



Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory

2020-2021-2022

Notice Paper

No 59

Tuesday, 11 October 2022

The Assembly meets this day at 10 am

ASSEMBLY BUSINESS

Orders of the day

- 1 **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, amended 15 August 2022 and 21 September 2022.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

Notices

- *1 **MS CHEYNE:** To present a Bill for an Act to promote multiculturalism in the ACT, and for other purposes. (*Notice given 10 October 2022*).
- *2 **MR STEEL:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend legislation about animal management and welfare. (*Notice given 6 October 2022*).

- *3 **MR RATTENBURY:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend legislation about sexual assault, and for other purposes. *(Notice given 10 October 2022).*
- *4 **MS VASSAROTTI:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend legislation about electricity safety, and for other purposes. *(Notice given 6 October 2022).*

Orders of the day

- 1 **TERRORISM (EXTRAORDINARY TEMPORARY POWERS) AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 5 May 2022—Mr Cain).*
- 2 **APPROPRIATION BILL 2022-2023:** *(Treasurer): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 August 2022—Mr Barr). (Referred to the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023 on 4 August 2022.)*
- 3 **APPROPRIATION (OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY) BILL 2022-2023:** *(Treasurer): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 2 August 2022—Ms Lee). (Referred to the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023 on 4 August 2022.)*
- 4 **COAG LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2021:** *(Chief Minister): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 August 2021—Ms Lee).*
- 5 **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).*
- 6 **HEALTH LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Minister for Health): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 May 2022—Ms Castley).*
- 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 **CLIMATE CHANGE AND GREENHOUSE GAS REDUCTION (NATURAL GAS TRANSITION) AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Minister for Water, Energy and Emissions Reduction): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder).*
- 12 **SENIOR PRACTITIONER AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Minister for Disability): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder).*

- *13 **PLANNING BILL 2022:** *(Minister for Planning and Land Management):* Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 September 2022—Mr Cain)*.
- *14 **GUARDIANSHIP AND MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTY AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Attorney-General):* Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 September 2022—Mr Cain)*.
- *15 **TRANSPORT CANBERRA AND CITY SERVICES LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Minister for Transport and City Services):* Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 September 2022—Mr Cain)*.
- *16 **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Special Minister of State):* Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 September 2022—Mr Cain)*.
- *17 **ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE COMMISSIONER BILL 2022:** *(Minister for Human Rights):* Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 September 2022—Mrs Kikkert)*.
- 18 **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.
- 19 **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.
- 20 **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.
- 21 **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.
- 22 **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.

- 23 **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.
- 24 **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.
- 25 **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.
- 26 **PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—APPROVAL—VARIATION TO THE TERRITORY PLAN 364—GUNGALIN TOWN CENTRE—AMENDMENTS TO THE GUNGALIN 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.
- 27 **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.
- 28 **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.
- 29 **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.
- 30 **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.
- 31 **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.

- 32 **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.
- 33 **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.
- 34 **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.
- 35 **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.
- 36 **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.
- 37 **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.
- 38 **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.
- 39 **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.
- 40 **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.

- 41 **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.
- 42 **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.
- 43 **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.
- 44 **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.
- 45 **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.
- 46 **SET UP FOR SUCCESS: AN EARLY CHILDHOOD STRATEGY FOR THE ACT: PHASE ONE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 47 **FUTURE OF EDUCATION: AN ACT EDUCATION STRATEGY FOR THE NEXT TEN YEARS: PHASE TWO IMPLEMENTATION PLAN—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 48 **PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—STATEMENT OF LEASES GRANTED—1 APRIL TO 30 JUNE 2022—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 49 **INSPECTOR OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ACT—REPORT OF A REVIEW OF A CRITICAL INCIDENT—A SERIOUS FIRE AT THE ALEXANDER MACONOCHIE CENTRE ON 12 MAY 2021—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.

- 50 **RAIL SAFETY NATIONAL LAW NATIONAL REGULATIONS (REPORTING REQUIREMENTS) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 2022, RAIL SAFETY NATIONAL LAW NATIONAL REGULATIONS (FEES AND FOI) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 2022 AND EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS—PAPERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the papers.
- 51 **MENTAL HEALTH (SECURE FACILITIES) ACT 2016—REVIEW—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- *52 **PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—APPROVAL—VARIATION TO THE TERRITORY PLAN 328—OAKS ESTATE: ZONE CHANGES AND AMENDMENTS TO THE OAKS ESTATE PRECINCT MAP AND CODE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 September 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- *53 **NON-PAYMENT OF FINES—PENALTIES FOR MINOR OFFENCES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE TO RESOLUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 September 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- *54 **ACT TRANSPORT RECOVERY PLAN REFRESH—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 September 2022—Ms Lawder*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Notices

- *1 **MR HANSON:** To move—That this Assembly:
- (1) notes that:
- (a) the Australian Federal Police Association has called for a review into sentencing and bail and has described the Territory's sentencing and bail processes as "fundamentally flawed and dangerously inadequate";
 - (b) victims of crime and their families have called for a review of sentencing and bail and have said, "the Attorney-General is still in denial we have systemic problems with the justice system";
 - (c) Government backbenchers have called for a review into sentencing and stated that, "I do also support your call for a review of sentencing in the ACT... the community should feel confidence in these decisions – particularly around judgements for serious criminal offences"; and

- (d) the Director of Public Prosecutions has conducted a record number of successful appeals that fall “clearly short of community standards”; and
- (2) calls on the ACT Government to conduct an independent review into sentencing and bail in the ACT. (*Notice given 10 October 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A*).

