



# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

2020–2021–2022–2023–2024

## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

No 112

THURSDAY, 8 FEBRUARY 2024

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- 1 The Assembly met at 10 am, pursuant to adjournment. The Speaker (Ms Burch) took the Chair and made the following acknowledgement of country in the Ngunnawal language:

Dhawura nguna, dhawura Ngunnawal.

Yanggu ngalawiri, dhunimanyin Ngunnawalwari dhawurawari.

Nginggada Dindi dhawura Ngunnaawalbun yindjumaralidjinyin.

*This is Ngunnawal Country.*

*Today we are gathering on Ngunnawal country.*

*We always pay respect to Elders, female and male, and Ngunnawal country.*

The Speaker asked Members to stand in silence and pray or reflect on their responsibilities to the people of the Australian Capital Territory.

### 2 PETITION—PETITION NOTED

The Clerk announced that the following Member had lodged a petition for presentation:

Mrs Kikkert, from 120 residents, requesting that the Assembly call on the ACT Government to work with the Macgregor community to make improvements to the Pulleine Crescent Neighbourhood Playground (Pet 003-24).

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The Speaker proposed—That the petition so lodged be noted.

Debate ensued.

*Paper:* Mrs Kikkert, by leave, presented the following paper:

Macgregor—Pulleine Crescent Neighbourhood Playground—List of improvement requests from nearby residents, undated.

*Paper:* Dr Paterson, by leave, presented the following paper:

Petition which does not conform with the standing orders—Stirling—Access from Wittenoom Crescent to Barlee Place Park and nearby Namatjira Drive bus stops—Proposed footpaths installation—Dr Paterson (15 signatures).

Question—put and passed.

**3 BLUEPRINT FOR YOUTH JUSTICE IN THE A.C.T. 2012-2022—FINAL REPORT—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT AND PAPER—PAPER NOTED**

Ms Stephen-Smith (Minister for Children, Youth and Family Services) made a ministerial statement concerning the Final Report on the Blueprint for Youth Justice in the ACT 2012-2022 and presented the following papers:

Final report on the Blueprint for Youth Justice in the ACT 2012-2022—

Report, undated.

Ministerial statement, 8 February 2024.

Ms Stephen-Smith moved—That the Assembly take note of the ministerial statement.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

**4 DHULWA INDEPENDENT OVERSIGHT BOARD—REPORT 3—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT AND PAPER—PAPER NOTED**

Ms Davidson (Minister for Mental Health) made a ministerial statement concerning the third report of the Dhulwa Independent Oversight Board and presented the following papers:

Dhulwa Independent Oversight Board—Report 3—

Report, dated 23 October 2023.

Ministerial statement, 8 February 2024.

Ms Davidson moved—That the Assembly take note of the ministerial statement.

Question—put and passed.

**5 EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY INCLUSION—STANDING COMMITTEE—CONSIDERATION OF STATUTORY APPOINTMENTS—STATEMENT BY CHAIR—PAPER**

Mr Pettersson (Chair), pursuant to standing order 246A and Continuing Resolution 5A, made a statement concerning consideration of statutory appointments by the Standing Committee on Education and Community Inclusion.

*Paper:* Mr Pettersson, pursuant to Continuing Resolution 5A, presented the following paper:

Education and Community Inclusion—Standing Committee—Schedule of Statutory Appointments—10th Assembly—Period 1 July to 31 December 2023.

**6 ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND BIODIVERSITY—STANDING COMMITTEE—INQUIRY—CLIMATE CHANGE AND A JUST TRANSITION—STATEMENT BY CHAIR**

Dr Paterson (Chair), pursuant to standing order 246A, informed the Assembly that the Standing Committee on Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity had resolved to conduct an inquiry into and report on climate change and a just transition.

**7 ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND BIODIVERSITY—STANDING COMMITTEE—INQUIRY—A.C.T. ENVIRONMENT’S BUSHFIRE PREPAREDNESS—STATEMENT BY CHAIR**

Dr Paterson (Chair), pursuant to standing order 246A, informed the Assembly that the Standing Committee on Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity had resolved to conduct an inquiry into and report on ACT environment’s bushfire preparedness.

