

# Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory

2020-2021-2022

## **Notice Paper**

No 55

Thursday, 4 August 2022

The Assembly meets this day at 10 am

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#### **EXECUTIVE BUSINESS**

## **Notices**

- \*1 **MR RATTENBURY**: To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Climate Change and Greenhouse Gas Reduction Act 2010*, and for other purposes. (*Notice given 3 August 2022*).
- \*2 **MS DAVIDSON**: To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Senior Practitioner Act* 2018. (Notice given 3 August 2022).

## **ASSEMBLY BUSINESS**

## **Notices**

- DR PATERSON: To move—That the resolution of the Assembly of 2 December 2020, as amended, that established general purpose standing committees, be amended by:
  - (1) in the table at 1. Planning, Transport and City Services—Areas of Responsibility, after the words "Planning and Land Management", insert "(excluding parks and conservation)"; and

\* Notifications to which an asterisk (\*) is prefixed appear for the first time www.parliament.act.gov.au/parliamentary-business/in-the-chamber/chamber-documents

- (2) in the table at 2. Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity—Areas of Responsibility, add "Parks and Conservation". (Notice given 26 July 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).
- 2 **MS LEE**: To move—That this Assembly:
  - (1) notes that:
    - (a) integrity in the Canberra's public institutions is essential;
    - (b) there are opportunities to continuously improve Canberra's integrity system; and
    - the Australian Capital Territory is the only state or territory jurisdiction in Australia without a dedicated parliamentary committee on integrity;
  - (2) amends the resolution of the Assembly of 2 December 2020, as amended, which established general purpose standing committees, by omitting "ACT Integrity Commission" from the Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety's area of responsibility; and
  - (3) establishes a Standing Committee on Integrity, with the following terms of reference:
    - (a) monitor and report on the performance of the Integrity Commission and the Inspector of the Integrity Commission, or the exercise of the powers and functions of the Integrity Commission and the Inspector of the Integrity Commission, including examining the annual reports of the Integrity Commission and the Inspector of the Integrity Commission and any other reports they make;
    - (b) inquire into and report on integrity matters referred to it by the Assembly or that are considered by the Committee to be of concern to the community;
    - (c) examine matters related to integrity in public administration;
    - (d) perform all functions required of it pursuant to the *Integrity Commission Act 2018*;
    - (e) the Committee be composed of:
      - (i) two Members to be nominated by the Coalition Government; and
      - (ii) two Members to be nominated by the Opposition; to be notified in writing to the Speaker within two hours of this motion passing; and
    - (f) the chair shall be an Opposition Member. (*Notice given* 1 August 2022. *Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A*).

## Orders of the day

- PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES—STANDING COMMITTEE—
  REPORT 8—INQUIRY INTO GIRALANG SHOPS—INTERIM REPORT—
  GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:
  Resumption of debate (from 7 April 2022—Ms Castley) on the motion of
  Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper. (Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on this sitting week standing order 152A.)
- PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES—STANDING COMMITTEE—
  REPORT 9—INQUIRY INTO THE IMPACT OF REVISED SPEED LIMITS IN CIVIC—
  PETITIONS 31-21 AND 38-21—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—PAPER—MOTION TO
  TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Mr Braddock)
  on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
  (Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 2 sitting weeks standing order 152A.)
- 3 **INTEGRITY COMMISSION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: *(Speaker)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 9 June 2022—Mr Barr)*.

## 9 September 2022

4 **ESTIMATES 2022-2023—SELECT COMMITTEE**: Presentation of report on the expenditure proposals contained in the Appropriation Bill 2022-2023, the Appropriation (Office of the Legislative Assembly) Bill 2022-2023 and any revenue estimates proposed by the Government in the 2022-2023 Budget, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 24 March 2022.

## 30 September 2022

5 **EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY INCLUSION—STANDING COMMITTEE**:
Presentation of report on the prevalence of and, mechanisms for, reporting of vilification and threats of physical violence on persons in the Territory, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 11 November 2021.