*2 **DR PATERSON:** To move—That this Assembly:

- (1) notes that:
 - (a) the Heart Foundation states that cardiovascular disease (CVD) in women is under-recognised, under-treated and under-researched;
 - (b) women and men experience a similar prevalence of CVD in Australia, however outcomes for women are significantly worse;
 - (c) CVD is the leading cause of death and illness among Australian women, with recent data indicating that rates of CVD hospitalisation amongst young women are increasing;
 - (d) in 2020, in the ACT, 48 people in 100,000 died from (coronary) heart disease, on par with the national average (49/100,000);
 - (e) in 2019, the ACT had the lowest age standardised rate of hospitalisation from coronary heart disease in Australia, with 29 per 10,000 – compared with a national average of 55, according to the Heart Foundation;
 - (f) according to the Australian Bureau of Statistics, in 2018, nine in 10 adult women had at least two or more “traditional” risk factors for CVD and more than one in four had four or more risk factors;
 - (g) awareness of CVD among Australian women is low, with less than 60 percent of women aware that heart conditions are the leading cause of death in women;
 - (h) the Heart Foundation’s modelling found that nearly half a million women in Australia are at risk of CVD because they are not on life-saving medicines. If they were, approximately 21,000 heart events could be avoided over the next five years, with a saving of \$300 million in hospital costs alone;
 - (i) there are significant equity issues that influence outcomes for CVD, where women from marginalised communities are disproportionately affected by poor outcomes;
 - (j) at this stage, research in Australia has indicated sex-specific risk factors for CVD, however research overseas also highlights that LGBTQI adults experience disparities across several cardiovascular risk factors compared to their heterosexual and/or non-transgender peers; and

- (k) the consequences of CVD on women's quality of life are significant. Even after an acute event, women are less likely to complete cardiac rehabilitation, have regular follow up care, take medicines as directed, or return to normal daily activities as quickly as men. In addition, research shows that survival rates for women at one year and at five years after a heart attack are far worse compared with men; and
- (2) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) work with all Australian governments to improve the collection and reporting of data to improve the understanding of CVD's impact on women;
 - (b) consider a future Chief Health Officer report include a focus on the impact of CVD in the ACT, including information on risk, incidence, prevention, care and outcome spectrum and inequalities according to sex;
 - (c) explore:
 - (i) the potential for targeted campaigns to raise awareness of CVD in women with the community; and
 - (ii) further engagement with the Federal Government, Capital Health Network, and community partners to highlight the disparity in health outcomes for women in relation to CVD, and promote awareness of the actions that can be taken to reduce CVD risk;
 - (d) advocate with the Federal Government to implement the actions it has outlined in its National Strategic Action Plan for Heart Disease and Stroke, including progressing:
 - (i) a "women and heart disease" campaign; and
 - (ii) continuing to enhance data for, collection and management of cardiovascular diseases;
 - (e) leverage communication activities to promote awareness of CVD, the symptoms, and prevention to both the community and health professionals, for example during Heart Week and Women's Health Week; and
 - (f) report back to this Assembly by the final sitting week of 2023.
(Notice given 10 October 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) learning to swim is a vital life skill. Not being able to swim diminishes enjoyment of life and puts lives at risk;

- (b) inclusive access to swimming and learn to swim programs is important for the wellbeing of Canberrans, including physical and mental health, social connection, and sense of belonging;
 - (c) certain communities face barriers to access and participation in swimming because of cultural, social, or health reasons;
 - (d) the ACT Government conducted a successful trial of gender-specific swim sessions in 2019; and
 - (e) the ACT Government has funded two short-term programs through the annual Sport and Recreation Grants to support migrant and refugee swim programs, including women only programs at Gungahlin Leisure Centre and Aquatots at Gold Creek;
- (2) further notes:
- (a) diverse communities require privacy and additional features at pools to facilitate learning and swimming in safe and accessible spaces;
 - (b) current infrastructure and timetabling are not able to meet the ongoing needs of these communities; and
 - (c) inclusive swimming and learn to swim programs are a matter of equality. Every Canberran deserves to access safe swimming in an environment that is suitable for their needs; and
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to:
- (a) commit to providing gender-specific and gender-diverse swim times, through working with all relevant stakeholders;
 - (b) continue to work with operators to establish a further trial of gender-specific swim times at a suitable pool;
 - (c) ensure that public pools clearly communicate that all are welcome, and that their complaint and reporting mechanisms are clear, supportive and accessible should any issues arise;
 - (d) commit to ensuring that future ACT Government swimming infrastructure will be designed in an inclusive manner, such as an enclosed smaller pool for those requiring privacy or sensory-friendly facilities, and individual gender-neutral changing facilities; and
 - (e) report back to the Assembly by November 2023 on progress. (*Notice given 10 October 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A*).