**8 ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND BIODIVERSITY—STANDING COMMITTEE—INQUIRY—E-PETITION 017-23: INDIAN (COMMON) MYNA CONTROL—STATEMENT BY CHAIR**

Dr Paterson (Chair), pursuant to standing order 246A, informed the Assembly that the Standing Committee on Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity had resolved to conduct an inquiry into and report on e-Petition 017-23 concerning Indian (Common) Myna Control.

**9 ABSENCE OF QUORUM**

Mr Rattenbury (Attorney-General) drew the attention of the Speaker to the fact that a quorum of Members was not present.

The bells having been rung, and a quorum formed—

**10 PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES—STANDING COMMITTEE—INQUIRY—PROPERTY DEVELOPERS BILL 2023—STATEMENT BY CHAIR**

Ms Clay (Chair), pursuant to standing order 246A, informed the Assembly that the Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services had resolved to conduct an inquiry into and report on Property Developers Bill 2023.

**11 PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVICES—STANDING COMMITTEE—E-PETITION 004-23—CAR PARKING ON PUBLIC GREEN OPEN SPACES—STATEMENT BY CHAIR**

Ms Clay (Chair), pursuant to standing order 246A, informed the Assembly that the Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services had resolved not to inquire into e-petition 004-23 concerning private car parks on protected public green open spaces.

**12 WORKPLACE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024**

Mr Gentleman (Minister for Industrial Relations and Workplace Safety), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend workplace legislation, and for other purposes.

*Paper:* Mr Gentleman presented the following paper:

Explanatory statement to the Bill, incorporating a compatibility statement, pursuant to section 37 of the *Human Rights Act 2004*.

Title read by Clerk.

Mr Gentleman moved—That this Bill be agreed to in principle.

Debate adjourned (Ms Lawder) and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

**13 CLIMATE CHANGE AND GREENHOUSE GAS REDUCTION (MEMBERSHIP) AMENDMENT BILL 2024**

Mr Rattenbury (Minister for Water, Energy and Emissions Reduction), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Climate Change and Greenhouse Gas Reduction Act 2010*.

*Paper:* Mr Rattenbury presented the following paper:

Explanatory statement to the Bill, incorporating a compatibility statement, pursuant to section 37 of the *Human Rights Act 2004*.

Title read by Clerk.

Mr Rattenbury moved—That this Bill be agreed to in principle.

Debate adjourned (Ms Lawder) and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

**14 CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE AMENDMENT BILL 2024**

The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That this Bill be agreed to in principle—

Debate resumed.

Question—That this Bill be agreed to in principle—put and passed.

Leave granted to dispense with the detail stage.

Question—That this Bill be agreed to—put and passed.

**15 QUESTIONS**

Questions without notice were asked.

**16 LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MEMBER**

Ms Lawder moved—That leave of absence be granted to Mr Cocks for this sitting due to personal reasons.

Question—put and passed.

**17 A.C.T. LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY EXCHANGE WITH THE MANEABA NI MAUNGATABU KIRIBATI—19 TO 24 NOVEMBER 2023—REPORT—PAPER AND STATEMENT BY MEMBER**

Mr Parton, by leave, presented the following paper:

ACT Legislative Assembly exchange with the Maneaba ni Maungatabu Kiribati—19 to 24 November 2023—Report, undated.

and, by leave, made a statement in relation to the paper.

Dr Paterson, by leave, also made a statement in relation to the paper.

**18 PRESENTATION OF PAPERS**

Mr Gentleman (Manager of Government Business), pursuant to standing order 211, presented the following papers:

Annual Reports (Government Agencies) Act, pursuant to section 13—Annual Reports—2022-23—Justice and Community Safety Directorate—Corrigendum, dated February 2024.

Financial Management Act, pursuant to section 30E—Half-yearly performance reports—December 2023, for the following:

ACT Health Directorate, dated February 2024.

