



Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory

2020-2021-2022-2023-2024

Notice Paper

No 117

Thursday, 11 April 2024

The Assembly meets this day at 10 am

ASSEMBLY BUSINESS

Notice

1 **MS LAWDER:** To move—That:

- (1) a Select Committee on Estimates 2024-2025 be appointed to examine the expenditure proposals contained in the Appropriation Bill 2024-2025, the Appropriation (Office of the Legislative Assembly) Bill 2024-2025 and any revenue estimates proposed by the Government in the 2024-2025 Budget and prepare a report to the Assembly;
- (2) the Committee be composed of:
 - (a) one Member to be nominated by the Labor Party;
 - (b) one Member to be nominated by the Liberal Party; and
 - (c) one Member to be nominated by the ACT Greens;
 to be notified in writing to the Speaker within two hours of this motion passing;
- (3) a Liberal Party member shall be elected Chair of the Committee by the Committee;
- (4) funds be provided by the Assembly to permit the engagement of external expertise to work with the Committee to facilitate the analysis of the Budget and the preparation of the report of the Committee;

- (5) the Committee is to report by Friday, 23 August 2024;
- (6) if the Assembly is not sitting when the Committee has completed its inquiry, the Committee may send its report to the Speaker or, in the absence of the Speaker, to the Deputy Speaker, who is authorised to give directions for its printing, publishing and circulation; and
- (7) the foregoing provisions of this resolution, so far as they are inconsistent with the standing orders, have effect notwithstanding anything contained in the standing orders. (*Notice given 8 April 2024. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A*).

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

Notices

- *1 **MS CHEYNE:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Victims of Crime (Financial Assistance) Act 2016*. (*Notice given 10 April 2024*)
- *2 **MS VASSAROTTI:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Heritage Act 2004*. (*Notice given 10 April 2024*)
- *3 **MS VASSAROTTI:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Nature Conservation Act 2014*. (*Notice given 10 April 2024*)
- *4 **MS DAVIDSON:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Crimes (Sentence Administration) Act 2005*. (*Notice given 10 April 2024*)

Orders of the day

- 1 **WORKPLACE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** (*Minister for Industrial Relations and Workplace Safety*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 8 February 2024—Ms Lawder*).
- 2 **CRIMES LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** (*Attorney-General*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2024—Mr Cain*).
- 3 **COAG LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2021:** (*Chief Minister*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 4 August 2021—Ms Lee*).
- 4 **HUMAN RIGHTS (HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT) AMENDMENT BILL 2023:** (*Minister for Human Rights*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 26 October 2023—Mr Cain*).
- 5 **VOLUNTARY ASSISTED DYING BILL 2023:** (*Minister for Human Rights*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 31 October 2023—Ms Lee*).

- 6 **PARENTAGE (SURROGACY) AMENDMENT BILL 2023:** *(Minister for Human Rights): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 31 October 2023—Mr Cain).*
- 7 **SEXUAL, FAMILY AND PERSONAL VIOLENCE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2023:** *(Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 2 November 2023—Mr Cain).*
- 8 **ROAD SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2023:** *(Minister for Transport and City Services): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 29 November 2023—Mr Cain).*
- 9 **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGENCIES (INFORMATION SHARING) AMENDMENT BILL 2023:** *(Minister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 30 November 2023—Mrs Kikkert).*
- 10 **PROPERTY DEVELOPERS BILL 2023:** *(Minister for Sustainable Building and Construction): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 30 November 2023—Mr Parton). (Referred to the Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services on 30 November 2023.)*
- 11 **CIVIL LAW (WRONGS) AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 7 February 2024—Mr Cain).*
- 12 **CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE AMENDMENT BILL 2024 (NO 2):** *(Minister for Children, Youth and Family Services): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 19 March 2024—Ms Castley).*
- 13 **HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION (CHILD SAFE STANDARDS) AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Minister for Children, Youth and Family Services): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 19 March 2024—Ms Castley).*
- 14 **GAMING MACHINE (COMPULSORY SURRENDER) AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Minister for Gaming): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 21 March 2024—Mr Parton).*
- 15 **INDEPENDENT COMPETITION AND REGULATORY COMMISSION AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Treasurer and Minister for Water, Energy and Emissions Reduction): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 9 April 2024—Ms Lee).*
- 16 **EDUCATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Minister for Education and Youth Affairs): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 9 April 2024—Ms Lee).*
- 17 **HOUSING AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 9 April 2024—Mr Cain).*
- *18 **EDUCATION AND CARE SERVICES NATIONAL LAW (ACT) AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Minister for Early Childhood Development): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 10 April 2024—Ms Lee).*
- *19 **CRIMES (DISCLOSURE) LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 10 April 2024—Mr Cain).*