## **EXECUTIVE BUSINESS—continued**

#### Notices—continued

- \*3 **MS BERRY**: To move—That this Assembly:
  - (1) recognises that:
    - (a) safe and accessible abortion is healthcare and a fundamental reproductive and human right;
    - (b) there is a long history of women and people who can become pregnant being denied the right to have control over decisions concerning their own bodies;
    - (c) for generations the feminist movement has fought hard to have the right to bodily autonomy enshrined in law; and
    - (d) a threat to this right is an undoing of generations of struggle for gender equality and a woman's right to choose;
  - (2) notes:
    - (a) following the United States of America Supreme Court decision in Dobbs v Jackson Women's Health Organization finding that there is no constitutional right to abortion, overruling the 1973 Roe v Wade decision, people around the world have felt the personal impact of this ruling to strip away rights that generations before them had fought for;
    - (b) in the ACT a local solidarity protest was held in support of people impacted by the United States Supreme Court decision;
    - (c) in the ACT there has long been an agenda led by the ACT Labor Government to ensure abortion is decriminalised, and no one is subjected to abuse or discrimination when accessing an abortion;
    - (d) abortion was decriminalised in the ACT in 2002;
    - (e) exclusion zones preventing anti-abortion protesters from engaging in prohibited behaviour, such as protests, outside clinics in the ACT were introduced in 2016 to prevent patients from being harassed and intimidated;
    - (f) different definitions for medical and surgical abortions were legislated from 1 July 2019, to improve accessibility of abortions by allowing specially trained general practitioners and telehealth services to prescribe medical abortion medications, and specially trained pharmacists to dispense these medications;
    - (g) the ACT Government expanded access and provided more choice to people seeking abortion services through the *Health (Improving Abortion Access) Amendment Act 2018*; and

- (h) the 2022-23 ACT Budget will continue the ACT Government's commitment to increasing accessibility by investing \$4.6 million over four years to remove out-of-pocket costs of abortion services, improving abortion affordability and access for both medical and surgical abortions. The provision of Long-Acting Reversible Contraceptives following an abortion will also be funded, as well as a communications package to improve accessibility of abortion services for people in the ACT; and
- (3) states the following as a joint message and call for support:
  - (a) strong solidarity with women and people impacted by the United States Supreme Court decision to overturn *Roe v Wade*;
  - (b) acknowledges that the discrimination and injustice felt by women and people in the United States is felt globally; and
  - (c) upholds hope that change can happen, rights to abortion can be upheld and fundamental human rights protected. (*Notice given 3 August 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A*).

## \*4 **MS DAVIDSON**: To move—That this Assembly:

- (1) recognised that:
  - (a) COVID-19 continues to affect every member of the Canberra community to varying degrees from our health outcomes to changes in the way we work and live;
  - (b) the pandemic is far from over, and with the height of the winter months now upon us including a sharp increase in COVID-19 case numbers, enduring support for Canberrans at most risk is imperative;
  - reducing the spread of COVID-19 and other respiratory illnesses where possible is critical for protecting people at high risk of severe health outcomes;
  - (d) the combined impact of years of natural disasters in addition to the ongoing pressures of COVID-19 on our essential workers, young people having to study at home, and throughout our community who may be impacted economically by reduced income or increased social isolation, means that large numbers of Canberrans are physically and mentally exhausted; and
  - (e) Commonwealth Government measures such as pandemic leave payments provide support for people who are unable to access paid leave due to being COVID-positive or isolating as a close contact, which helps reduce transmission and reduces the economic impact of COVID-19 for those who can least afford it;

## (2) notes:

(a) clear and open lines of communication remain between all ACT Government Directorates—especially ACT Health and the Community Services Directorate—to ensure sharing of information on how the COVID-19 situation is impacting the disability sector;

