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Tuesday, 22 November 2022

The Assembly meets this day at 10 am

ASSEMBLY BUSINESS

Orders of the day

1 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.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

Notice

*1 MR GENTLEMAN: To present a Bill for an Act to amend the Long Service Leave (Portable Schemes) Act 2009, and for other purposes. (Notice given 21 November 2022).

Orders of the day

- 1 JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022: (Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 9 June 2022—Mr Parton).
- **SENIOR PRACTITIONER AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Disability): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder).
- **WORKPLACE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Industrial Relations and Workplace Safety): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 8 June 2022—Mr Cain).
- **HEALTH LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Health): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 May 2022—Ms Castley).
- **COAG LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2021**: *(Chief Minister)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 4 August 2021—Ms Lee)*.
- **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).
- **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).
- **URBAN FOREST BILL 2022**: (*Minister for Transport and City Services*): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (*from 3 August 2022—Ms Lawder*).
- **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).
- **PLANNING BILL 2022**: (Minister for Planning and Land Management):
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- **GUARDIANSHIP AND MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTY AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 21 September 2022—Mr Cain).
- 12 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).
- 13 FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022: (Special Minister of State): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 21 September 2022—Mr Cain).
- 14 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).

- 15 **MULTICULTURALISM BILL 2022**: (Minister for Multicultural Affairs): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 11 October 2022—Mr Cain).
- 16 ANIMAL MANAGEMENT AND WELFARE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022: (Minister for Transport and City Services): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 11 October 2022—Ms Lawder).
- 17 **SEXUAL ASSAULT REFORM LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Attorney-General): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 11 October 2022—Mr Cain).
- 18 **ELECTRICITY SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Sustainable Building and Construction): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 11 October 2022—Mr Milligan).
- *19 **BACKGROUND CHECKING LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Minister for Families and Community Services): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 20 October 2022—Mrs Kikkert).
- *20 **WORK HEALTH AND SAFETY AMENDMENT BILL 2022**: (Chief Minister):
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- 21 ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER LED REVIEW—
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- 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.
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- INSPECTOR OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ACT—REPORT OF A REVIEW OF A
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- 49 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.
- 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.
- PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT—STATEMENT OF LEASES GRANTED—
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- 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:

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- 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.
- 54 **MENTAL HEALTH (SECURE FACILITIES) ACT 2016—REVIEW—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER**: Resumption of debate (from 4 August 2022—

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- 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.
- 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.
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PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Notices

- *1 MS ORR: To move—That this Assembly:
 - (1) notes that:
 - (a) bees and other pollinators are fundamental to our environment, with an essential role in pollinating plants, helping them grow and reproduce;
 - (b) bees and other pollinators are crucial to our food chain as they help pollinate most of the crops we eat, as well as the crops that feed farm livestock;
 - (c) without bees and other pollinators pollinating our crops, whole industries would collapse, and severe food shortages would impact all Australians;
 - (d) destruction of their natural habitat, intensive farming practices, climate change, and pests and diseases are just some of the complex reasons driving a decline in both the number and diversity of bees and other pollinators every year;

- (e) the decline of bee and other pollinators populations is an issue that is present all around the world, not just within Australia;
- (f) the varroa mite is currently threating a large number of beehives around the NSW region with many beekeepers having to destroy their colonies; and
- (g) Australia has around 2,000 species of native bees, with the introduced European honeybee species having a negative impact on our own native bee population but providing essential pollination for crops and other plant species;

(2) further notes:

