



TASMANIA

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION OF 2021 - 2022

(FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTIETH PARLIAMENT)

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 38

WEDNESDAY, 23 MARCH 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 PAPERS.**— The Clerk of the Council laid upon the Table the 2020-2021 Annual Report of the Supreme Court of Tasmania.

**5 BILL NO. 48 OF 2021.**— The Order of the Day was read for resuming the Debate on the Question, That the Stadiums Tasmania Bill 2021 be now read the Second time.

The Question was again proposed, and the Council resumed the Debate.

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.

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(In the Committee)

Ms *Rattray* in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 34 agreed to.

Schedule 1 read

**6 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.

**7 QUESTION TIME.**— The President called for Questions without Notice. There were two Questions asked.

*Ordered*, That Ms *Palmer* have leave to Table information about the COVID contingency fund and payments and have the information incorporated into the Hansard record.

**8 BILL NO. 48 OF 2021.**— The Council again resolved itself into a Committee on the Stadiums Tasmania Bill 2021.

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

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(In the Committee)

Ms *Rattray* in the Chair.

Schedule 1 as read further considered and agreed to.

Schedules 2 and 3 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill to be reported without Amendment.

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The Council being resumed, Ms *Rattray* 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. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

**9 BILL NO. 7.**— The Order of the Day was read for the Second reading of the Treasury Miscellaneous (Affordable Housing and Youth Employment Support) 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.

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.

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(In the Committee)

Ms *Rattray* in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 16 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill to be reported without Amendment.

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The Council being resumed, Ms *Rattray* 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. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

**10 BILL NO. 53 OF 2021.**— The Order of the Day was read for the Second reading of the Education Legislation Amendments (Education Regulation) Bill 2021.

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

A Debate arose thereupon.

**11 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.

**12 BILL NO. 53 OF 2021.**— The Council resumed the Debate on the Question, That the Education Legislation Amendments (Education Regulation) Bill 2021 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.

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(In the Committee)

Ms *Rattray* in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 145 agreed to.

Clause 146 Amendment proposed. (Mr *Willie*)

Page 138, proposed new section 6, subsection (4), paragraph (a), subparagraph (i), after sub-subparagraph (B).

*Insert* the following sub-subparagraph:

(C) relevant teaching skills and experience as a practicing teacher; and

And the Question being put, That the Amendment be agreed to.

Committee divided.

AYES 6

NOES 4

Ms *Armitage* (Teller)  
Ms *Lovell*  
Ms *Rattray*  
Ms *Siejka*  
Ms *Webb*  
Mr *Willie*

Mr *Gaffney*  
Mrs *Hiscutt*  
Ms *Howlett*  
Ms *Palmer* (Teller)

Pair: Ms *Forrest*

Pair: Mr *Duigan*

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Clause as amended agreed to.

Clauses 147 to 185 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill to be reported with Amendment.

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The Council being resumed, Ms *Rattray* reported that the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed her to report the same to the Council with Amendment.

*Ordered*, That the consideration of the Bill as amended in Committee be made an Order of the Day for tomorrow. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

**13 ADJOURNMENT.**— *Ordered*, That the Council at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 24 March 2022. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

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

A Debate arose thereupon.

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Council adjourned at 6.23 o'clock p.m.

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

*Briefings:*

- *Treasury Miscellaneous (Affordable Housing and Youth Employment Support) Bill 2022 (No. 7)*
- *Education Legislation Amendments (Education Regulation) Bill 2021 (No. 53)*