ACT Local Hospital Network, dated February 2024.

Canberra Health Services, dated February 2024.

Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate, dated February 2024.

Community Services Directorate, dated February 2024.

Education Directorate, dated February 2024.

Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate, dated February 2024.

Housing ACT, dated February 2024.

Justice and Community Safety Directorate, dated February 2024.

Major Projects Canberra, dated February 2024.

Transport Canberra and City Services Directorate, dated February 2024.

Transport Canberra Operations, dated February 2024.

Early Childhood Legislation Amendment (Premises Approval in Principle) Act 2023 (Victoria)—As adopted by the Education and Care Services National Law (ACT) Act 2012, including explanatory statement.

Freedom of Information Act, pursuant to section 39—Copy of notice provided to the Ombudsman—Freedom of Information request—Decision not made in time—Community Services Directorate—FOI-CSD-23/2, dated 2 November 2023.

Gene Technology Act, pursuant to subsection 136(2)—Operations of the Gene Technology Regulator—Annual reports—2022-2023, dated 13 September 2023.

Guidelines for the Classification of Computer Games 2023, dated 24 October 2023.

Inquiries Act—Australian Capital Territory Board of Inquiry—Criminal Justice System—Final report—Final Government response.

Planning Act, pursuant to subsection 268(2)—Statement of Leases Granted—1 October to 31 December 2023, dated February 2024.

Public Accounts—Standing Committee—Report 19—Inquiry into responses to Auditor-General recommendations for reports 5/2017, 7/2019 and 6/2020—Government response, dated February 2024.

United States Trade Mission, Sept/Oct 2023—Statement, dated February 2024.

Waiting Times—Outpatients and Emergency Department November 2023—Government Report, dated November 2023.

**Subordinate legislation (including explanatory statements unless otherwise stated)**

Legislation Act, pursuant to section 64—

Public Sector Management Act—Public Sector Management Amendment Standards 2024 (No 1)—Disallowable Instrument DI2024-19 (LR, 6 February 2024).

**19 DISABILITY INCLUSION BILL 2024**

Ms Orr, pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to promote disability inclusion, and for other purposes.

*Paper:* Ms Orr presented an explanatory statement to the Bill.

Title read by Clerk.

Ms Orr moved—That this Bill be agreed to in principle.

Debate adjourned (Mr Milligan) and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

**20 RESIDENTIAL TENANCIES AMENDMENT BILL 2024**

Ms Clay, pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Residential Tenancies Act 1997* and the *Residential Tenancies Regulation 1998*.

*Papers:* Ms Clay presented an explanatory statement to the Bill and Climate Impact Analysis of the Bill.

Title read by Clerk.

Ms Clay moved—That this Bill be agreed to in principle.

Debate adjourned (Mr Barr—Chief Minister) and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

**21 LIGHT RAIL STAGES 2A AND 2B—COSTINGS**

Mr Parton, pursuant to notice, moved—That this Assembly:

(1) notes:

- (a) on 7 December 2023, the ACT Labor-Greens Government released their costings and the timeframe for the delivery of light rail stage 2A which included the total cost for stage 2A at \$577 million;
- (b) the ACT Labor-Greens costings of \$577 million does not include the total cost of the work for stage 2A, specifically the cost to raise London Circuit, upgrades to the depot and purchasing more light rail vehicles;
- (c) when including the cost for these elements of light rail stage 2A, the total cost of stage 2A balloons out to over \$800 million for an extension of just 1.7 km;
- (d) the original timeframe for the light rail stage 2A when announced was 2024; and
- (e) the revised timeframe is now early 2028, four years longer than first announced;

- (2) further notes that this demonstrates that the ACT Labor-Greens Government have not been upfront with ACT taxpayers over the true cost and timeframe of light rail stage 2A; and
- (3) calls on the Government to table in the Legislative Assembly by the last sitting week:
  - (a) in June 2024, the full costings, including all the enabling work, of light rail stage 2A; and
  - (b) in August 2024, the full costings and timeframe for light rail stage 2B and be upfront with Canberrans on the true cost of this major infrastructure project ahead of the 2024 ACT election.