- (a) in 2018-19, honey and beeswax production was valued at \$162 million in Australia, and the unrecognised value of pollination is believed to be in the order of \$14.2 billion to the Australian economy; and
- (b) Hall Village in Yerrabi, is the first Bee Friendly Village in Australia, with over 90 percent of household's gardens being registered as bee friendly, according to Hall Village's February 2020 report;
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to outline:
 - (a) the variety and types of bees and other pollinators in Canberra;
 - (b) current populations and locations of native hives, feral European beehives and beekeepers and their hives;
 - (c) what the ACT Government currently does to support our bee and other pollinator population including but not limited to:
 - (i) easily available pollinator friendly planting guides;
 - (ii) targeted efforts to promote pollinator planting in different urban forms eg, low, medium and high density;
 - (iii) plantings on public land that support bees and other pollinators;
 - (iv) spatial mapping of pollinator resources including pollinator gardens; and
 - (v) any other relevant information;
 - (d) the response to currently identified threats to the ACT's bee and other pollinators population including but not limited to:
 - (i) insufficient diversity in public and private planting stock;
 - (ii) the potential for commercially available bee hotels to be unsuitable for native bees;
 - (iii) the identification and implementation of potential methods of pest control which are alternatives to pesticides but are currently not used in the ACT;
 - (iv) the methods for safely and properly disposing of domestic herbicides and pesticides; and

- (v) any other relevant information;
- (e) current biosecurity threats and the Government's response to an endemic threat;
- (f) how Canberrans are educated on the importance and role of bees and other pollinators within our environment; and
- (g) ongoing activities and potential opportunities where the ACT Government and Canberra community can collaborate to better protect our bees and other pollinators; and
- (4) calls on the ACT Government to report back to the Assembly on points (3)(a) to (3)(g) by World Bee Day on Saturday 20 May 2023. (Notice given 17 November 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).
- *2 **MS LEE**: To move—That this Assembly:
 - (1) notes the ACT Government:
 - (a) welcomed road funding commitments made by the previous Federal Coalition Government for \$85.9 million;
 - (b) cancelled an agreement with the Federal Labor Government for \$85.9 million of federal funding for road projects; and
 - (c) in conjunction with the Federal Labor Government, allocated \$85.9 million of federal funding to Stage 2A of the light rail;
 - (2) recognises:
 - (a) road safety and quality is an important responsibility of the ACT Government; and
 - (b) the death toll on ACT roads this calendar year to date is at a 12 year high, with the busiest period of the year yet to come and has been climbing year on year over the last four years; and
 - (3) calls on the leaders of all three parties represented in the ACT Legislative Assembly to:
 - (a) write to the Federal Labor Government requesting the reinstatement of \$85.9 million in federal funding for road projects in the ACT, particularly the three main projects in the South West Corridor, on Boboyan Road and on Pialligo Avenue; and
 - (b) table that letter in the ACT Legislative Assembly by the last sitting day in 2022. (Notice given 21 November 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).

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

- (1) notes:
 - (a) the ACT Men's Health Report Card 2019 found that:
 - (i) four in five Canberrans who die from heart disease under 65 are men;
 - (ii) 57 percent of Canberrans who die from cancer are men; and
 - (iii) 75.9 percent of suicides in the ACT are men; and
 - (b) 2021 Australian Bureau of Statistics data for causes of death reveals:
 - (i) two in three premature bowel cancer deaths are men (52 out of 79 deaths);
 - (ii) four in five premature heart deaths are men (40 out of 52 deaths);
 - (iii) two in three lung cancer deaths are men (33 out of 51);
 - (iv) the rate of male suicide in the ACT has doubled in the past five years despite the national rate staying the same; and
 - (v) 92 percent of suicides between the ages 25 and 44 were men;
- (2) further notes:
 - (a) the ACT Women's Plan (2016-2026) states that "A gender lens must therefore be applied to health care services in the ACT to differentiate between requirements for health-related matters for males, females and those of diverse gender identities";
 - (b) the Capital of Equality Strategy Second Action Plan outlines initiatives to improve health outcomes for LGBTIQ+ Canberrans;
 - (c) there is no parallel strategy focused on improving services and initiatives for men's health and wellbeing in the ACT;
 - (d) there has not been an examination of social determinants of health for men in the ACT which include education, economic security, housing issues, social and community context and healthcare; and
 - it is important to develop strategies that promote equity and access across health and wellbeing services for men, women, and diverse gender identities; and
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) recognise International Men's Day;
 - (b) develop a public health awareness campaign for men's health and report back to the Assembly on its progress by May 2023; and
 - (c) develop an ACT Men's Health Plan (2023-2033) and report back to the Assembly on its progress by May 2023. (Notice given 21 November 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).

