

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION OF 2021

(FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTIETH PARLIAMENT)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 14

FRIDAY, 17 SEPTEMBER 2021

- 1 **COUNCIL MEETS.** The Council met at 9.30 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 REPORTS OF ESTIMATES COMMITTEE 'A'.** Dr *Seidel* presented the Reports of Estimates Committee 'A' on the estimates of -

The Minister for Finance

The Minister for Infrastructure and Transport

The Minister for State Development, Construction and Housing

The Minister for Science and Technology

The Premier

The Treasurer

The Minister for Tourism

The Minister for Climate Change

The Minister for Health

The Minister for Mental Health and Wellbeing

The Minister for Advanced Manufacturing and Defence Industries

The Minister for Community Services and Development

The Minister for State Growth

The Minister for Local Government and Planning

The Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

The Minister for Environment

The Minister for Heritage

together with the Minutes of Proceedings, other additional information received by the Committee and the transcripts of evidence taken by the Committee.

Ordered, That the Reports be received. (Dr Seidel)

5 REPORTS OF ESTIMATES COMMITTEE 'B'.— Mr *Valentine* presented the Reports of Estimates Committee 'B' on the estimates of –

The Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Management

The Minister for Parks

The Minister for the Prevention of Family Violence

The Minister for Women

The Minister for Small Business

The Minister for Sport and Recreation

The Minister for Racing

The Minister for Primary Industries and Water

The Minister for Veterans' Affairs

The Minister for Energy and Emissions Reduction

The Minister for Trade

The Minister for Resources

The Minister for Education

The Minister for Skills, Training and Workforce Growth

The Minister for Disability Services

The Minister for Children and Youth

The Minister for Hospitality and Events

The Attorney-General

The Minister for Justice

The Minister for Corrections

The Minister for Workplace Safety and Consumer Affairs

The Minister for the Arts

together with the Minutes of Proceedings, other additional information received by the Committee and the transcripts of evidence taken by the Committee.

Ordered, That the Reports be received. (Mr Valentine)

6 ROYAL ASSENT TO BILLS.— The President read a Message from Her Excellency the Governor as follows:

MESSAGE

Barbara Baker, Governor

A Bill for an Act to make interim provision for the appropriation of \$1 650 703 000 out of the Public Account for the services of the Government for the financial year ending on 30 June 2022

Supply Act (No. 3) 2021

(Bill No 32; Act No. 9 of 2021)

A Bill for an Act to make interim provision for the appropriation of \$9 849 000 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 2022

Supply Act (No. 4) 2021

(Bill No 33; Act No. 10 of 2021)

having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, she has in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, assented to the said Bills.

Government House, Hobart, 6 September 2021

7 ROYAL ASSENT TO BILL.— The President read a Message from Her Excellency the Governor as follows:—

MESSAGE

Barbara Baker, Governor

A Bill for an Act to amend the Magistrates Court Act 1987, the Supreme Court Act 1887 and the Supreme Court Act 1959

Justice Miscellaneous (Increasing Judicial Retirement Age) Act 2021

(Bill No 15; Act No. 11 of 2021)

having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, she has, in the name of Her Majesty the Oueen, assented to the said Bill.

Government House, Hobart, 6 September 2021

8 BILL NO. 28.— 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 *Children*, *Young Persons and Their Families Act 1997*',

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

House of Assembly, 2 September 2021

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. (Ms Howlett)

9 BILL NO. 34.— 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 *Defamation Act* 2005'.

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

House of Assembly, 2 September 2021

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. (Ms *Howlett*)

10 BILL NO. 36.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT,

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an Act for the appropriation of \$6 559 224 000 out of the Public Account for the services of the Government for the financial year ending on 30 June 2022',

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

House of Assembly, 16 September 2021

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. (Ms *Howlett*)

BILL NO. 37.— A Message from the House of Assembly:—

MR PRESIDENT,

The House of Assembly hath passed a Bill, intituled — 'A Bill for an Act for the appropriation of \$40 141 000 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 2022',

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

House of Assembly, 16 September 2021

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. (Ms *Howlett*)

12 ADJOURNMENT.— A Motion was made (Ms *Howlett*) and the Question was put, That the Council will at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o'clock a.m. in the forenoon on Tuesday 21 September 2021. (Ms *Howlett*).

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Resolved, That the Council do now adjourn. (Ms Howlett)

The Council adjourned at 9.40 o'clock a.m.

D.T. PEARCE, Clerk of the Council.