Mr Steel (Minister for Transport) moved the following amendment: Omit all text after “That this Assembly”, substitute:

- “(1) notes:
- (a) the ACT Government has been upfront and transparent with the community on the costs associated with light rail, and has continuously committed to publishing light rail costs once contracts are signed and the procurement is finalised, to ensure the Territory is in the best position to achieve value for money;
  - (b) the ACT Government has published all executed contracts associated with the delivery of light rail on the ACT Contracts Register;
  - (c) on 7 December 2023, the ACT Government announced the major works contract for the delivery of Light Rail Stage 2A had been signed, and the contracts were published on 10 January 2024. The delivery phase cost for the project is \$575.3 million;
  - (d) on 9 August 2022, the ACT Government announced a contract had been signed for five new light rail vehicles, retrofitting batteries on the existing fleet, and expanding the light rail depot, and the contract was published on 9 August 2022. The delivery phase cost for this contract is \$129.6 million;
  - (e) on 1 July 2022, the ACT Government announced a contract had been signed for the raising of London Circuit, which provides substantial city improvements and enables light rail, and the contract was published on 21 July 2022. The delivery phase cost for this project is \$81.7 million; and
  - (f) Commonwealth Government announced an additional \$125 million in funding for Light Rail Stage 2A as part of the 2024-25 MYEFO Budget to maintain the 50 per cent joint funding contribution. This brings the total committed Commonwealth funding for Light Rail Stage 2a to \$343.9 million;
- (2) further notes:
- (a) on 24 November 2022, Minister Steel amended Mr Parton’s motion to note “the specific delivery timeframe for LRS2a commencing operations is subject to receiving Works Approval from the National Capital Authority, signing a contract with the ACT Government’s delivery partner, and finalising an agreed construction program”;

- (b) on 20 September 2023, Minister Steel amended Mr Parton’s motion to note “Minister Steel has continued to state that the timeline for services commencing on Light Rail Stage 2a (LRS2a) will be determined through the procurement, including during 2023-24 Estimates Hearings.”; and
  - (c) on 7 December 2023, the ACT Government announced work is planned to commence on Light Rail Stage 2A in late 2024, with services commencing from January 2028, following the signing of the major works contract; and
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to:
- (a) continue with the delivery of light rail to Woden;
  - (b) publish estimated costs and timings for LRS2B once contracts are signed and the procurement is finalised to ensure the Territory is in the best position to achieve value for money;
  - (c) continue to release business cases and contracts for future stages of light rail;
  - (d) report back to the Assembly by the last sitting day of the 10th Assembly in 2024 with an update on the progress of delivering Light Rail Stage 2B, including:
    - (i) indicative milestones and timeframes for the delivery of Light Rail Stage 2B project;
    - (ii) the current indicative alignment;
    - (iii) an update on discussions with the NCA and other relevant Australian Government stakeholders on the project timeframe, milestones and alignment; and
    - (iv) an estimated completion date for Light Rail Stage 2B.”.

Debate continued.

Mr Parton, by leave, moved the following amendments to Mr Steel’s proposed amendment, together:

1. Omit paragraph (3)(d).
2. Add after paragraph (3)(d)(iv): “(v) an estimated cost for Stage 2B and all associated works and costs.”.

Question—That Mr Parton’s amendments to Mr Steel’s proposed amendment be agreed to—put.

The Assembly voted—

AYES, 8

Peter Cain  
 Leanne Castley  
 Jeremy Hanson  
 Elizabeth Kikkert  
 Nicole Lawder  
 Elizabeth Lee  
 James Milligan  
 Mark Parton

NOES, 15

Andrew Barr                      Suzanne Orr  
 Andrew Braddock                Marisa Paterson  
 Joy Burch                            Michael Pettersson  
 Tara Cheyne                        Shane Rattenbury  
 Jo Clay                                Chris Steel  
 Emma Davidson                    Rachel Stephen-Smith  
 Mick Gentleman                    Rebecca Vassarotti  
 Laura Nuttall

And so it was negatived.