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

- (1) notes:
 - (a) that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People are the Traditional Owners of this country, and the ACT Government pays respect to their ongoing spiritual and cultural connections with it;
 - (b) that the latest data available in the Closing the Gap Information Repository (updated 2022) continues to highlight significant discrepancies between white Australians and our First Nations people, particularly in the target areas of life expectancy, childhood mortality, school attainment and employment. More work is required to close the gap in such discrepancies that continue to cause serious harm to our First Nations community;
 - (c) the work of the Aboriginal Torres Strait Islander Elected Body in the ACT as the representative body established to enable Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders in the ACT to have a strong democratically elected voice in our region. They are also the ACT jurisdictional member on the Joint Council on Closing the Gap;
 - (d) the ongoing commitment to the ACT Whole of Government Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Agreement;
 - (e) that the Uluru Statement from the Heart was developed in May 2017 and made 50 years after the 1967 National Referendum confirming that First Nations people must be counted as part of our national census. The Statement was made in Mutitjulu in the shadow of Uluru on the lands of the Anangu people when 250 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander delegates from 13 regional areas put their signatures on a historic statement;
 - (f) that the Uluru Statement from the Heart, addressed to the Australian people, invited the nation to create a better future via the proposal of key reforms, asking for constitutional change and structural reform in their relationship with Australia;
 - (g) that the statement calls for a First Nations Voice in the Australian Constitution and a Makarrata Commission to supervise a process of agreement making between Government and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people;
 - (h) that the Makarrata Commission will also oversee a process of treaty-making, and truth-telling about Australia's history and colonisation;
 - that Makarrata, as outlined in the Uluru Statement, is a Yolgnu word for coming together after a struggle and the Commission would lead an important process of truth-telling about our history;
 - (j) that there will be a referendum for a First Nations Voice to Parliament between July 2023 and July 2024;

- (k) that the First Nations Voice to Parliament would recognise the status of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the first peoples of Australia and enshrine a First Nations Voice to Parliament in the Australian Constitution;
- (I) that supporting the Uluru Statement from the Heart and the First Nations Voice to Parliament further strengthens our commitment to our First Nations community and provides a public statement that supports constitutional change which is the responsibility of the Australian Government; and
- (m) the need for constitutional change that goes beyond the symbolic and gives breath to the benefits that a treaty offers all Australians;
- (2) calls on all Members of the ACT Legislative Assembly to:
 - (a) acknowledge the notions of Voice, Treaty, Truth as outlined in the Uluru Statement from the Heart; and
 - (b) endorse the Uluru Statement from the Heart in full, including support for the First Nations Voice to Parliament referendum campaign; and
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) explore:
 - (i) the potential to work with and support local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander groups in initiatives around the Uluru Statement from the Heart; and
 - (ii) options to build grassroots momentum for the Uluru Statement from the Heart; and
 - (b) support and advocate alongside the Federal Government to support the First Nations Voice referendum. (Notice given 21 November 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).
- *5 **MR DAVIS**: To move—That this Assembly:
 - (1) notes:
 - (a) Lake Tuggeranong is often rendered unsafe for swimming and other primary contact due to algal blooms. Between 2007 and 2017, the lake was closed for an average of 93 days per year;
 - (b) the Tuggeranong community has been calling for better, safer lake amenity since Lake Tuggeranong was first established in 1987;
 - (c) phosphorus from grass clippings and leaves entering ACT waterways is a substantial contributor to the blue-green algae population in Lake Tuggeranong;
 - (d) according to work undertaken by the University of Canberra, sediment in Lake Tuggeranong released 111 kilograms and 113 kilograms of phosphorus in the 2017-18 and 2018-19 seasons respectively;

