

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Nos 96, 97 and 98

No 96 — Tuesday 29 October 2024

The House started at 12.00 noon.

- 1 The House met according to the resolution of the House on 17 October 2024 — The Speaker took the Chair, read the Prayer and made an Acknowledgement of Country.
- 2 **DUTIES AMENDMENT (MORE HOMES) BILL 2024** — Tim Pallas, after debate, introduced ‘A Bill for an Act to amend the **Duties Act 2000** to introduce a temporary concession from duty for newly constructed dwellings in strata subdivisions and for other purposes’; and, after debate, the Bill was read a first time and, by leave, ordered to be read a second time immediately.

Tim Pallas tabled a statement of compatibility in accordance with the *Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities Act 2006*.

Motion made and question proposed — That this Bill be now read a second time (*Tim Pallas*).

Motion made and question — That the debate be now adjourned (*James Newbury*) — put and agreed to.

Motion made and question — That the debate be adjourned until later this day (*Tim Pallas*) — after debate, put and agreed to.

- 3 **STATUTE LAW REPEALS BILL 2024** — Mary-Anne Thomas introduced ‘A Bill for an Act to repeal certain redundant or spent provisions in Acts’; and, after debate, the Bill was read a first time and ordered to be read a second time tomorrow.
- 4 **TOBACCO AMENDMENT (STAMPING OUT FIRE BOMBINGS) BILL 2024** — Motion made and question — That the Member for Ovens Valley introduce ‘A Bill for an Act to amend the **Tobacco Act 1987** to provide for a licensing scheme and other measures to combat fire bombing, to provide in relation to enforcement and for other purposes’ (*Tim McCurdy*) — after debate, put.

The House divided (the Speaker, Maree Edwards, in the Chair) —

AYES 29

Brad Battin; Jade Benham; Roma Britnell; Tim Bull; Martin Cameron; Chris Crewther; Gabrielle de Vietri; Wayne Farnham; Sam Groth; Sam Hibbins; David Hodgett; Emma Kealy; Tim McCurdy; Cindy McLeish; James Newbury; Danny O’Brien; Michael O’Brien; Kim O’Keeffe; John Pesutto; Tim Read; Richard Riordan;

Brad Rowswell; Ellen Sandell; David Southwick; Bridget Vallence; Peter Walsh; Kim Wells; Nicole Werner; Jess Wilson.

NOES 50

Juliana Addison; Jacinta Allan; Colin Brooks; Josh Bull; Anthony Carbines; Ben Carroll; Anthony Cianflone; Sarah Connolly; Chris Couzens; Jordan Crugnale; Lily D'Ambrosio; Daniela De Martino; Steve Dimopoulos; Paul Edbrooke; Eden Foster; Matt Fregon; Ella George; Luba Grigorovitch; Bronwyn Halfpenny; Katie Hall; Paul Hamer; Mathew Hilakari; Melissa Horne; Natalie Hutchins; Lauren Kathage; Sonya Kilkenny; Gary Maas; Alison Marchant; Kathleen Matthews-Ward; Steve McGhie; Paul Mercurio; John Mullahy; Tim Pallas; Danny Pearson; Pauline Richards; Tim Richardson; Michaela Settle; Ros Spence; Nick Staikos; Natalie Suleyman; Meng Heang Tak; Jackson Taylor; Nina Taylor; Kat Theophanous; Mary-Anne Thomas; Emma Vulin; Iwan Walters; Dylan Wight; Gabrielle Williams; Belinda Wilson.

Question defeated.

- 5 **STATE TAXATION FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL 2024** — Tim Pallas introduced '*A Bill for an Act to amend the Duties Act 2000, the First Home Owner Grant and Home Buyer Schemes Act 2000, the Land Tax Act 2005, the Payroll Tax Act 2007, the Sale of Land Act 1962, the State Taxation Acts and Other Acts Amendment Act 2023, the State Taxation Amendment Act 2024, the Taxation Administration Act 1997, the Unclaimed Money Act 2008 and the Valuation of Land Act 1960, to make consequential amendments to other Acts and for other purposes*'; and, after debate, the Bill was read a first time and ordered to be read a second time tomorrow.

