplaced priorities, at a time when Tasmanians are struggling with record housing shortages and declining service standards; and
 - (f) the AFL's requirement for a new stadium as a condition of Tasmania's entry into the national competition cannot be justified, given both the State's fiscal position and available facilities.
- (2) Calls on the Government to:—
- (a) reopen negotiations with the AFL to remove the Macquarie Point stadium requirement from the current agreement; and
 - (b) continue Tasmania's unprecedented financial support of the Tasmanian Devils AFL team and ensure the team's establishment proceeds without further burdening the State's finances, through a further \$5.9 million stadium subsidy to be paid annually in lieu of the income the Macquarie Point stadium would have generated for the club. (4 November 2025)

31 Mr *Di Falco* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Recognises:—
- (a) the crucial role recreational hunting plays in deer management; and
 - (b) the cultural and historical significance of hunting in Tasmania.
- (2) Acknowledges:—
- (a) recreational hunting generates over \$80 million to the Tasmanian economy; and
 - (b) several regional Tasmanians rely on harvested meat to provide for their families.
- (3) Calls on the Government to:—
- (a) expand Sustainable Timber Tasmania land access to recreational hunting;
 - (b) support recreational hunters as the primary method of deer management;

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- (c) maintain deer status as partially protected;
- (d) explore amending legislation that prohibits the donation of game meat to charitable organisations to combat food insecurity; and
- (e) maintain the ban on 1080 poison to target deer populations. (4 November 2025)

32 Ms Johnston to move—That the House:—

- (1) Notes:—
 - (a) that gambling harm in Tasmania remains significant, with annual poker machine losses alone exceeding \$190 million, and growing evidence linking exposure to gambling advertising with risky gambling behaviour and the grooming of children into gambling; and
 - (b) the findings and recommendations of the Commonwealth House of Representatives Standing Committee on Social Policy and Legal Affairs in its 2023 report ‘You Win Some, You Lose More – Inquiry into Online Gambling and its Impacts on Those Experiencing Gambling Harm’, particularly Recommendation 26, which calls for the Australian Government, with the cooperation of the states and territories, to implement a comprehensive national ban on all forms of gambling advertising, including a “prohibition on all in-stadia advertising and logos on players’ uniforms.”
- (2) Recognises that governments have a clear public health responsibility to avoid promoting activities known to cause harm — just as occurred when tobacco advertising and sponsorship were banned to protect community wellbeing.
- (3) Affirms that publicly owned venues should model this standard by prohibiting gambling advertising and sponsorship that normalise or glamorise wagering.
- (4) Calls on the Government to:—
 - (a) introduce, within one year of this resolution, a complete ban on gambling advertising and sponsorship at all state-owned or state-funded venues, including the proposed Macquarie Point Stadium, and on players’ uniforms; and
 - (b) table a progress report within six months on removing gambling advertising and sponsorship at all state-owned or state-funded venues. (4 November 2025)

33 Ms Finlay to move—That the House:—

- (1) Acknowledges the Premier Hon. Jeremy Rockliff MP:—
 - (a) made a deal with the Greens to establish a politically motivated review into Tasmania’s salmon industry in order to cling to power; and
 - (b) immediately changed the terms of reference for the review after the Greens objected to the original terms of reference, in order to keep his political partners happy.
- (2) Observes that this latest capitulation shows the Premier is no longer in charge of his own Government.
- (3) Notes:—
 - (a) that it’s the Greens and Independents propping up the Liberal Government who are now calling the shots, while Hon. Jeremy Rockliff MP does whatever it takes to cling to power;
 - (b) that letters from the Premier to Tasmanian industries aren’t worth the paper they’re written on;
 - (c) that Tasmanians are deeply concerned about which other industries the Liberals will sell out to the Greens and Independents to stay in power; and
 - (d) the Tasmanian Chamber of Commerce and Industry’s comments that Tasmania is not a safe place to do business. (4 November 2025)

34 Ms Finlay to move—That the House:—

- (1) Acknowledges the Liberal Government, propped up by the Greens and Independents are failing to stand up for Tasmanian workers, regional communities, and the state’s economic interests in negotiations between Hydro Tasmania and Bell Bay Aluminium.
- (2) Notes that:—
 - (a) more than 500 Tasmanian workers at Bell Bay Aluminium, and thousands more whose jobs depend on the operation of over 300 related businesses, are facing uncertainty due to the Government’s failure to secure a new power contract;