- (e) modelling from the University of Canberra suggests that approximately 80-100 kilograms of phosphorus is sufficient to maintain current algal bloom outbreak conditions in Lake Tuggeranong;
- (f) the State of the Lakes and Waterways in the ACT report, prepared by the Commissioner for Sustainability and the Environment in May 2022, identified a range of impacts on the lake's water quality, including nutrients, sediment, animal faeces, litter, urban development and organic waste from across the catchment area;
- (g) the importance of ensuring that the grass clippings from household and government mowing do not enter the storm water system and the lake, preventing any possible contribution to water quality problems; and
- (h) after substantial rainfall over the past few months, Transport
 Canberra and City Services staff have been working around the clock
 to keep ACT public spaces mowed;
- (2) further notes:
 - (a) the ACT Greens made a \$30 million election commitment to invest in the ACT's healthy waterways;
 - (b) ACT Labor made an election commitment to continue delivery of a ten-year plan for Lake Tuggeranong and to improve urban lakes and waterways;
 - (c) the ACT Government has undertaken a comprehensive series of reforms to address blue-green algae and water quality in Lake Tuggeranong and other catchments. Initiatives completed in the \$6.5 million Stage 1 of the ACT Government's Healthy Waterways package included:
 - (i) 19 water quality assets, including wetlands, rain gardens and waterway restoration; and
 - (ii) two research projects exploring the link between pollution in stormwater and Lake Tuggeranong, and the occurrence of algal blooms in the lake;
 - (d) Stage 2 of the ACT Government's Healthy Waterways program included an additional \$14 million through to June 2023, and has committed to:
 - (i) 11 new water quality assets across Tuggeranong and Belconnen;
 - (ii) an expansion of the Leaf Collective;
 - (iii) collaboration with public and private landowners to reduce fertiliser use in catchment areas;
 - (iv) extension of the University of Canberra's research in the Lake Tuggeranong Catchment; and

- (v) support for the development of new modelling and reporting tools;
- in November 2021, the ACT Legislative Assembly resolved to continually update and modify standard operating procedures to minimise grass clippings from entering stormwater drains and waterways; and
- (f) the ACT Government is currently developing an Urban Open Space Management Plan which will explore opportunities for better mowing practices, care of urban open space and implementing rewilding initiatives; and
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to:
 - (a) consider and explore options to improve the collection of grass clippings from its mowing program to protect ACT waterways. These options could include:
 - (i) trialling a dedicated street sweeping program in line with the most intensive mowing and leaf litter seasons;
 - (ii) training for ACT Government mowing technicians; and
 - (iii) trialling a post-mowing program to collect grass clippings and other organic matter for proper composting;
 - (b) consult on the Urban Open Space Management Plan through YourSay, and publish the plan upon completion; and
 - (c) report back to the Assembly by the last sitting day in September 2023, in line with the commencement of the 2023-24 mowing program. (Notice given 21 November 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).
- *6 **MR PARTON**: To move—That this Assembly:
 - (1) notes the ACT Government has:
 - (a) already committed to building Stage 2 of the tram to Woden and has already began associated works;
 - (b) not yet made public an estimate of how much the Stage 2 tram project will cost and has not made public an estimate of when the tram will arrive in Woden; and
 - (c) not produced a business case for Stage 2 of the tram to Woden but will build the tram regardless of what the business case states;
 - (2) further recognises:
 - (a) building the tram to Woden has already commenced where the component of raising London Circuit will cost \$60 million, with an estimated completion time of July 2024;