*4 **MS CASTLEY:** To move—That this Assembly:

- (1) notes:
- (a) the ACT Government opened a dedicated paediatric service for children attending the Emergency Department at the Canberra Hospital on 9 May 2016 comprising six treatment beds, two consultation rooms and a private waiting area;

- (b) the Government said the paediatric emergency wing would provide a faster service for children and their families and enhance their experience. “ACT Labor wants to ensure sick children are treated and discharged, or admitted to a hospital ward, as quickly as possible.”; and
- (c) Labor went to the 2012 election promising a dedicated \$5.8 million service for children attending the Emergency Department. Federal Labor had promised up to \$5 million with ACT Labor providing \$879,000 over four years for a Paediatric Clinical Nurse Consultant;
- (2) further notes:
 - (a) in April this year the Government decided its paediatric emergency wing would no longer operate at full capacity and, between April and August, the paediatric emergency department only operated 50 percent of the time; and
 - (b) since August the paediatric emergency stream has been mothballed and not functioning about 20 percent of the time meaning children and families must go to the adult emergency department which is inappropriate for them; and
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) immediately reopen and fully staff and operate the paediatric emergency wing at the Canberra Hospital; and
 - (b) commit to keep the paediatric emergency wing permanently open and operational to provide the best health care to sick children.
(Notice given 10 October 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A).

*5 **MS LAWDER:** To move—That this Assembly:

- (1) notes that:
 - (a) during the recent Estimates hearings, it was revealed that the ACT Government has paid more than \$43,000 in claims for damage from potholes to motorists in 2022 alone;
 - (b) at the time of the Estimates hearings, the average amount for a pothole claim was \$860;
 - (c) it was revealed that there had already been a significant increase in the amount of pothole damage claims paid by the ACT Government, already at 50 so far in 2022, compared to 40 in 2021 and 16 in 2020;
 - (d) spending ratepayers’ money on pothole damage claims is a complete waste of money and demonstrates the Government’s failure at the most basic level of municipal services;
 - (e) community concern continues to grow about the amount and severity of potholes on ACT roads;
 - (f) persistent rain has contributed to the number of potholes but so too has a lack of proactive road maintenance in warmer months;

- (g) delivering safe and accessible roads is a basic government responsibility that the Labor-Greens Government is failing at; and
- (h) Canberrans pay exorbitant levels of rates and it is not unreasonable of them to expect adequate roads in return; and
- (2) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) investigate what changes must be made to the road maintenance approach to improve the state of ACT roads;
 - (b) provide residents with a plan to reduce the amount of ratepayer's money spent on pothole damage claims; and
 - (c) publicly announce these findings and details of their implementation by 1 December 2022. (*Notice given 10 October 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A*).

*6 **MS ORR:** To move—That this Assembly:

- (1) notes that:
 - (a) gender inequality, including reproductive health stigma and discrimination, has been impacting women and people who menstruate in Australia and around the world for centuries;
 - (b) reproductive health refers to menstruation, menopause, fertility care, pregnancy, post-partum health complications, miscarriage, and termination of pregnancy;
 - (c) a significant proportion of the workforce experience reproductive health matters yet our workplaces often do not have policies or conditions in place to enable people to manage their needs at work and at the same time complete their work commitments;
 - (d) with the introduction and potential passing of the Period Products and Facilities (Access) Bill 2022, the ACT has begun to address barriers which prevent the full participation due to menstruation of members of our community in daily activities;
 - (e) increasingly workplaces are developing policies which provide a range of measures to support people and reduce the shame and stigma in workplaces associated with reproductive health matters;
 - (f) workplaces with these policies report increased employee satisfaction and a decrease in the workplace of menstruation shame and stigma;
 - (g) increasingly leave is being incorporated into the policies to support people to manage their period and period pain, menopause symptoms and pregnancy needs; and
 - (h) the initiatives of the Period Products and Facilities (Access) Bill 2022 would be complimented by the development of workplace policies and conditions that enable workers to manage their menstruation as well as all reproductive health matters and at the same time complete their work commitments; and

- (2) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) develop, in consultation with relevant stakeholders, a Menstruation and Menopause Policy for the ACT Public Service that enables employees to meet their work commitments and manage the impacts of menstruation and menopause in the workplace;
 - (b) develop, in consultation with relevant stakeholders, an education and awareness campaign to reduce the stigma of reproductive health matters in the workplace and support the Menstruation and Menopause Policy;
 - (c) prepare a report to the Legislative Assembly which advises how menstruation and menopause leave could be implemented within the ACT Public Service;
 - (d) consider ways existing provisions could be further enhanced to support other reproductive health needs such as fertility care, pregnancy, post-partum health complications, miscarriage, and termination of pregnancy; and
 - (e) provide the report in part (2)(c) to the Legislative Assembly by May 2023 together with a report on the progression of parts (2)(a) and (b) and the findings of considerations of part (2)(d). *(Notice given 7 October 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A).*

*7 **MS LEE:** To move—That this Assembly:

- (1) notes that:
 - (a) the ACT Council of Social Service (ACTCOSS) estimates that 38,000 Canberrans live in poverty, including 9,000 children;
 - (b) in its submission to the ACT Budget 2022-23, ACTCOSS also reports:
 - (i) that the ACT has the highest rate of rental stress among lower income households in private rentals;
 - (ii) over 25,000 people living in low-income households experience food stress; and
 - (iii) households in the lowest income quintile spend over 55 percent of their income on housing, food and transport;
 - (c) recent cost of living increases hit lower income Canberrans the hardest; and
 - (d) 16-22 October 2022 is Anti-Poverty Week; and
- (2) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) commission an independent inquiry into the prevalence of poverty in Canberra, with the following terms of reference:
 - (i) the rates and drivers of poverty;
 - (ii) the relationship between economic conditions (including fiscal policy, rising inflation and cost of living pressures) and poverty;

- (iii) the impact of poverty on individuals in relation to:
 - employment outcomes;
 - housing security;
 - health outcomes; and
 - education outcomes;
 - (iv) the effects of poverty in different demographics and communities;
 - (v) the relationship between income support payments and poverty;
 - (vi) mechanisms to address and reduce poverty; and
 - (vii) any related matters; and
- (b) table the report of the inquiry in the Assembly by the first sitting day of 2023. (*Notice given 10 October 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 **ELECTORAL AMENDMENT BILL 2021:** (*Mr Davis and Mr Braddock*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 2 December 2021—Mr Steel*).
 - 5 **DRUGS OF DEPENDENCE (PERSONAL USE) AMENDMENT BILL 2021:** (*Mr Pettersson*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 3 August 2022—Mr Gentleman*).
 - 6 **PERIOD PRODUCTS AND FACILITIES (ACCESS) BILL 2022:** (*Ms Orr*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder*).
 - *7 **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022 [NO 2]:** (*Ms Lee*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 21 September 2022—Mr Steel*).
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ASSEMBLY BUSINESS—continued**Notice**

- *1 **MR CAIN:** To move—That, notwithstanding the provisions of the resolution of the Assembly of 2 December 2020, as amended, that established general purpose standing committees, the Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety shall present its report on the Freedom of Information Amendment Bill 2022 and Freedom of Information Amendment Bill 2022 [No 2] by 1 December 2022. *(Notice given 10 October 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A).*

Orders of the day—continued

- 2 **INTEGRITY COMMISSION AMENDMENT BILL 2022:** *(Speaker):* Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 9 June 2022—Mr Barr).*

22 November 2022

- *3 **PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES—STANDING COMMITTEE:** Presentation of report on the Urban Forest Bill 2022, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 21 September 2022.

24 November 2022

- 4 **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, amended 21 September 2022.

Last sitting day of December 2022

- 5 **PRIVILEGES 2022—SELECT COMMITTEE:** Presentation of report on:
- (1) whether there has been a breach of privilege relating to the actions of the Work Health and Safety Commissioner and any other persons and whether they have improperly interfered with the free exercise of the authority of the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023 or breached any other privileges of the Assembly; and
 - (2) the alleged breach of privilege raised by the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023 in relation to a possible interference in the work of the Committee by a Minister;
- pursuant to order of the Assembly of 15 August 2022, amended 21 September 2022.

22 December 2022

- *6 **PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES—STANDING COMMITTEE:**
Presentation of report on the Planning Bill 2022, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 21 September 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.

A Questions on Notice Paper will be issued on the Friday of a sitting week, containing the text of all questions on notice lodged that week and can be accessed at www.parliament.act.gov.au/parliamentary-business/in-the-chamber/chamber-documents.

Redirected and answered question

- 897 Question on notice No 897 asked by Dr Paterson has been redirected to the Minister for Business and Better Regulation and has been answered.

Redirected questions

(30 days expires 23 October 2022)

- 892 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for Housing and Suburban Development —
- (1) In relation to Development Application 202240118, is the Government considering rezoning the area to allow for the building of recycling facilities.
 - (2) Did the Government contract or request Planit Strategic to submit the development application; if so, how much was Planit Strategic paid to do so.
 - (3) How strongly will the proposal from residents, to bring forward the duplication of Drake Brockman Drive to help address the traffic burden generated by a green waste facility on Stockdill Drive, be considered.
 - (4) How will the issues raised by all ACT Government entities who did not support the proposal be resolved.
 - (5) How will the concerns of residents detailed in submissions to the development application be resolved.
 - (6) Why was the development application lodged as a temporary development given it was clear the development would impact the road network and that the application included permanently constructed elements.

- (7) Will the Government continue to extend the same month-to-month lease arrangement they currently have with Canberra Sand and Gravel until a new location is identified, the development application is approved, and the site is ready for operations.

894 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) How many days have each of the 18 National Disability Insurance Scheme patients in Canberra hospitals been there.
- (2) Can the Minister provide a breakdown of how many are in what hospitals.
- (3) Can the Minister provide, for each patient, the date when they were declared medically fit to leave hospital.
- (4) Can the Minister provide, for each patient, the number of days between when they were declared fit to leave hospital and when they arrived.
- (5) What is the average care/bed cost per day to treat these patients in hospital.