- 6 **JUSTICE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (COMMITTALS) BILL 2024** — Anthony Carbines introduced '*A Bill for an Act to amend the Criminal Procedure Act 2009 and other Acts to reform the process for committal proceedings and for other purposes*'; and, after debate, the Bill was read a first time and ordered to be read a second time tomorrow.

- 7 **PETITION** — The Clerk announced that the following petition had been lodged for presentation:

Bail laws — Requesting that Legislative Assembly calls on the Government to not weaken bail laws and listen to the concerns of the community to look at ways to prevent repeat youth offending, bearing 298 signatures (*Sam Groth*).

Ordered to be tabled.

- 8 **PETITION — BAIL LAWS** — Motion made and question — That the petition presented by the Member for Nepean be taken into consideration tomorrow (*Sam Groth*) — put and agreed to.

9 DOCUMENTS

SCRUTINY OF ACTS AND REGULATIONS COMMITTEE — Gary Maas, Chair, tabled the Alert Digest No 14 of 2024 from the Scrutiny of Acts and Regulations Committee on the:

Aged Care Restrictive Practices Substitute Decision-maker Bill 2024
Drugs, Poisons and Controlled Substances Amendment (Pill Testing) Bill 2024
Education and Training Reform Amendment Bill 2024
Youth Justice Bill 2024 (House Amendments)

together with appendices.

Ordered to be published.

DOCUMENTS TABLED UNDER ACTS OF PARLIAMENT — The Clerk tabled:

Alpine Resorts Victoria — Report 2 October 2022 to 31 December 2023

Crown Land (Reserves) Act 1978 — Order under s 17B granting a licence over Waverley Park and Gardens Reserve

Game Management Authority — Report 2023–24 under s 30L of the *Surveillance Devices Act 1999*

Independent Broad-based Anti-corruption Commission — Report 2023–24 — Ordered to be published

Interpretation of Legislation Act 1984:

Notice under s 32(3)(a)(iii) in relation to Statutory Rule 42 (*Gazette G43, 24 October 2024*)

Notices under s 32(4)(a)(iii) in relation to Statutory Rule 82/2021 (*Gazette G42, 17 October 2024*)

Occupational Health and Safety Act 2004 — Report of requests under s 11

Planning and Environment Act 1987 — Notices of approval of amendments to the following Planning Schemes:

Alpine Resorts — C31
Ballarat — C245
Bayside — C199 Part 1
Boroondara — C414
Campaspe — C125
Darebin — C223
Frankston — C158
Hindmarsh — C22
Kingston — C212
Maribyrnong — C185, C187
Moirā — C93
South Gippsland — C129
Stonnington — C345

Statutory Rules under the following Acts:

Estate Agents Act 1980 — SR 114
Local Government Act 2020 — SR 116
Plant Biosecurity Act 2010 — SR 113
Tobacco Act 1987 — SR 115

Subordinate Legislation Act 1994 — Documents under s 15 in relation to Statutory Rules 103, 114, 115

Victoria Police — Report 2023–24 under s 37F of the *Terrorism (Community Protection) Act 2003*

Victorian Inspectorate — Report on irregular inspection of IBAC surveillance device records by the Victorian Inspectorate in May–June 2023 under the *Surveillance Devices Act 1999*.

PROCLAMATION — Under SO 177A, the Clerk tabled the following proclamation fixing an operative date:

Youth Justice Act 2024 — Chapter 20 and s 1 — 16 October 2024 (*Gazette S557, 15 October 2024*).

- 10 **MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL** — Agreeing to the Short Stay Levy Bill 2024 without amendment.

- 11 **MESSAGES FROM THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR — ASSENT TO BILLS** — Informing the Legislative Assembly that he had given the royal assent to the following bills, presented to him by the Clerk of the Parliaments:

On 22 October 2024

Constitution Amendment (SEC) Bill 2023

Criminal Organisations Control Amendment Bill 2024

Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Trust Amendment Bill 2024

On 29 October 2024

Health Legislation Amendment (Regulatory Reform) Bill 2024

Short Stay Levy Bill 2024.