- *20 **HEALTH (IMPROVED ABORTION ACCESS) AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Minister for Health): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 10 April 2024—Ms Castley).*
- *21 **PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** *(Acting Minister for Planning): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 10 April 2024—Mr Cain).*
- 22 **PUBLIC TRANSPORT WORKFORCE AND TIMETABLES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE TO RESOLUTION OF THE ASSEMBLY—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate *(from 7 February 2023—Mr Braddock)* on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 23 **OFFICE OF WATER—UPDATE ON CATCHMENT PLANS AND YERRABI FLOATING WETLANDS—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate *(from 9 February 2023—Ms Lawder)* on the motion of Mr Rattenbury—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 24 **FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT—HALF YEARLY STATEMENT OF PERFORMANCE—PERIOD ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2022—ACT HEALTH DIRECTORATE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate *(from 9 February 2023—Ms Lawder)* on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 25 **FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT—HALF YEARLY STATEMENT OF PERFORMANCE—PERIOD ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2022—ACT LOCAL HOSPITAL NETWORK—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate *(from 9 February 2023—Ms Lawder)* on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 26 **FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT—HALF YEARLY STATEMENT OF PERFORMANCE—PERIOD ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2022—CANBERRA HEALTH SERVICES—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate *(from 9 February 2023—Ms Lawder)* on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 27 **FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT—CANBERRA HEALTH SERVICES 2022-2023 BUDGET STATEMENT C—CORRIGENDUM—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate *(from 9 February 2023—Ms Lawder)* on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 28 **WORLD DAY FOR SAFETY AND HEALTH AT WORK AND INTERNATIONAL WORKERS' MEMORIAL DAY:** Resumption of debate *(from 6 June 2023—Ms Cheyne)* on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That this Assembly:
- (1) notes the importance of World Day for Safety and Health at Work and International Workers' Memorial Day commemorated internationally on 28 April of each year and that:
 - (a) it is a day of reflection to remember and honour those who have lost their lives at work or from work-related injuries or illness;

- (b) an opportunity to focus on the importance of health and safety at work and the joint responsibility shared by all in keeping our workplaces safe and fostering a positive work safety culture;
 - (c) all workers have the right to return home safely from work;
 - (d) in 2023, the theme for World Day for Safety and Health at Work was “A safe and healthy working environment is a fundamental principle and right at work”, focusing on good work; work that is not only safe, but that is also good for us by contributing to our physical and psychological health and wellbeing; and
 - (e) in 2023, the theme for Workers’ Memorial Day was “remember the dead, fight for the living”; and
- (2) express solidarity in reflecting on the importance of World Day for Safety and Health at Work and International Workers’ Memorial Day which occurred on 28 April 2023 by:
- (a) formally recording a continuing and shared commitment to being a world-leading jurisdiction in work health and safety; and
 - (b) continuing to provide Territory workers with contemporary laws that recognise the complexity of modern workplaces and emerging hazards and keep pace with community expectations.
- 29 **URBAN OPEN SPACE LAND MANAGEMENT PLAN—DRAFT—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 19 September 2023—Mr Braddock*) on the motion of Mr Gentleman—That the Assembly take note of the paper.
- 30 **GOVERNMENT PRIORITIES—2024—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2024—Mr Gentleman*) on the motion of Mr Barr—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.*)

PRIVATE MEMBERS’ BUSINESS

Notices

- 1 **MS ORR:** To move—That this Assembly:
- (1) notes that:
 - (a) the ACT’s first public nurse-led Walk-in Centre opened on 18 May 2010, providing nurses in the ACT the opportunity to work to the top of their scope of practice and have become highly valued in the Canberra community;

- (b) the Walk-in Centre network has been progressively expanded to five locations covering all of Canberra's major regional centres to provide free, accessible and high quality health care to Canberrans for a range of minor injuries and illnesses without an appointment;
 - (c) quarterly performance reports show that between October 2021 and September 2022 those five clinics saw and treated more than 77,000 Canberrans and those from the surrounding NSW region – this has reduced the load of emergency departments and potentially costly GP visits;
 - (d) Walk-in Centres save Canberrans time and money by providing free services and a range of prescriptions, and particularly provide parents with convenient out-of-hours assessments of unwell children;
 - (e) Walk-in Centre's have been designed to serve a complimentary role with the ACT's other health services and Labor Government's have continued to invest in expanding Walk-in Centre capabilities and recognise the value of nurse-led models of care;
 - (f) ACT Labor committed to building a new health centre in North Gungahlin to provide walk-in and appointment-based services that will further compliment the Walk-in Centre's; and
 - (g) ACT Labor committed to a new more than \$1 billion northside hospital that will support Canberrans on the northside to access essential public hospital services into the future;
- (2) also notes that there has been longstanding opposition to the Walk-in Centre model and nurse-led models of care from a range of interest groups, political parties and other stakeholders, most notably during the 2020 election campaign when the then-Liberal Health Spokesperson labelled them "a total flop"; and
- (3) calls on all parties to:
- (a) publicly affirm support in the Chamber for the current nurse-led Walk-in Centre model, the retention of existing locations, the Urgent Care Clinic partnership with the Commonwealth Government and rule out a politically-motivated "review" of the Walk-in Centre model; and
 - (b) support nurse-led health care provision that allows nurses to work to the top of their scope of practice and compliments health services in the ACT to ensure Canberrans can access high-quality, public healthcare into the future, including considering innovative nurse-led models of care in the new health centre and Northside Hospital.
(Notice given 5 April 2024. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A).

- 2 **MR PARTON:** To move—That this Assembly:
- (1) notes that:
 - (a) the ACT is in the midst of a cost-of-living crisis, with many Canberrans struggling under high interest rates and inflationary pressures;
 - (b) the weekly cost for an Adult MyWay cardholder to commute on public transport five days a week is \$32.20;
 - (c) Canberra's buses are some of the least used in the nation; and
 - (d) the average weekly cost of parking in civic is well over \$100; and
 - (2) calls on the ACT Government to cap weekly fares for adult MyWay cardholders to \$25 to provide cost-of-living relief to Canberrans. (*Notice given 8 April 2024. 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 **CORRECTIONS MANAGEMENT AMENDMENT BILL 2021:** (*Mrs Kikkert*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 25 November 2021—Mr Gentleman*).
 - 3 **INTEGRITY COMMISSION AMENDMENT BILL 2022 (NO 2):** (*Ms Lee; presented by Mr Cain*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 20 October 2022—Mr Barr*).
 - 4 **MODERN SLAVERY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2023:** (*Ms Clay*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 28 March 2023—Mr Steel*).
 - 5 **ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (FOSSIL FUEL COMPANY ADVERTISING) AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** (*Ms Clay*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2024—Mr Barr*). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity on 6 February 2024.*)
 - 6 **DISABILITY INCLUSION BILL 2024:** (*Ms Orr*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 8 February 2024—Mr Milligan*). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Education and Community Inclusion on 8 February 2024.*)
 - 7 **CRIMES (SENTENCING) AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** (*Dr Paterson*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 20 March 2024—Mr Rattenbury*).
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ASSEMBLY BUSINESS—continued**Order of the day**