- (b) targeted communications continue through the ACT Government's extensive network of service providers and our community organisation partners, and social and traditional media platforms, about the ways we can best protect those most at risk;
- (c) continued provision by ACT Government of vital personal protective equipment and rapid antigen tests (RATs), on demand during the winter months, to disability and in-home aged care workers, people with self-managed National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) plans who do not access care via a provider organisation, non-government organisation frontline service workers, and youth detention centre and prison staff, is an important safety measure in high risk settings;
- (d) the ACT Government continues to work with the National Disability Insurance Agency, and the NDIS Commission, to support individuals with NDIS plans with COVID-19 preventative measures;
- (e) provision of RATs, on demand during the winter months, to schools so that students and educators are able to reduce the risk of transmitting COVID-19;
- additional measures at health facilities, including our hospitals, to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission by visitors or our healthcare workforce;
- (g) ongoing support to our community sector food relief providers through development of a database and sector network support to better meet localised needs for households experiencing economic impacts of COVID-19;
- (h) encouraging work from home where possible, and wearing masks indoors where it is not possible to be at a COVID-safe distance from other people; and
- (i) continuing to support easy access to vaccination and boosters for those most at risk through the Weston Creek Walk-In Clinic with flexibility to meet individual needs for those whose clinical risks for vaccination require additional care. Individuals with further support requirements can access COVID testing through the access and sensory clinic located at the Garran Surge Centre; and
- (3) calls on all Members of the Assembly to:
  - (a) support these measures to protect those most at risk in our community this winter; and
  - (b) work collaboratively towards community recovery, including mental wellbeing and economic impacts, once this peak period of risk to our community has passed. (Notice given 3 August 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).

## Orders of the day

- 1 APPROPRIATION BILL 2022-2023: (Treasurer): Agreement in principle— Resumption of debate (from 2 August 2022—Ms Lee).
- 2 APPROPRIATION (OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY) BILL 2022-2023: (Treasurer): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 2 August 2022—Ms Lee).
- 3 **COAG LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2021**: *(Chief Minister)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 4 August 2021—Ms Lee)*.
- 4 **FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AMENDMENT BILL 2021 (NO 2)**: (Minister for Industrial Relations and Workplace Safety): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 1 December 2021—Mr Cain).
- 5 **HEALTH LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Health): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 May 2022—Ms Castley).
- 6 TERRORISM (EXTRAORDINARY TEMPORARY POWERS) AMENDMENT BILL 2022: (Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Mr Cain).
- 7 **WORKPLACE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Industrial Relations and Workplace Safety): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 8 June 2022—Mr Cain).
- 8 **JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 9 June 2022—Mr Parton).
- 9 **CLIMATE CHANGE AND GREENHOUSE GAS REDUCTION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Water, Energy and Emissions Reduction): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 9 June 2022—Mr Parton).
- \*10 **URBAN FOREST BILL 2022**: (*Minister for Transport and City Services*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 3 August 2022—Ms Lawder*).
- 11 ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER LED REVIEW—
  OVERREPRESENTATION IN THE TERRITORY'S JUSTICE SYSTEM—GOVERNMENT
  RESPONSE TO RESOLUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE
  NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 8 October 2021—Mrs Kikkert) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 12 REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL ACT—HEAD OF SERVICE, DIRECTORS-GENERAL AND EXECUTIVES—DETERMINATION 1 OF 2022—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 24 March 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.