Unanswered questions

(30 days expired 3 July 2022)

805 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health—

- (1) What is the (a) headcount and (b) full-time equivalent of midwives employed by Canberra Health Services (CHS).
- (2) How many care and birthing options are available for pregnant women and can the Minister provide details.
- (3) Of the options referred to in part (2), since 2016, how (a) many places were available for each option, (b) many women applied for a place in each option and (c) much funding does each option receive.
- (4) Has the Minister's office received any complaints from women who have not received their preferred option; if so, how many complaints have been received and can the Minister provide details.
- (5) How many beds are there/have there been at Canberra Hospital and Calvary Public Hospital in the maternity unit/birthing wards each year since 2016.
- (6) What is the average length of stay, since 2016, in the maternity unit/birthing ward at (a) Canberra Hospital and (b) Calvary Public Hospital,
- (7) What is the average cost of an overnight stay in the maternity unit/birthing ward at (a) Canberra Hospital and (b) Calvary Public Hospital, since 2016.

(30 days expires 23 October 2022)

893 **MS CLAY:** To ask the Minister for Planning and Land Management —

- (1) In relation to demonstration housing, have any projects without a site rejected an offer of a site; if so, (a) why did they do so and (b) will the Government offer a more suitable site to the proponent.

- (2) How is the Government keeping in touch with the project proponents and when did they last provide a substantive update to proponents, in particular those without sites.

895 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) Given that *The Canberra Times* article of 7 June 2022, quoted the Chief Executive Officer of Canberra Health Services (CHS) as saying, “We have listened to feedback that we should do more, particularly to support those who experience traumatic events through their work at CHS”, can the Minister provide details on what that feedback was.
- (2) Given that in the media the wife of an obstetrician who had died said that the hospital “will try to address the issues surrounding the care of its staff on a deeper level. I implore them to work diligently towards that goal”, can the Minister detail what (a) action CHS has taken since the obstetrician’s death on this issue and (b) involvement has staff had in this process.
- (3) Given that a 7 June *RiotAct* article quoted a staff member as saying, “the support they are offering now needs to be 24/7 and 365 days of the year. We experience trauma every day and staff are devastated”, what specific measures are being considered to improve trauma support for staff and when will those measures be implemented.

898 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) How many complaints has (a) the Minister’s office and (b) Transport Canberra and City Services (including Fix My Street) received about (i) covers on barbeques, (ii) drainage at the rotunda, (iii) lights at the rotunda, (iv) more crushed granite for caravans and (v) more power points, at Yerrabi Pond.
- (2) Does the Government plan to improve at Yerrabi Pond (a) the covers on barbeques, (b) drainage at the rotunda, (c) lights at the rotunda, (d) more crushed granite for caravans, (e) more power points; if not, why not; if so, when will these improvements be complete.

899 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for Corrections — In relation to funding for the Inspector of Corrections and further to the answer to question on notice No 327 of the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023 in which the Minister stated that the ACT Government continues to work closely with the Office of the ACT Inspector for Correctional Services (OICS) to ensure it is adequately resourced to provide their oversight responsibilities. Given the OICS seems to disagree with as evidenced by statements made in multiple hearings, such as how their oversight over the ACT youth justice facilities is limited. Did the Minister claim that they ensure the OICS is adequately resourced; if so, does the Minister disagree with OICS’s belief that they are under resourced.

900 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) Can the Minister advise what action has been completed for the parking scoping study for the Yerrabi Pond and foreshore.
- (2) Has there been a draft or study complete; if so, can the Minister provide a copy of this document.
- (3) How much has been spent on the study.
- (4) If the study has not been complete, when will it be.
- (5) Was the study internal or external.
- (6) If the study was external, which company won the tender.
- (7) Will Yerrabi Pond receive an upgrade to the foreshore before 2024; if so, when; if not, why not.
- (8) Has the Minister or Transport Canberra and City Services received correspondence about parking at (a) Yerrabi Pond and (b) Yerrabi Pond foreshore; if so, how many and was the sentiment positive, neutral, negative.

901 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) When and why was it decided to stop using the Cummings designed bus shelters as the standard bus shelter for Canberra.
- (2) Is the design work for the shelters being completed by Transport Canberra and City Services, or are the designs being completed by an outside organisation.
- (3) If the design work is being completed by an outside organisation, what is the name of that organisation.
- (4) Which organisations are currently supplying bus shelters to Canberra.
- (5) What are the models of bus shelter these organisations providing.
- (6) How many of each model has been purchased by the Government.
- (7) Why are there are gaps between the roof and the sidewalls of bus shelter 4005.
- (8) What is the name of this model.
- (9) Why is there about a 1.5 metre gap between the edge of the roof and the kerb, resulting in bus users getting wet as they step out from under the roof of the bus shelter to board the bus.
- (10) Does the Government have any data on how effective the Cummings designed bus shelters were at keeping rain off the bus shelter seats compared to the newer bus shelters; if so, where can that data be located; if not, has the Government studied the difference between the two.
- (11) Is there a document that details which bus stops will be receiving bus shelters and when; if so, can the Minister please provide a copy.