Mr Steel's amendment agreed to.

Debate continued.

Question—That the motion, as amended, viz:

“That this Assembly:

- (1) notes:
  - (a) the ACT Government has been upfront and transparent with the community on the costs associated with light rail, and has continuously committed to publishing light rail costs once contracts are signed and the procurement is finalised, to ensure the Territory is in the best position to achieve value for money;
  - (b) the ACT Government has published all executed contracts associated with the delivery of light rail on the ACT Contracts Register;
  - (c) on 7 December 2023, the ACT Government announced the major works contract for the delivery of Light Rail Stage 2A had been signed, and the contracts were published on 10 January 2024. The delivery phase cost for the project is \$575.3 million;
  - (d) on 9 August 2022, the ACT Government announced a contract had been signed for five new light rail vehicles, retrofitting batteries on the existing fleet, and expanding the light rail depot, and the contract was published on 9 August 2022. The delivery phase cost for this contract is \$129.6 million;
  - (e) on 1 July 2022, the ACT Government announced a contract had been signed for the raising of London Circuit, which provides substantial city improvements and enables light rail, and the contract was published on 21 July 2022. The delivery phase cost for this project is \$81.7 million; and
  - (f) Commonwealth Government announced an additional \$125 million in funding for Light Rail Stage 2A as part of the 2024-25 MYEFO Budget to maintain the 50 per cent joint funding contribution. This brings the total committed Commonwealth funding for Light Rail Stage 2A to \$343.9 million;
- (2) further notes:
  - (a) on 24 November 2022, Minister Steel amended Mr Parton's motion to note “the specific delivery timeframe for LRS2a commencing operations is subject to receiving Works Approval from the National Capital Authority, signing a contract with the ACT Government's delivery partner, and finalising an agreed construction program”;
  - (b) on 20 September 2023, Minister Steel amended Mr Parton's motion to note “Minister Steel has continued to state that the timeline for services commencing on Light Rail Stage 2a (LRS2a) will be determined through the procurement, including during 2023-24 Estimates Hearings.”; and
  - (c) on 7 December 2023, the ACT Government announced work is planned to commence on Light Rail Stage 2A in late 2024, with services commencing from January 2028, following the signing of the major works contract; and

- (3) calls on the ACT Government to:
- (a) continue with the delivery of light rail to Woden;
  - (b) publish estimated costs and timings for LRS2B once contracts are signed and the procurement is finalised to ensure the Territory is in the best position to achieve value for money;
  - (c) continue to release business cases and contracts for future stages of light rail;
  - (d) report back to the Assembly by the last sitting day of the 10th Assembly in 2024 with an update on the progress of delivering Light Rail Stage 2B, including:
    - (i) indicative milestones and timeframes for the delivery of Light Rail Stage 2B project;
    - (ii) the current indicative alignment;
    - (iii) an update on discussions with the NCA and other relevant Australian Government stakeholders on the project timeframe, milestones and alignment; and
    - (iv) an estimated completion date for Light Rail Stage 2B.”—

be agreed to—put and passed.

## **22 LIGHT RAIL STAGE 2B’S IMPACT ON THE BUS NETWORK**

Mr Parton, pursuant to notice, moved—That this Assembly:

- (1) notes:
- (a) increasing public transport patronage should be one of the key jobs of the Minister for Transport;
  - (b) pursuing policies to reduce car use and prioritise public transport are a means to tackle congestion, air pollution and greenhouse gas emissions and to create a more liveable city;
  - (c) faster public transport travel times are an enormous factor in convincing people to take public transport over the private motor vehicle;
  - (d) should stage 2B of the tram ever be completed, the travel time between Woden and Civic will be up to 15 minutes slower than the current rapid bus run, with the addition of bus to tram transfer time at Woden interchange;
  - (e) the completion of stage 2B would necessitate the cancellation of the R4 and R5 bus routes, at least between Woden and Civic, because the much quicker bus routes would be a more attractive travel option than the tram;
  - (f) public transport travel times for most southside journeys are likely to increase should stage 2B ever be completed; and
  - (g) Canberra had one of the highest percentages of public transport usage nationally in the 1980s by simply running a better-connected bus network; and
- (2) calls on the Government as a matter of urgency to:
- (a) publicly admit that the R4 and R5 services will not continue if stage 2B of the tram is ever completed;