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- (b) Hydro Tasmania is a state-owned enterprise that is obligated under its Ministerial Charter to act in the public interest and prioritise Tasmania's economic wellbeing; and
 - (c) the State Government has both the power and the responsibility to compel government businesses and state-owned companies to act in Tasmania's best interests, but has failed to do so.
- (3) Condemns the Liberal Government, propped up by the Greens and Independents, for putting Hydro Tasmania's profits and its own political survival ahead of Tasmanian workers, their families, and regional jobs.
- (4) Calls on the Government to:—
 - (a) direct Hydro Tasmania to act in accordance with its Ministerial Charter and secure a fair power contract for Bell Bay Aluminium; and
 - (b) publicly outline what steps it is taking to ensure all government businesses act in Tasmania's best interests. (4 November 2025)

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Ms Brown to move—That the House:—

- (1) Condemns the Liberal-Green Government for its ongoing failure to address Tasmania's worsening housing crisis.
- (2) Notes that:—
 - (a) the latest Homes Tasmania dashboard shows a record 5,336 primary applicants on the social housing register – the ninth successive monthly increase and almost 10 per cent higher than this time last year;
 - (b) new dwelling commencements have plummeted to just 558 for the June 2025 quarter – barely half the number being built four years ago;
 - (c) after 11 years in power, the Liberal-Greens Government's housing record is one of neglect, delay, and failure; and
 - (d) the Liberal-Green Government continues to rely on creative accounting by counting vacant lots, shared equity purchases and existing rentals toward its housing targets – an approach that does not deliver a single new home for Tasmanians in need.
- (3) Condemns Premier Hon. Jeremy Rockliff MP and the Liberal-Green Government for prioritising political survival over delivering genuine housing outcomes for Tasmanians.
- (4) Calls on the Government to:—
 - (a) come clean with Tasmanians about the true number of new homes built under its housing targets; and
 - (b) present to the House, by 4.00 p.m. Thursday 13 November 2025, a plan to increase housing supply and reduce the social housing waitlist. (4 November 2025)

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Mr Bayley to move—That the House accepts:—

- (1) Capital expenditure for the stadium is officially estimated at \$1.3 billion - \$865 million funded by State Government and proponent borrowings.
- (2) Additional elements required to build or operate the stadium that are not included in this cost estimate include:—
 - (a) additional site works (32 million);
 - (b) northern access road and event plaza (\$75.9 million);
 - (c) carpark (\$97 million);
 - (d) event buses (\$49 million);
 - (e) Tasmania Symphony Orchestra compensation and upgrades (\$4.45 million); and
 - (f) Davey, Collins and Hunter Streets path widening (\$17.6 million).
- (3) The State of Tasmania is entirely liable for any future costs, including cost overruns, penalty payments to the AFL, and failure to acquit the federal funding grant for urban renewal.
- (4) The Coordinator-General stated in the Public Accounts Committee on Wednesday 22 October 2025 that the State Government will pay between \$45 million and \$70 million annually on interest alone, without repaying capital costs.
- (5) Further borrowing could be required to fund operational expenditure for the stadium, net operating cash deficits, penalty payments, and life cycle and event attraction costs.

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- (6) At past cost estimates, the stadium is estimated to add at least \$2 billion of debt to the state over 10 years, and that figure would be greater with updated costs and aforementioned unbudgeted components.
- (7) S&P Global revised its long-term credit rating outlook for Tasmania from stable to negative, and Tasmania's rising debt burden increases the likelihood of a credit rating downgrade, increasing debt servicing costs and resulting in reduced public services. (4 November 2025)

37 Mr *Mitchell* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Condemns the Liberal-Green Government for cutting funding to TasTAFE, a decision that will hurt young Tasmanians and reduce opportunities for young people.
- (2) Notes:—
 - (a) that by cutting TasTAFE's course subsidies, the Liberal-Green Government is strangling Tasmania's labour pipeline and cutting off access to critical training and skills opportunities; and
 - (b) the decision will force young Tasmanians to travel interstate if they want to pursue certain courses.
- (3) Calls on:—
 - (a) the Liberal-Green Government to immediately reverse its TasTAFE funding cuts; and
 - (b) the Minister for Skills and Jobs to publicly admit the decision to cut TasTAFE's course subsidies is actually a budget savings measure and has nothing to do with course enrolments or the value of these qualifications to Tasmania's economy. (4 November 2025)