902 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) Who conducted the external review of paediatric services in late 2021.
- (2) What was the cost and process to select the reviewer.
- (3) When was the review done.
- (4) What was the terms of reference.

- (5) How was the review conducted?
- (6) When did the Minister receive the review.
- (7) What are the review's recommendations.
- (8) Did the reviewer speak to families who have used paediatric services; if so, can the Minister provide relevant details.
- (9) Did reviewer examine gaps in our paediatric services; if so, can the Minister provide relevant details.
- (10) Can the Minister provide a copy of the review.

903 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for Corrections — What is the current usage status of the former Symonston Remand Centre.

904 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) In relation to the Gastroenterology and Hepatology Unit (GEHU), how many referrals that have come through the National Bowel Cancer Screening Program and assessed by a general practitioner (GP) as urgent have been seen within the clinically recommended time.
- (2) What is the agreement with the federal government about wait times for referrals that have come through the National Bowel Cancer Screening Program and assessed by a GP as urgent have been seen within the clinically recommended time, that is, how quickly are these patients supposed to be seen.
- (3) How many consultants are up to date with triaging, and/or with no referrals awaiting triage dated more than six months ago.
- (4) Are faxed referrals still being used.
- (5) Do referring GPs get any automatic updates as to the progress of the referral and any further information required and how has this changed since the 2015 Auditor-General's report (page 43).
- (6) Have all recommendations from the 2015 Auditor-General's report into the GEHU been implemented.

905 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) When will the review of the paediatric early warning system be finished.
- (2) Who is conducting the review.
- (3) When did the review begin.
- (4) What are the terms of reference for the review.
- (5) How is the review being conducted.
- (6) When was the paediatric early warning system introduced and has it been evaluated.
- (7) Will the review's report be publicly released.

907 **MR CAIN:** To ask the Minister for Housing and Suburban Development —

- (1) Can the Minister provide detail of the data behind the commitment to build 30,000 homes in Canberra over the next five years (2023-2027).
- (2) How many houses would be built per year.
- (3) What would the zoning breakdown be per year, including RZ4 and RZ5.
- (4) Can the Minister clarify, from the Indicative Land Release Program 2022-23 (pp 53-55), the breakdown of how many dwellings will be released in the zonings RZ1-RZ5 for (a) 2024-25, (b) 2025-26 and (c) 2026-27 for the suburbs of (i) Macnamara, (ii) Kenny, (iii) Molonglo, (iv) Molonglo Valley – new suburb, (v) Weston and (vi) Ginninderry – new suburb.

908 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) How many patients are on the waiting list for the Gastroenterology and Hepatology Unit (GEHU) for 2021-22.
- (2) How many of the patients referred to in part (1) have been on the waiting list for over 12 months.
- (3) What is the average wait time for an initial appointment at the GEHU, that is, the total time taken for a referral to a named specialist between when the referral was received and the date the appointment was booked for.
- (4) How many referrals have been waiting more than (a) six and (b) 12 months without being seen.
- (5) What percentage of referrals, for example, urgent referrals, are seen within clinically recommended times.
- (6) What is the average wait time for (a) general gastroenterology referrals and (b) sub-speciality referrals.

909 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for Sport and Recreation —

- (1) Further to the Minister's answer to the question on notice No 133 of the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023, in which the Minister stated that the reactivation of sportsgrounds and ancillary sportsgrounds assets at Holt District playing fields is confirmed to be delivered during the 2022-2023 financial year, can the Minister advise if this will be done in partnership with the successful tenderer for the implementation of the Kippax Masterplan Development; if so, will there be a cost sharing plan between the Government and the tenderer; if so, what percentage of the cost will each party be required to pay; if not, who will pay for the reactivation of these assets.
- (2) Given Higgins oval was only recently upgraded with lighting, why were they not installed with 100 lux lighting at the time of the upgrade.

910 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) Which organisations are currently contracted by the Government to repair potholes.
- (2) What is the value of each organisation's contract.
- (3) What key performance indicators are associated with each contract, for instance, do the contractors have a quota of how many potholes they must repair per month.
- (4) Given that while Icon Water was working on the Belconnen Trunk Sewer Upgrade, their heavy vehicles damaged roads causing potholes along Companion Crescent and Homann Place and noting that they have since repaired those potholes, who was responsible for repairing those potholes.
- (5) Was this pothole repaired with cold or hot mix asphalt.
- (6) How long did it take to repair those potholes.
- (7) What was the cost of repairing those potholes.
- (8) How many potholes in the Ginninderra electorate are currently slated for repair.

911 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for Corrections —

- (1) In relation to the contract to provide sport recreational programs and activities for the Alexander Maconochie Centre (AMC) (tender 31000.110), what organisation was awarded this tender.
- (2) When does the contract expire.
- (3) Has the Government begun discussions as to whether they will extend, renegotiate or terminate the contract at the date of expiry.
- (4) How much has been paid out to the contractor so far and what is the total that will be paid out by the end of the contract.
- (5) What routine programs or activities does the contractor provide at the AMC.
- (6) Which of these programs are facilitated daily.