- (b) more than 675 car parks have been removed from Civic as part of the commencement of work associated with building the tram to Woden, but no cost of the tram nor end date has been shared with the public; and
- (c) Light Rail Stage 1 had a cost estimate, a time of completion and a business case completed long before the first works started; and
- (3) calls on the ACT Government to make a public statement providing an estimate:
 - (a) of which decade, which year and which quarter will the first tram arrive in Woden, by the final sitting day in March 2023;
 - (b) to the nearest \$100 million of how much the tram to Woden will cost, by the final sitting day in March 2023; and
 - (c) of when the business case will be made public, by the final sitting day in March 2023. (Notice given 21 November 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 **PERIOD PRODUCTS AND FACILITIES (ACCESS) BILL 2022**: (Ms Orr): Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 4 August 2022—Ms Lawder).
- 6 FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AMENDMENT BILL 2022 [NO 2]: (Ms Lee):
 Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate (from 21 September 2022—
 Mr Steel).
- *7 **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).

ASSEMBLY BUSINESS—continued

Notices

- *1 MRS KIKKERT: 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 Public Accounts will commence an inquiry into the Work Health and Safety Amendment Bill 2022 after the Select Committee on Privileges 2022 has tabled its report and the Committee shall present its report on the Work Health and Safety Amendment Bill 2022 three months after the tabling of the Select Committee on Privileges 2022 report. (Notice given 21 November 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).
- *2 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 Integrity Commission Amendment Bill 2022 (No 2) within two months following when the Government review of the Integrity Commission Act 2018 becomes available. (Notice given 18 November 2022. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks standing order 125A).

Orders of the day—continued

24 November 2022

2 **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.

1 December 2022

JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY SAFETY—STANDING COMMITTEE: Presentation of report on the Freedom of Information Amendment Bill 2022 and the Freedom of Information Amendment Bill 2022 [No 2], pursuant to order of the Assembly of 13 October 2022.

Last sitting day of December 2022

- 4 **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

5 **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.

9 April 2023

STANDING COMMITTEES: Presentation of reports on annual and financial reports for the financial year 2021-2022 and calendar year reports for 2021, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 2 December 2020, as amended.

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 questions

The following questions asked by the Member indicated have been redirected to the Minister indicated and answers have been received:

- 907 Minister for Planning and Land Management (Mr Cain).
- 938 Minister for Human Rights (Mrs Kikkert).

Unanswered questions

(30 days expired 23 October 2022)

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.

(30 days expires 14 November 2022)

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

- (1) How much funding was set aside for the purpose of pothole repair in the (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, (c) 2021-2022 and (d) 2022-2023 financial years.
- (2) How many private contractor businesses were engaged to repair potholes on behalf of the ACT Government in (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, (c) 2021-2022 and (d) 2022-2023.
- (3) Are the contractors, referred to in part (2), subject to any key performance indicators to assess their performance.
- (4) How many potholes did each contractor fix during the time of their contracts.
- (5) How much was paid to each private contractor business to repair potholes in the (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, (c) 2021-2022 and (d) 2022-2023 financial years.

930 MS CASTLEY: To ask the Minister for Health —

- (1) What programs are in the paediatric high care ward for kids with mental health and eating disorders.
- (2) How are parent and sibling experiences considered in the care for children with eating disorders.
- (3) Is there a formal parent and sibling reference group.
- (4) Has the Government reviewed the paediatric high care ward; if not, why not; if so, (a) was it an internal or external review, (b) what was the cost, (c) what were the recommendations of the review and (d) what changes has the ward made following the review.
- (5) Does the ward consult with other clinicians that the child sees outside the ward; if not, why not. (Redirected 19 October 2022)

937 MRS KIKKERT: To ask the Attorney-General —

- (1) Given that the Government's submission to the inquiry into Community Corrections states that "CSW [Community Service Work] has attained increasing importance as a sentencing option in the ACT", this is despite Australian Bureau of Statistics data indicating that community supervision/work orders have decreased as the principal sentence for an offender since 2017-2018, can the Attorney-General explain this contradiction.
- (2) Why have community supervision/work order sentences decreased significantly since 2017-2018.