38 Mr *Willie* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Recognises that Tasmania's hard-working teachers, health workers, and other public sector employees deserve fair pay, safe working conditions, and respect.
- (2) Notes that Tasmanian public sector workers are exhausted, under pressure, and increasingly frustrated that their concerns continue to be ignored by the Liberal-Green Government.
- (3) Condemns the Liberal-Green Government for failing to engage in good faith negotiations with its workforce.
- (4) Further notes that Premier Hon. Jeremy Rockliff MP and the Liberals already sold out Tasmanian workers once this year by doing a deal with the Greens to stay in power, proving they cannot be trusted to stand up for workers fighting for fair conditions.
- (5) Calls on:—
 - (a) the Minister for Education, Children and Youth, Hon. Jo Palmer MLC, to apologise to Tasmanian teachers for grandstanding in the media instead of working to resolve their concerns; and
 - (b) the Liberal-Green Government to sit down with public sector workers, listen to their concerns, and find a fair and sustainable solution. (4 November 2025)

39 Mr *Willie* to move—That the House:—

- (1) Notes that the Rockliff Government is responsible for the biggest infrastructure stuff-up in Tasmania's history, the Spirits fiasco – which has plunged TT-Line into financial crisis and left Tasmanian taxpayers footing the bill.
- (2) Recognises that:—
 - (a) unplanned costs associated with the Spirits replacement project have now exceeded half a billion dollars;
 - (b) these cost blowouts have pushed TT-Line to the brink of insolvency; and
 - (c) the upcoming State Budget, to be delivered on 6 November 2025, will include a \$75 million bailout payment to TT-Line as a direct result of the Rockliff Government's incompetence.
- (3) Calls on the Government to:—
 - (a) outline in full how it intends to fund the \$75 million bailout payment to TT-Line; and
 - (b) be honest with the Tasmanian people about whether the 2026-27 Budget will include a further bailout for the Spirits project. (4 November 2025)

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Orders of the Day

- 1** Acts Enumeration Amendment Bill 2025 (No. 34): Second reading. (The Premier)
- 2** Justice and Related Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill 2025 (No. 2) (No. 39): Second reading. (Minister for Justice, Corrections and Rehabilitation)
- 3** Environmental Management and Pollution Control Amendment Bill 2025 (No. 48): Second reading. (Mr *Bayley*)
- 4** Police Offences Amendment Bill 2025 (No. 50): Second reading. (Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Management)
- 5** Residential Tenancy Amendment (Safety Modifications) Bill 2025 (No. 59): Second reading. (Minister for Small Business, Trade and Consumer Affairs)
- 6** Tasmanian Community Fund Amendment Bill 2025 (No. 55): Second reading. (Minister for Community and Multicultural Affairs)
- 7** Mt Lyell Acid Drainage Reduction (Repeal) Bill 2025 (No. 53): Second reading. (Minister for Environment)
- 8** University of Tasmania (Protection of Land) Bill 2025 (No. 58): Second reading. (Minister for Innovation, Science and the Digital Economy)
- 9** Registration to Work with Vulnerable People Amendment Bill 2025 (No. 60): Second reading. (Minister for Justice, Corrections and Rehabilitation)
- 10** Community Protection (Offender Reporting) Amendment Bill 2025 (No. 61): Second reading. (Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Management)
- 11** Gaming Control Amendment (Dealing with Stolen Money) Bill 2025 (No. 67): Second reading. (Ms *Johnston*)

THURSDAY, 19 MARCH 2026

Orders of the Day

Select Committee appointed to inquire into, consider and report on reproductive, maternal and paediatric health and perinatal mental health services in Tasmania: Report of the Select Committee to be brought up.

LAURA ROSS, *Clerk of the House*

PAPERS ISSUED
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Notices of Motion and Orders of the Day No. 8.
Notices of Motion No. 5.
Notices of Question No. 2.
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BILLS

Read First Time

Bill No.	34.	Acts Enumeration Amendment (<i>pro forma</i>).
Bill No.	60.	Registration to Work with Vulnerable People Amendment.
Bill No.	61.	Community Protection (Offender Reporting) Amendment.
Bill No.	67.	Gaming Control Amendment (Dealing with Stolen Money).

Read First Time and ready for Second Reading

Bill No.	39.	Justice and Related Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 2).
Bill No.	48.	Environmental Management and Pollution Control Amendment.
Bill No.	50.	Police Offences Amendment.
Bill No.	53.	Mt Lyell Acid Drainage Reduction (Repeal).
Bill No.	55.	Tasmanian Community Fund Amendment.
Bill No.	58.	University of Tasmania (Protection of Land).
Bill No.	59.	Residential Tenancy Amendment (Safety Modifications).

Read Third Time and transmitted to L.C.

Bill No.	36.	Government Business Governance Reforms.
Bill No.	37.	Commissions of Inquiry Amendment (Private Sessions Information).
Bill No.	40.	Residential Tenancy Amendment (Pets).
Bill No.	41.	Sentencing Amendment (Aggravating Factors).
Bill No.	42.	Government Business (Sale Reforms).
Bill No.	43.	Taxation and Related Legislation (First Home Owner and Payroll Relief).
Bill No.	44.	Custodial Inspector Amendment (Protection from Reprisal).
Bill No.	45.	Poisons Amendment (Interstate Prescriptions).
Bill No.	46.	Dangerous Criminals and High Risk Offenders Amendment.
Bill No.	47.	Justice Miscellaneous (Explosives Offences).
Bill No.	49.	Public Accounts Committee Amendment.
Bill No.	51.	Expungement of Historical Offences Amendment.
Bill No.	52.	Terrorism Legislation (Extension).
Bill No.	54.	Commission for Children and Young People.

Agreed to by Both Houses

Bill No.	38.	Justice and Related Legislation (Miscellaneous Amendments). (<i>Act No. 17 of 2025</i>)
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PAPERS TABLED AND ORDERED TO BE PRINTED

12.	Auditor-General: Report No. 1 of 2025-26 – Management of landfills in Tasmania.
17.	Auditor-General: Report No. 2 of 2025-26 – Auditor-General's report on the financial statements of State entities – Volume 1 – Annual Audit Update – Audit of State entities and audited subsidiaries of State entities 30 June 2025.
18.	Auditor-General: Report No. 3 of 2025-26 – Proposed sale of Wilkinsons Point land.
19.	Public Accounts, Joint Standing Committee of: Annual Report 2024-25.

COMMITTEES AND MEMBERS

Energy Matters, Joint Standing Committee on: Mr Bayley, Ms Finlay, Mr Garland, and Mr Vermey.

Electoral Matters, Joint Standing Committee on: Mr Bayley, Mr Ferguson, Ms Haddad, and Ms Johnston.

Gender and Equality, Joint Sessional Committee on: Ms Brown, Mr George, Mr Jaensch, and Ms Rosol.

Government Administration 'A', Standing Committee on: Ms Badger, Ms Burnet, Ms Dow, Mr Ferguson, Mr Mitchell, Mr O'Byrne, and Mr Shelton.

Government Administration 'B', Standing Committee on: Ms Brown, Mr George, Ms Haddad, Mr Fairs, Mr Jaensch, Ms Johnston, and Ms Rosol.

Greyhound Racing Transition, Joint Standing Committee on: Ms Johnston, Mr Vermey, and Mr Winter.

House, Joint Sessional Committee on: The Speaker, the Chair of Committees, and Ms Johnston.

Integrity, Joint Standing Committee on: Mr George, Ms Haddad, and Mr Jaensch.

Library, Joint Sessional Committee on: The Speaker, the Chair of Committees, Ms Brown, Mr Fairs, Prof Razay, and Mr Shelton.

Privileges and Conduct, Standing Committee on: The Speaker, the Chair of Committees, the Leader of the House, Ms Haddad, Mr O'Byrne, Ms Rosol, and Mr Winter.

Public Accounts, Joint Standing Committee of: Mr Jaensch, Mr Vermey, and Mr Winter.

Public Works, Joint Standing Committee on: Ms Burnet, Ms Butler, and Mr Shelton.

Recommendations of the Final Report of the Commission of Inquiry, Joint Sessional Committee on: Mrs Greene, Ms Rosol, and Mr Vermey.

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Reproductive, Maternal and Paediatric Health Services in Tasmania, Select Committee on: Ms *Dow*, Mr *Fairs*, Ms *Haddad*, Ms *Johnston*, and Ms *Rosol*.

Standing Orders, Standing Committee on: The Speaker, the Chair of Committees, the Leader of the House, Mr *Bayley*, Ms *Finlay*, Ms *Haddad*, and Ms *Johnston*.

Subordinate Legislation, Joint Standing Committee on: Ms *Burnet*, Mr *Fairs*, and Mrs *Greene*.

Workplace Culture Oversight, Joint Sessional Committee on: The Premier, the Speaker, Mr *Willie*, and Dr *Woodruff*.