- 1 **REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL AMENDMENT BILL 2024:** (*Ms Burch*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 20 March 2024—Ms Lawder*).
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INQUIRIES INTO BILLS BY STANDING COMMITTEES

(*pursuant to standing order 174*)

6 May 2024

Standing Committee on Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity

ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (FOSSIL FUEL COMPANY ADVERTISING) AMENDMENT BILL 2024: (*Ms Clay*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2024—Mr Barr*).

9 May 2024

Standing Committee on Education and Community Inclusion

DISABILITY INCLUSION BILL 2024: (*Ms Orr*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 8 February 2024—Mr Milligan*).

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.

Unanswered questions

1624-1626, 1630-1650, 1652-1661, 1664, 1665, 1667-1669, 1671, 1672, 1676-1681, 1683-1712, 1714, 1716-1747.

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Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

GOVERNMENT TO RESPOND TO PETITIONS

(in accordance with standing order 100)

7 May 2024

Access roads to connect Tralee to the Monaro Highway—Minister for City Services—Petition lodged by Mr Parton (e-Pet 031-23).

Use of good character references in child sexual abuse processes—Attorney-General—Petition lodged by Mr Braddock (e-Pet 027-23). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety on 6 February 2024.*)

9 May 2024

Improvements to the Pulleine Crescent neighbourhood playground in Macgregor—Minister for City Services—Petition lodged by Mrs Kikkert (Pet 003-24).

18 June 2024

Stop the GP tax—Treasurer—Petition lodged by Ms Lee (e-Pet 024-23).

Snake licensing, catching and education—Minister for the Environment, Parks and Land Management—Petition lodged by Dr Paterson (e-Pet 005-24). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity on 19 March 2024.*)

Telopea Park school timetable change—Minister for Education and Youth Affairs—Petition lodged by Ms Lee (e-Pet 004-24).

Toilet facilities at Ruth Park Playground—Minister for City Services—Petition lodged by Dr Paterson (e-Pet 001-24).

8 July 2024

Crime in Watson—Minister for Police and Crime Prevention—Petitions lodged by Ms Lee (e-Pet 006-24 and Pet 012-24). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety on 9 April 2024.*)

Calwell shopping centre—Minister for City Services—Petitions lodged by Ms Lawder (e-Pet 007-24 and Pet 013-24)

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):* Mr Milligan (Chair), Miss Nuttall, Ms Orr.

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

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

HEALTH AND COMMUNITY WELLBEING: *(Formed 2 December 2020):* Ms Clay (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):* Mr Cocks (Chair), Mr Braddock, Mr Pettersson.

Dissolved

COST OF LIVING PRESSURES IN THE ACT: *(Formed 9 February 2023):* Mr Davis (Chair), Ms Lawder, Dr Paterson. *(Presented 11 May 2023)*

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)*

ESTIMATES 2022-2023: *(Formed 1 July 2022):* Mr Milligan (Chair), Mr Braddock, Dr Paterson. *(Presented 11 October 2022; Dissolved 31 October 2022)*

ESTIMATES 2023-2024: *(Formed 15 May 2023):* Mr Parton *(Chair)*, Ms Clay, Mr Pettersson.
(Presented 29 August 2023)

PRIVILEGES 2022: *(Formed 15 August 2022):* Mr Hanson *(Chair)*, Ms Clay, Mr Pettersson.
(Presented 1 December 2022)

VOLUNTARY ASSISTED DYING BILL 2023: *(Formed 31 October 2023):* Ms Orr *(Chair)*,
Mr Braddock, Ms Castley, Mr Cocks, Dr Paterson. *(Presented 19 March 2024)*