942 MRS KIKKERT: To ask the Minister for Corrections —

- (1) In relation to the Alexander Maconochie Centre (AMC), when were the body scanners promised by the Government after the strip search incident on 11 January 2021 installed and when were they turned on and made a part of routine AMC operations.
- (2) How many body scanners were purchased and installed.
- (3) What was the cost of purchase for each body scanner.
- (4) What was the total cost of purchase and installation for each body scanner.
- (5) Will there be a policy on the use of the body scanner similar to the policy written for the SOTER body scanner back in 2010.

(30 days expires 19 November 2022)

949 MR CAIN: To ask the Chief Minister —

(1) What was the total cost of the physical printing of annual reports across the ACT Public Service (ACTPS) for 2021-22 for the (a) Justice and Community Safety Directorate, (b) Community Services Directorate, (c) Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate, (d) Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate, (e) City Renewal Authority and (f) Suburban Land Agency.

- (2) What is the total cost of physical printing of annual reports across the ACTPS for the reporting years of (a) 2021-22, (b) 2020-21, (c) 2019-20 and (d) 2018-19
- (3) What is the minimum statutory requirements for how many annual report booklets must be distributed or filed.
- 951 **MS CLAY**: To ask the Minister for Transport and City Services
 - (1) How is the multimodal network plan going to be integrated into existing documents within Transport Canberra and City Services Directorate, including planning policies, planning guides, frameworks, strategies, design guides, design standards and practitioner tools.
 - (2) What new or updated information is the plan expected to provide.
 - (3) How will this differ from existing documents within the directorate.
 - (4) How is the multimodal network plan expected to be integrated into the work of other ACT agencies such as the Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate, City Renewal Authority and Suburban Land Agency.
 - (5) How will this work and other works be integrated into the ACT planning system review and reform project, future district strategies and a future territory plan.
 - (6) How is the multimodal network plan considering the role of the National Capital Authority in ACT transport systems.
 - (7) Will the multimodal network plan forecast future needs at the current mode share or a future more sustainable mode share with a smaller portion of private motor vehicle travel, noting that the 2020 Transport Strategy does not identify mode shift targets.
- 964 MS LEE: To ask the Minister for Skills Can the Minister provide, broken down by college/division, the (a) number of casual teachers employed by the Canberra Institute of Technology (CIT) each year, (b) dollar value of the total wage bill (including on-costs) relating to the employment of casual teachers at CIT, (c) number of casual corporate (non-teaching) staff employed by CIT each year, (d) dollar value of the total wage bill (including on-costs) relating to the employment of casual corporate staff at CIT and (e) qualifications and accreditation of these casual staff, for the calendar years 2017-2018 to 2021-2022.

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.)

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).

3 January 2023

- Judicial appointments—Review of process—Attorney-General—Petition lodged by Mr Hanson (e-Pet 023-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety on 11 October 2022.)
- Judgements and decision of the ACT Judiciary regarding sentencing—Independent review— Attorney-General—Petition lodged by Mr Hanson (e-Pet 024-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety on 11 October 2022.)

Sentencing guidelines for reckless motor vehicle crimes—Review—Attorney-General— Petition lodged by Mr Hanson (e-Pet 025-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety on 11 October 2022.)

4 January 2023

Bench seat at Shepherds Lookout in memory of Brontë Haskins—Minister for Business and Better Regulation—Petition lodged by Mr Cain (Pet 033-22).

10 January 2023

Stromlo Forest car park changes—Special Minister of State—Petition lodged by Ms Lawder (e-Pet 030-22). (Referred to Standing Committee on Economy and Gender and Economic Equality on 18 October 2022.)

COMMITTEES

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

Standing

Pursuant to standing order

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

Pursuant to resolution

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Select

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)

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