912 **MR CAIN:** To ask the Treasurer —

- (1) How much money did the Government spend on resolving Lease Variation Charge disputes in the (a) 2018-19, (b) 2019-20, (c) 2020-21 and (d) 2021-22 financial years.
- (2) How many variations were processed in the (a) 2018-19, (b) 2019-20, (c) 2020-21 and (d) 2021-22 financial years.
- (3) How many Lease Variation Charges were disputed in the (a) 2018-19, (b) 2019-20, (c) 2020-21 and (d) 2021-22 financial years.
- (4) How many staff were assigned to the valuation assessment process in the (a) 2018-19, (b) 2019-20, (c) 2020-21 and (d) 2021-22 financial years, broken down by (i) full-time equivalent/part time/full time/casual/ contractor and (ii) ACT Public Service band.
- (5) What were the details of the variations for the 2021-22 financial year (in spreadsheet, raw data or summary format).

- (6) Does the Government model the potential number of variations in the next five financial years; if so, can the Minister provide this modelling.

913 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) What correspondence with Suez and ACT No Waste led to the decision to introduce parking bans in Crace.
- (2) When did Transport Canberra and City Services (TCCS) decide to introduce parking bans to Crace.
- (3) What options were considered before parking bans.
- (4) What consultation was done with (a) residents, (b) ACT No Waste and (c) Suez before sending the letter box drop; if no consultation was done, why not.
- (5) Were other options that TCCS were considering for Crace proposed to (a) residents, (b) ACT No Waste and (c) Suez.
- (6) What was the total cost of creating and distributing the information to residents in Crace regarding the parking bans.
- (7) How many complaints did (a) the Minister's office and (b) TCCS receive regarding these parking bans.
- (8) Why does Suez or ACT No Waste not use the rear access utility roads for waste collection in Crace.

914 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) In relation to question on notice No 23 from the Select Committee on Estimates 2022-2023 process, can the Minister provide an answer to part (4)(a).
- (2) Further to part (4)(b) of question on notice No 23, were exit interviews or feedback provided and/or offered by the give former employees; if so, what was the feedback and were changes made.
- (3) Did ACT Health seek feedback from the five staff before they left.
- (4) Were any internal investigations made into their complaints; if so, (a) who conducted the review, (b) what was the cost and (c) was there a report and recommendations; if so, what were they and have they been implemented.
- (5) Did ACT Health consider using an external consultant to investigate the five staff leaving; if so, (a) who conducted the review, (b) what was the cost and (c) was there a report and recommendations; if so, what were they and have they been implemented.

915 **MS CLAY:** To ask the Minister for Planning and Land Management —

- (1) Have all necessary planning changes, to implement the demonstration housing projects, been completed by the Government; if not, what changes are still outstanding.
- (2) Have any projects not been offered sites yet; if so, why have they not been offered sites.
- (3) When will the Government complete the process of offering sites.
- (4) Is it possible that some proponents will not be offered sites.

- (5) For each project, can the Minister (a) identify the project, including information such as the suburb the site is in, or the project proponent, (b) if the project has been offered a site, including the process the proponents will have to go through to secure the site.
- (6) Further to part (5), can the Minister clarify, for each project, whether (a) proponents will be required to submit a Stage 2 Request for Tender (RFT), (b) they have progressed to a restricted class tender or direct sale process and (c) proponents have become the leaseholder of the site offered to them.
- (7) For projects that have not been offered a site, why haven't they been offered a site.
- (8) When is it expected that the proponents will be offered a site.
- (9) Will they be required to submit a Stage 2 RFT and will the stage 2 RFT be restricted to a specific proponent.
- (10) Will they be offered a direct sale process.

916 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) What type of support is currently provided to staff following serious/traumatic incidents.
- (2) Is there a dedicated team of professionals who provide this support; if so, can the Minister provide details about staff numbers, roles, skills, etc.
- (3) Is this support available 24/7 and at call for any staff who seeks it.
- (4) How much budget funding is allocated to this support service, including details for the last three years.
- (5) Did the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Canberra Health Services (CHS) state in *The Canberra Times* on 7 June 2022, that the organisation could do more to support staff who experience traumatic events through their work, following the death of an obstetrician; if so, what has CHS done since the obstetrician's death to support staff and what "more" is being considered or planned in light of the official's remark.

917 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) Can the Minister provide an update about the Gwydir shops upgrade, including (a) what work has been completed, (b) what work is still to complete, (c) when the project will be finished and (d) the total cost compared to how much money was allocated (budgeted for).
- (2) Can the Minister detail any ongoing consultation with local traders and residents and feedback received from them about the upgrade works.

918 **MRS KIKKERT:** To ask the Minister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence —

- (1) In relation to the YourSay consultation for the Domestic Violence Agencies (Information Sharing) Amendment Bill 2022, how will the ACT Government ensure that the views, experiences, and expertise of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people is front and centre, given the historical punitive treatment of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people by government and institutions.
- (2) Which Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander groups and organisations will the ACT Government engage with as part of consultation for the bill.
- (3) How will the ACT Government work closely with persons with disability as part of consultation for the bill.
- (4) Which relevant groups and organisations, referred to in part (3), will the ACT Government engage with as part of consultation for the bill.
- (5) How will the ACT Government ensure that the views and experiences of children will be taken into account as part of consultation for the bill.
- (6) Which relevant groups and organisations, referred to in part (5), will the ACT Government engage with as part of consultation for the bill.