- 12 **GOVERNMENT BUSINESS PROGRAM** — Motion made and question — That, under SO 94(2), the Orders of the Day, Government Business, relating to the following bills be considered and completed by 5.00 pm on 31 October 2024:

Agriculture and Food Safety Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

Transport Infrastructure and Planning Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

Education and Training Reform Amendment Bill 2024

Duties Amendment (More Homes) Bill 2024 —

(*Mary-Anne Thomas*) — after debate, put.

The House divided (the Speaker, Maree Edwards, in the Chair) —

AYES 50

Juliana Addison; Jacinta Allan; Colin Brooks; Josh Bull; Anthony Carbines; Ben Carroll; Anthony Cianflone; Sarah Connolly; Chris Couzens; Jordan Crugnale; Lily D'Ambrosio; Daniela De Martino; Steve Dimopoulos;

Paul Edbrooke; Eden Foster; Matt Fregon; Ella George; Luba Grigorovitch; Bronwyn Halfpenny; Katie Hall; Paul Hamer; Mathew Hilakari; Melissa Horne; Natalie Hutchins; Lauren Kathage; Sonya Kilkenny; Gary Maas; Alison Marchant; Kathleen Matthews-Ward; Steve McGhie; Paul Mercurio; John Mullahy; Tim Pallas; Danny Pearson; Pauline Richards; Tim Richardson; Michaela Settle; Ros Spence; Nick Staikos; Natalie Suleyman; Meng Heang Tak; Jackson Taylor; Nina Taylor; Kat Theophanous; Mary-Anne Thomas; Emma Vulin; Iwan Walters; Dylan Wight; Gabrielle Williams; Belinda Wilson.

NOES 25

Brad Battin; Jade Benham; Roma Britnell; Tim Bull; Martin Cameron; Chris Crewther; Wayne Farnham; Sam Groth; Matthew Guy; David Hodgett; Emma Kealy; Tim McCurdy; Cindy McLeish; James Newbury; Danny O'Brien; Michael O'Brien; Kim O'Keeffe; John Pesutto; Richard Riordan; Brad Rowsell; David Southwick; Bridget Vallance; Peter Walsh; Kim Wells; Nicole Werner.

Question agreed to.

- 13 **STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS** — Members made statements.

Business interrupted at 2.00 pm under sessional orders.

- 14 **QUESTION TIME.**

- 15 **CONSTITUENCY QUESTIONS.**

- 16 **STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS** — Statements continued.

- 17 **AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024** — Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed — That all the words after 'That' be omitted and replaced with the words 'this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Government conducts stakeholder consultation on a definition of 'good reputé' and a right of appeal for seafood licensees prior to the suspension of their seafood licence' (*Emma Kealy*) — and, after debate —

Motion made and question — That the debate be now adjourned (*Lily D'Ambrosio*) — put and agreed to.

Ordered — That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

- 18 **DUTIES AMENDMENT (MORE HOMES) BILL 2024** — Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Business interrupted at 7.00 pm under sessional orders.

- 19 **ADJOURNMENT** — The Deputy Speaker announced that the time for the adjournment of the House had arrived and, after debate, left the Chair at 7.30 pm.

No 97 — Wednesday 30 October 2024

The House started at 9.30 am.

- 1 The Speaker took the Chair, read the Prayer and made an Acknowledgement of Country.

- 2 **DOCUMENTS**

PARLIAMENTARY DEPARTMENTS — Reports 2023–24 of the Department of the Legislative Assembly and Department of Parliamentary Services tabled by leave (*Matt Fregon*).

