



# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SESSION OF 2019

(SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT)

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 23

WEDNESDAY, 7 AUGUST 2019

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

**2 REPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE “B” INQUIRY ON TASMANIA’S NORTH-EAST RAILWAY CORRIDOR.**— Ms *Armitage* presented a Report of the Government Administration Committee “B” Inquiry on Tasmania’s North-East Railway Corridor together with evidence taken by the Committee.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received. (Ms *Armitage*)

*Ordered*, That the Report be printed. (Ms *Armitage*)

**3 BILL NO. 5.**— 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 *Criminal Code Act 1924*, the *Community Protection (Offender Reporting) Act 2005*, the *Family Violence Act 2004* and the *Justices Act 1959*’, to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council

*House of Assembly, 6 August 2019*

S. HICKEY, *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. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

**4 BILL NO. 19.**— 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 *Vehicle and Traffic Act 1999*’, to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council

*House of Assembly, 6 August 2019*

S. HICKEY, *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. (Mrs *Hiscutt*)

**5 BILL NO. 59 of 2018.**— 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 *Land Acquisition Act 1993*’, to which the House desires the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

*House of Assembly, 6 August 2019*

S. HICKEY, *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.  
(Mrs *Hiscutt*)

**6 MOTION WITHOUT NOTICE.**— *Ordered*, That Mrs *Hiscutt* have leave to move a Motion without Notice.

**7 LEAVE OF ABSENCE.**— *Ordered*, That the Honourable Member for Murchison, Ms *Forrest*, be granted leave of absence from the service of the Council for today's Sitting and the Honourable Member for Prosser, Ms *Howlett*, be granted leave of absence from the service of the Council for the remainder of this week's Sitting.

**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 12.06 o'clock p.m.

**9 BILL NO. 15.**— The Order of the Day was read for resuming the Debate on the Question, That the Biosecurity Bill 2019 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 7 agreed to.

Clause 8 read.

**10 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.

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

**12 BILL NO. 15.**— The Council again resolved itself into a Committee on the Biosecurity Bill 2019.

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(In the Committee)

Ms *Rattray* in the Chair.

Clause 8 as read further considered and agreed to.

Clauses 9 to 68 agreed to.

To report progress and seek leave to sit again.

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The Council being resumed Ms *Rattray* reported that the Committee had made progress in the Bill, and that she was directed to move that the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That the Council will, at a later hour, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

**13 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 4.20 o'clock p.m. and resumed at 4.35 o'clock p.m.

**14 BILL NO. 15.**— The Council, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Biosecurity Bill 2019.

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(In the Committee)

Ms *Ratray* in the Chair.

Clauses 69 to 79 agreed to.

Clause 80 read.

Mr *Gaffney* in the Chair

Clause 80 further considered and agreed to.

Clauses 81 to 88 agreed to

Ms *Ratray* in the Chair

Clauses 89 to 283 agreed to.

Schedules 1 to 3 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill to be reported without Amendment.

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The Council being resumed, Ms *Ratray* 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*)

**15 ADJOURNMENT.**— A Motion was made (Mrs *Hiscutt*) and the Question was put, That the Council will at its rising adjourn until 11.00 o'clock am on Thursday, 8 August 2019.

It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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

The Council adjourned at 6.44 o'clock p.m.

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

*Briefings*

- *Public Health Amendment (Prevention of Sale of Smoking Products to Underage Persons) Bill 2018*
- *Right to Information (Amendment (Application for Review) Bill 2019*