- (b) publicly admit that most public transport travel times from the south will increase if stage 2B of the tram is ever completed; and
- (c) examine ways to decrease travel times in our public transport network and report the findings back to the Assembly at the end of July 2024.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

The Assembly voted—

AYES, 8

Peter Cain  
 Leanne Castley  
 Jeremy Hanson  
 Elizabeth Kikkert  
 Nicole Lawder  
 Elizabeth Lee  
 James Milligan  
 Mark Parton

NOES, 15

Andrew Barr  
 Andrew Braddock  
 Joy Burch  
 Tara Cheyne  
 Jo Clay  
 Emma Davidson  
 Mick Gentleman  
 Laura Nuttall  
 Suzanne Orr  
 Marisa Paterson  
 Michael Pettersson  
 Shane Rattenbury  
 Chris Steel  
 Rachel Stephen-Smith  
 Rebecca Vassarotti

And so it was negatived.

## 23 PAPERS PRESENTED ON 8 FEBRUARY 2024—PAPERS NOTED

The Speaker, pursuant to standing order 211A, proposed—That the papers presented under standing order 211 during the presentation of papers in the routine of business today be noted.

Question—put and passed.

## 24 APPROPRIATION BILL 2023-2024 (NO 2)

Mr Barr (Treasurer), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to appropriate additional money for the purposes of the Territory for the financial year that began on 1 July 2023.

*Papers:* Mr Barr presented the following papers:

Explanatory statement to the Bill, incorporating a compatibility statement, pursuant to section 37 of the *Human Rights Act 2004*.

Budget 2023-2024—Financial Management Act, pursuant to section 13—

Budget Review, dated February 2024.

Supplementary Budget Papers, dated February 2024.

Title read by Clerk.

Mr Barr moved—That this Bill be agreed to in principle.

Debate adjourned (Ms Lee—Leader of the Opposition) and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

## 25 APPROPRIATION (OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY) BILL 2023-2024 (NO 2)

Mr Barr (Treasurer), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to appropriate additional money for expenditure in relation to the Office of the Legislative Assembly for the financial year that began on 1 July 2023.

*Paper:* Mr Barr presented the following paper:

Explanatory statement to the Bill, incorporating a compatibility statement, pursuant to section 37 of the *Human Rights Act 2004*.

Title read by Clerk.

Mr Barr moved—That this Bill be agreed to in principle.

Debate adjourned (Ms Lee—Leader of the Opposition) and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

**26 PUBLIC ACCOUNTS—STANDING COMMITTEE—REFERENCE—APPROPRIATION BILL 2023-2024 (NO 2) AND APPROPRIATION (OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY) BILL 2023-2024 (NO 2)**

Mr Barr (Treasurer), by leave, moved—

That, notwithstanding the provisions of standing orders 174, 175 and 176, the Appropriation Bill 2023-2024 (No 2) and the Appropriation (Office of the Legislative Assembly) Bill 2023-2024 (No 2) be referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts to decide whether or not to undertake an inquiry, and, should the committee decide to inquire, the reporting date will be 8 March 2024.

Question—put and passed.

**27 MEMBERS' STATEMENTS**

Members' statements were made.

**28 ADJOURNMENT**

Mr Gentleman (Manager of Government Business) moved—That the Assembly do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

And then the Assembly, at 5.12 pm, adjourned until Tuesday, 19 March 2024 at 10 am.

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**MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE:** All Members were present at some time during the sitting, except Mr Cocks\*.

\*on leave.

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**Tom Duncan**  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly