



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
SESSION OF 2022
(SECOND SESSION OF THE FIFTIETH PARLIAMENT)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 13

WEDNESDAY, 22 JUNE 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.”
- 3 PRAYERS.**— The President read Prayers.
- 4 PETITIONS: GOVERNMENT RESPONSES.**— Mrs *Hiscutt* laid upon the Table of the Council the Government Responses to the following Petitions:
- (1) Petition No. 37 of 2021: relating to the lack of a pedestrian path on the Channel Highway at Kettering.
- (2) Petition No. 41 of 2021: relating to the lack of a suitable path on the Huon Highway at Dover.
- 5 PAPERS.**— The Acting Clerk of the Council laid upon the Table the Department of Justice: Right to Information Annual Report on the administration of the *Right to Information Act 2009* for the period 1 July 2020 – 30 June 2021.
- 6 BILL NO. 23.**— The Appropriation Bill (No. 1) 2022 was read the Third time and passed.
- 7 BILL NO. 23.**— 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 to for the appropriation of \$6 993 286 000 out of the Public Account for the services of the Government for the financial year ending on 30 June 2023’,

now returns the same to the House of Assembly.

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C.M. FARRELL, President

- 8 BILL NO. 24.**— The Appropriation Bill (No. 2) 2022 was read the Third time and passed.
- 9 BILL NO. 24.**— A Message to the House of Assembly:—

MR SPEAKER,

The Legislative Council has this day agreed, without Request, to a Bill intituled, ‘A Bill for an Act for the appropriation of \$43 203 000 out of the Public Account for the services of the Government in respect of Parliament and Statutory Offices for the financial year ending on 30 June 2023’,

now returns the same to the House of Assembly.

10 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 11.09 o'clock a.m. and resumed at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

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

Ordered, That Mrs *Hiscutt* have leave to Table the Bilateral Agreement for Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Fact Sheet and have the information incorporated into the Hansard record.

12 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 2.55 o'clock p.m. and resumed at 3.45 o'clock p.m.

13 BILL NO. 15.— The Order of the Day was read for the Second reading of the Police Offences Amendment (Workplace Protection) 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.

Ordered, That Mrs *Hiscutt* have leave to Table a letter from the Minister for Resources to Members of the Legislative Council dated 21 June 2022 and have it incorporated into the Hansard record.

14 SITTING SUSPENDED. — It being 4.00 o'clock p.m. the Sitting of the Council was suspended.

The Council resumed the Sitting at 4.30 o'clock p.m.

15 BILL NO. 15.— The Council resumed the Debate on the Question, That the Police Offences Amendment (Workplace Protection) Bill 2022 be now read the Second time.

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

16 ADJOURNMENT.— *Resolved*, That the Council will, at its rising, adjourn until 10.00 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 23 June 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 6.15 o'clock p.m.

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

Briefing:

- *Police Offences Amendment (Workplace Protection) Bill 2022 (No. 15)*