- 13 PUBLIC SECTOR MANAGEMENT STANDARDS—ENGAGEMENTS OF LONG TERM SENIOR EXECUTIVE SERVICE MEMBERS—SCHEDULE—1 SEPTEMBER 2021 TO 28 FEBRUARY 2022—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 24 March 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 14 GUNGAHLIN CINEMA DEVELOPMENT—RESPONSE TO RESOLUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 24 March 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 15 FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT—COPY OF NOTICE PROVIDED TO THE OMBUDSMAN—FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST—DECISION NOT MADE IN TIME—COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTORATE (HOU-21/46)—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 24 March 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- AUDITOR-GENERAL ACT—AUDITOR-GENERAL'S REPORT NO 13/2021—
  CAMPBELL PRIMARY SCHOOL MODERNISATION PROJECT PROCUREMENT—
  GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:
  Resumption of debate (from 7 April 2022—Ms Castley) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 17 SPORT AND ACTIVE RECREATION—REPORT—RESOLUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY OF 22 APRIL 2021—UPDATE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 7 April 2022—Ms Castley) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 18 FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT—COPY OF NOTICE PROVIDED TO THE OMBUDSMAN—FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST—DECISION NOT MADE IN TIME—ENVIRONMENT, PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT DIRECTORATE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 7 April 2022—Ms Castley) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 19 PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—APPROVAL—VARIATION TO THE TERRITORY PLAN 364—GUNGAHLIN TOWN CENTRE—AMENDMENTS TO THE GUNGAHLIN PRECINCT MAP AND CODE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 7 April 2022—Ms Castley) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 20 COVID-19 EMERGENCY RESPONSE ACT—COVID-19 MEASURES—REPORT NO 14—1 JANUARY TO 31 MARCH 2022—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 3 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- OUR BOORIS, OUR WAY—REVIEW—SIX-MONTHLY UPDATE AND A STEP UP FOR OUR KIDS SNAPSHOT REPORT—PAPERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS: Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the papers.

- PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—APPROVAL OF VARIATION TO THE TERRITORY PLAN 369—LIVING INFRASTRUCTURE IN RESIDENTIAL ZONES—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT—FREEDOM OF INFORMATION
  (ACCESSIBILITY OF GOVERNMENT INFORMATION) STATEMENT 2022 (NO 1)—
  PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from
  5 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 24 PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—APPROVAL OF VARIATION TO THE TERRITORY PLAN 368—CITY AND GATEWAY SOUTH—NORTHBOURNE AVENUE CORRIDOR—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 25 PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—STATEMENT OF LEASES GRANTED—
  1 JANUARY TO 31 MARCH 2022—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:
  Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of
  Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 26 INSPECTOR OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ACT—REPORT OF A REVIEW OF A CRITICAL INCIDENT—HOSTAGE TAKING INCIDENT AT THE ALEXANDER MACONOCHIE CENTRE ON 27 MARCH 2021—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 27 ACT ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER AGREEMENT ON CLOSING THE GAP 2019-2028—REVISED ACT IMPACT STATEMENT 2021—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT—CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL REPORT—
  FINANCIAL QUARTER ENDING 31 MARCH 2022—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE
  NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 1 June 2022—Ms Lawder) on the
  motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT—CAPITAL WORKS PROGRAM—PROGRESS
  REPORT 2021-22—YEAR-TO-DATE PERFORMANCE AS AT 31 MARCH 2022—
  PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 1 June 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 30 IMPACT OF THE FEDERAL ELECTION ON THE ACT—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 1 June 2022—Mr Gentleman) on the motion of Mr Barr—That the Assembly takes note of the paper.

- 31 CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE ACT—ACT CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE DEATH REVIEW COMMITTEE—ANNUAL REPORT—2021—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 2 June 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—APPROVAL—VARIATION TO THE TERRITORY PLAN 375—DEMONSTRATION HOUSING—MANOR HOUSE, GRIFFITH, SECTION 31 BLOCK 6—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 7 June 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—APPLICATIONS TO AMEND
  DEVELOPMENT APPROVALS—NOTICES OF DECISIONS—DA201936662 AND
  DA202037196 (COMMON GROUND DICKSON)—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE
  NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 9 June 2022—Ms Lawder) on the
  motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 34 INSPECTOR OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ACT—REPORT OF A REVIEW OF A CRITICAL INCIDENT—ESCAPEE OF A DETAINEE FROM A SECURE ESCORT ON 9 JULY 2021—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 9 June 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 35 COMMISSIONER FOR SUSTAINABILITY AND THE ENVIRONMENT ACT—STATE OF THE LAKES AND WATERWAYS IN THE ACT—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 2 August 2022—Ms Lee) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- \*36 LANGUAGE CHALLENGES FACING CANBERRA'S MULTICULTURAL COMMUNITY—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE TO RESOLUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 3 August 2022—Mr Braddock) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- \*37 CONFISCATION OF CRIMINAL ASSETS (UNEXPLAINED WEALTH) AMENDMENT ACT 2020—STATUTORY REVIEW AND STATEMENT—PAPERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS: Resumption of debate (from 3 August 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the papers.
- \*38 TOWARDS OUR VISION: MENTAL HEALTH PORTFOLIO ACTION PLAN—2022,
  TOWARDS OUR VISION: TAKING A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO MENTAL HEALTH
  IN THE ACT AND STATEMENT—PAPERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS:
  Resumption of debate (from 3 August 2022—Ms Lawder) on the motion of
  Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the papers.

## **PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS**

#### **Notices**

- 1 **MS ORR**: To present a Bill for an Act to provide free access to period products, facilities and information about menstruation, and for other purposes. (Notice given 1 August 2022).
- 2 MR CAIN: To move—That this Assembly:
  - (1) notes that the:
    - (a) ACT has some of the highest fuel prices of any Australian capital city;
    - (b) ACT has one of the least competitive fuel retail markets in the country;
    - (c) ACT Labor/Greens Government has ignored advice from the ACT Legislative Assembly Select Committee on Fuel Pricing in 2019, to initiate a real time, mandatory price-monitoring scheme similar to the FuelCheck app in NSW;
    - (d) ACT Labor/Greens Government stated they believe that there is already a high degree of retail fuel price transparency in the ACT; and
    - (e) price of fuel is a significant impact on Canberran's cost of living; and
  - (2) calls on the ACT Government to introduce the FuelCheck app in the ACT. (Notice given 1 August 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).
- 3 MR BRADDOCK: To move—That this Assembly:
  - (1) notes:
    - (a) diversity should be reflected in all aspects of public life;
    - that meaningful, evidence-based data collection practices are an important tool to expose potential discrimination and inequalities, and help us to make our city a better place for all Canberrans;
    - (c) in June 2022, new Immigration Minister, Andrew Giles MP, said "Australia does not effectively measure our diversity", and that Australia's failure to collect data on ethnicity or race—unlike the United States, Canada and New Zealand—was a "fundamental barrier to understanding the issues that face multicultural Australians";
    - (d) while the ACT Government collects data about Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) representation in the ACT Public Service (ACTPS), the ACT's diversity data collection reflects these national issues;

- (e) the Federal Government is establishing a CALD data collection working group with representatives from peak multicultural bodies, along with data collection and demography experts to develop national standards for diversity data collection to address the gaps and shortfalls of current practices; and
- (f) while the ACTPS policy and recruitment guidelines include the use of targeted recruitment strategies to encourage diversity, there are disparities in practice across the directorates, including whether CALD applicants are encouraged to apply; and
- (2) calls on the Government to:
  - (a) monitor, and if appropriate, contribute to and apply, national standards for diversity data collection;
  - (b) create an evidence-based best practice guideline that can be used in the recruitment, retention and promotion of ethnically and racially diverse people;
  - (c) consider for inclusion in the guidelines measures such as the de-identification of applications, unconscious bias and anti-racism training, and explicit encouragement of CALD applicants to apply for ACTPS jobs;
  - (d) make the best practice guideline available to all directorates and agencies as a guide and resource to inform their practices;
  - (e) use the guideline to inform the next available review of the ACTPS Recruitment Policy and Guidelines, with a particular focus on strategies to ensure management and executive levels reflect the wider population;
  - encourage CALD applicants on ACTPS employment communication;
     and
  - (g) report back to the Assembly by the August 2023 sitting period on progress. (Notice given 1 August 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).

## Orders of the day

- 1 ROAD TRANSPORT (SAFETY AND TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT) AMENDMENT BILL 2021 (NO 2): (Ms Clay): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 22 June 2021—Mr Steel).
- 2 **CIVIL LAW (SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY) AMENDMENT BILL 2021**: (Mr Cain): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 9 November 2021—Mr Gentleman).
- 3 **CORRECTIONS MANAGEMENT AMENDMENT BILL 2021**: (Mrs Kikkert): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 25 November 2021—Mr Gentleman).

- 4 **PUBLIC PLACE NAMES AMENDMENT BILL 2021**: (*Dr Paterson*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 30 November 2021—Mr Gentleman*).
- 5 **ELECTORAL AMENDMENT BILL 2021**: (Mr Davis and Mr Braddock): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 2 December 2021—Mr Steel).
- 6 **ONLINE GAMBLING—PROTECTIONS FOR CONSUMERS**: Resumption of debate (from 1 June 2022—Mr Braddock) on the motion of Ms Orr—That this Assembly:
  - (1) notes that:
    - (a) Australia has one of the biggest gambling markets in the world per capita – from poker machines to online gambling (including sports betting and horse racing);
    - (b) while the ACT Government has an extensive reform initiative to address harm from poker machines, it has limited levers to address the issue of online gambling and television advertising;
    - (c) the regulation of online gambling and television advertising (including sports betting, special events and horse racing) is the responsibility of the Commonwealth;
    - (d) the majority of online gambling companies are registered in the Northern Territory;
    - (e) the ACT Government is working with the Commonwealth and state and territory governments to provide a harmonised approach to the regulation of online gambling through the National Consumer Protection Framework for Online Wagering;
    - (f) to provide a fairer taxation regime based on the location of the consumer rather than the location of the operator, most Australian states have implemented a point of consumption tax;
    - (g) in 2019, the Betting Operations Tax was introduced in the ACT. This is a 15 percent point of consumption tax payable by all betting operators in the ACT;
    - (h) in 2019, 7.7 percent of the ACT's adult population bet on sports and special events within 12 months. Of those people, 38.5 percent were classified as at-risk gamblers, of which 3.2 percent were problem gamblers;
    - the COVID pandemic lockdowns saw prolific advertising by the online gambling industry, with studies finding increases in online gambling and the numbers of Australians who opened a betting account during the pandemic;
    - (j) gambling has become a large part of sport in Australia, largely due to increased and normalised advertising that targets certain groups in the community; and
    - (k) more needs to be done to specifically address the harm that comes from online gambling in the ACT community; and

- (2) calls on the ACT Government to:
  - (a) continue to work with and advocate to the Commonwealth and state and territory governments on the implementation of the National Consumer Protection Framework for Online Wagering;
  - (b) conduct a review of the online gambling and advertising market and the impacts of this on the ACT;
  - investigate ACT revenue sources that can be used for harm minimisation activities for the ACT community that target online gambling;
  - (d) consider ways to raise community awareness (particularly targeting groups in the population susceptible to online gambling harm) around the risks of online gambling; and
  - (e) report back to the Assembly by December 2023.

And on the amendments moved by Mr Parton—

- (1) Insert after paragraph (1)(k) the following:
  - "(I) according to a recent article from the ABC, there has been \$18 million worth of political donations from the gambling industry across Australia in recent years in the states and territories, with the majority of that money going to ACT Labor; and
  - (m) the ACT Government's most recent Listed Company Shareholdings list from 31 March of this year includes investments with Betmakers Technologies Group which is linked to Sportsbet, Tabcorp, Ladbrokes, Bet 365, Unitbet and William Hill;"
- (2) Add paragraph (3) as follows:
  - "(3) condemns ACT Labor for pocketing millions of dollars directly or indirectly from gambling companies over many years.". (Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 2 sitting weeks standing order 152A.)
- 7 DRUGS OF DEPENDENCE (PERSONAL USE) AMENDMENT BILL 2021: (Mr Pettersson): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 3 August 2022—Mr Gentleman).

## NO CONFIDENCE IN THE CHIEF MINISTER

To take precedence on 15 August 2022

## **Notice**

\* **MS LEE**: To move—That this Assembly no longer has confidence in the Chief Minister, Mr Andrew Barr MLA. (Notice given 3 August 2022)

## **QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

On the first sitting day of a period of sittings a complete Notice Paper is published containing all unanswered questions. On subsequent days, only redirected questions are included on the Notice Paper together with a list of all unanswered questions.

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## **Unanswered questions**

805, 830, 833, 835.

**T Duncan**Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

### **GOVERNMENT TO RESPOND TO PETITIONS**

(in accordance with standing order 100)

## 7 September 2022

Brigalow Street, Lyneham—Traffic impact assessment—Minister for Transport and City Services—Petition lodged by Ms Vassarotti (e-Pet 007-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services on 1 June 2022.)

Narrabundah—Improvement of local road infrastructure—Minister for Transport and City Services—Petition lodged by Ms Vassarotti (e-Pet 013-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services on 1 June 2022.)

## 8 September 2022

Platypus Centre—One-way car park system—Minister for Transport and City Services—Petition lodged by Ms Castley (e-Pet 009-22).

#### 8 November 2022

Waste incinerator on the ACT border—Chief Minister—Petition lodged by Ms Clay (e-Pet 012-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity on 2 August 2022.)

- Callum Brae Nature Reserve—Minister for Planning and Land Management—Petition lodged by Ms Clay (e-Pet 016-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services on 2 August 2022.)
- Bluetts Block-Piney Ridge—Minister for Planning and Land Management—Petition lodged by Dr Paterson (e-Pet 011-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services on 2 August 2022.)
- Canberra Avenue speed zones—Minister for Transport and City Services—Petition lodged by Ms Lee (e-Pet 018-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services on 2 August 2022.)
- Lyneham High School building condition—Minister for Education and Youth Affairs— Petitions lodged by Mr Davis (e-Pet 015-22 and Pet 021-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Education and Community Inclusion on 2 August 2022.)
- Objections to the Drugs of Dependence (Personal Use) Amendment Bill 2021—Minister for Health—Petition lodged by Mr Hanson (Pet 022-22).

#### 9 November 2022

Recovery plan for nursing and midwifery workers—Minister for Health—Petition lodged by Mr Davis (e-Pet 19-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Health and Community Wellbeing on 3 August 2022.)

## COMMITTEES

Unless otherwise shown, appointed for the life of the Tenth Assembly. The dates of the amendments to the committees' resolution of appointment are reflected, but not changes in the membership.

## **Standing**

Pursuant to standing order

**ADMINISTRATION AND PROCEDURE**: (Formed 3 November 2020): The Speaker (Chair), Mr Braddock, Ms Lawder, Ms Orr.

Pursuant to resolution

**ECONOMY AND GENDER AND ECONOMIC EQUALITY**: (Formed 2 December 2020): Ms Castley (Chair), Mr Davis, Ms Orr.

**EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY INCLUSION**: (Formed 2 December 2020): Mr Pettersson (Chair), Ms Lawder, Mr Davis.

**ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND BIODIVERSITY**: (Formed 2 December 2020): Dr Paterson (Chair), Ms Castley, Ms Clay.

**HEALTH AND COMMUNITY WELLBEING**: (Formed 2 December 2020): Mr Davis (Chair), Mr Milligan, Mr Pettersson.

**JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY SAFETY**: (Formed 2 December 2020): Mr Cain (Chair), Mr Braddock, Dr Paterson.

**PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES**: (Formed 2 December 2020): Ms Clay (Chair), Mr Parton, Ms Orr.

**PUBLIC ACCOUNTS**: (Formed 2 December 2020): Mrs Kikkert (Chair), Mr Braddock, Mr Pettersson.

## Select

ESTIMATES 2022-2023: (Formed 1 July 2022): Mr Milligan (Chair), Mr Braddock, Dr Paterson.

## **Dissolved**

**COVID-19 2021 PANDEMIC RESPONSE**: (Formed 16 September 2021): Ms Lee (Chair), Ms Clay, Ms Orr. (Presented 2 December 2021)

**DRUGS OF DEPENDENCE (PERSONAL USE) AMENDMENT BILL 2021**: (Formed 11 February 2021): Mr Cain (Chair), Mr Davis, Dr Paterson. (Presented 30 November 2021)