919 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) How many staff (a) full-time equivalent and (b) headcount, are working on Digital Health Records (DHR) and what is their classification.
- (2) What are the teams within the DHR program and how many staff are in each team.
- (3) When will the project complete testing and how many staff are testing the system.
- (4) Is testing of the system outsourced; if so, what is the cost of this.
- (5) When will the project be complete.
- (6) Will DHR be implemented in all areas of ACT healthcare on this date; if not, what areas will have DHR and what areas will not.
- (7) Can the Minister Provide an estimated implementation date for each division that will be using DHR in ACT.

921 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Industrial Relations and Workplace Safety —

- (1) What consultation has there been with the ACT hairdressing sector about the proposed expansion of the ACT's *Long Service Leave (Portable Schemes) Act 2009*.
- (2) How was industry consultation with the hairdressing sector done, and when did it happen.
- (3) Which hairdressers, businesses and representatives were consulted, including how many and names of those consulted.
- (4) What was the result of such consultation including what feedback was provided.

- (5) Was a report compiled following the consultation; if so, can the Minister provide a copy of the report; if not, why not.
- (6) Is further consultation planned with the hairdressing sector; if so, can the Minister provide details of the planned consultation.

923 **MS CASTLEY:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) How many bulky waste collection requests have been (a) made and (b) completed, each month since July 2021 to present.
- (2) Is the bulky waste collection completed by government or a private company.
- (3) If the bulky waste collection is completed by (a) a private company or (b) government could the Minister specify, (i) what the cost of the contract/service is, (ii) the duration of the contract/service and (iii) the term of the contract/service, eg, is the company paid to complete a certain amount of collections per week/month/year, or if other, can the Minister specify.
- (4) Are residents able to receive priority for a collection under certain conditions; if so, what are those conditions; if not, why not.

924 **MS CLAY:** To ask the Treasurer —

- (1) How much did the 2012 ACT Taxation Review Paper cost.
- (2) Is the Government considering a new review following fiscal impact of COVID-19.
- (3) How many entities paid payroll tax to the ACT in (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and 2021-22.
- (4) What were the (a) compliance and debt recovery costs and (b) administration and collection costs, in terms of cents per dollar of revenue, in 2021-22 of ACT's (i) land tax, (ii) general rates, (iii) payroll tax and (iv) foreign ownership land tax surcharge.
- (5) What was the total value of revenue foregone on general rates and the Fire and Emergency Services levy due to concessions in (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and (c) 2021-22.
- (6) How many deferrals of general rate payments were there in (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and (c) 2021-22.
- (7) What was the total value of revenue foregone on general rates and the Fire and Emergency Services levy due to payment deferrals in (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and (c) 2021-22.
- (8) In 2021-22, what as the total mean and median nominal land tax payable for all dwellings with AUVs, within the thresholds of (a) \$300k-\$600k, (b) \$600k-\$1 million, (c) \$1 million-\$1.8 million, (d) \$1.8 million-\$2.5million and (e) \$2.5 million plus.
- (9) In 2021-22, how many dwellings that paid land tax in the ACT had an AUV of (a) \$300k-\$600k, (b) \$600k-\$1 million, (c) \$1 million-\$1.8 million, (d) \$1.8 million-\$2.5million and (e) \$2.5 million plus.
- (10) How does Treasury decide what is a "good" tax and are there criteria.

925 **MR DAVIS:** To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services —

- (1) Given that a number of constituents are concerned that existing Tuggeranong playgrounds, notably playgrounds in Wanniasa, do not meet community need in quantity and quality, what capacity does the ACT Government have to consider more upgrades to playgrounds around Tuggeranong.
- (2) What is the process by Transport Canberra and City Services (TCCS) for deciding which playgrounds to prioritise for upgrades or maintenance.
- (3) Would TCCS consider increasing the number of playgrounds in Wanniasa, and improving the quality of the equipment and space.
- (4) Would TCCS consider planning and constructing more large scale adventure and destination playgrounds in Tuggeranong, other than in Kambah and Gordon, like those in Taylor, Moncrieff and Throsby.

T Duncan

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

GOVERNMENT TO RESPOND TO PETITIONS

(in accordance with standing order 100)

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 019-22). *(Referred to Standing Committee on Health and Community Wellbeing on 3 August 2022.)*

20 December 2022

Watson—Mowing of off-leash dog areas—Minister for Transport and City Services—Petition lodged by Ms Vassarotti (e-Pet 005-22).

Reduction of housing costs for first home buyers—Treasurer—Petition lodged by Mr Parton (e-Pet 006-22).

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 Clay, Mr Cocks.

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

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.

PRIVILEGES 2022: *(Formed 15 August 2022):* Mr Hanson (Chair), Ms Clay, Mr Pettersson.

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)*