DOCUMENTS TABLED UNDER ACTS OF PARLIAMENT — The Clerk tabled:

Major Events Act 2009 — Major Sporting Event Orders for the:

International Test Cricket matches to be held at the Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG) — 2024 to 2028

One Day Internationals and Twenty20 Internationals to be held at Junction Oval — 2024 to 2028

One Day Internationals and Twenty20 Internationals to be held at Kardinia Park — 2024 to 2028

One Day Internationals and Twenty20 Internationals to be held at the Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG) — 2024 to 2028

Twenty20 Domestic matches (including Men's Big Bash League and Women's Big Bash League) at the Docklands Stadium — 2024 to 2028

Twenty20 Domestic matches (including Men's Big Bash League and Women's Big Bash League) at Junction Oval — 2024 to 2028

Twenty20 Domestic matches (including Men's Big Bash League and Women's Big Bash League) at Kardinia Park — 2024 to 2028

Twenty20 Domestic matches (including Men's Big Bash League and Women's Big Bash League) at the Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG) — 2024 to 2028

Subordinate Legislation Act 1994 — Documents under s 15 in relation to Statutory Rules 109, 113, 123

Victorian Inspectorate — Report 2023–24 — Ordered to be published.

- 3 **MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL** — Agreeing to the following bills without amendment:

Drugs, Poisons and Controlled Substances Amendment (Pill Testing) Bill 2024
Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Amendment Bill 2024.

- 4 **STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS** — Members made statements.

- 5 **STATEMENTS ON PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE REPORTS** — Members made statements on committee reports.

- 6 **STATE TAXATION FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL 2024** — Tim Pallas tabled a statement of compatibility in accordance with the *Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities Act 2006*.

Motion made and question proposed — That this Bill be now read a second time (*Tim Pallas*).

The second reading speech was incorporated into Hansard.

Motion made and question — That the debate be now adjourned (*James Newbury*) — put and agreed to.

Ordered — That the debate be adjourned for two weeks. Debate adjourned until 13 November 2024.

- 7 **JUSTICE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (COMMITTALS) BILL 2024** — Anthony Carbines tabled a statement of compatibility in accordance with the *Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities Act 2006*.

Motion made and question proposed — That this Bill be now read a second time (*Anthony Carbines*).

The second reading speech was incorporated into Hansard.

Motion made and question — That the debate be now adjourned (*James Newbury*) — put and agreed to.

Ordered — That the debate be adjourned for two weeks. Debate adjourned until 13 November 2024.

- 8 **STATUTE LAW REPEALS BILL 2024** — Ros Spence tabled a statement of compatibility in accordance with the *Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities Act 2006*.

Motion made and question proposed — That this Bill be now read a second time (*Ros Spence*).

The second reading speech was incorporated into Hansard.

Motion made and question — That the debate be now adjourned (*James Newbury*) — put and agreed to.

Ordered — That the debate be adjourned for two weeks. Debate adjourned until 13 November 2024.

- 9 **EDUCATION AND TRAINING REFORM AMENDMENT BILL 2024** — Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Business interrupted at 2.00 pm under standing orders.

- 10 **QUESTION TIME.**

11 **CONSTITUENCY QUESTIONS.**

- 12
- EDUCATION AND TRAINING REFORM AMENDMENT BILL 2024**
- Debate continued on question — That this Bill be now read a second time.

Business interrupted at 4.00 pm under sessional orders.

- 13
- DISCUSSION OF MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE — FINANCIAL MISMANAGEMENT AND LACK OF BUDGET TRANSPARENCY**
- The Speaker read Brad Rowswell's proposal to the House —

'That this House condemns the financial mismanagement and lack of budget transparency of the Allan Labor Government.'

Brad Rowswell addressed the House — Discussion followed.

- 14
- EDUCATION AND TRAINING REFORM AMENDMENT BILL 2024**
- Debate continued on question — That this Bill be now read a second time.

Business interrupted at 7.00 pm under sessional orders.

- 15
- ADJOURNMENT**
- The Deputy Speaker announced that the time for the adjournment of the House had arrived and, after debate, left the Chair at 7.20 pm.

BRIDGET NOONAN
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

MAREE EDWARDS MP
Speaker

No 98 — Thursday 31 October 2024

The House started at 9.30 am.

- 1 The Speaker took the Chair, read the Prayer and made an Acknowledgement of Country.

- 2
- PETITIONS**
- The Clerk announced that the following petitions had been lodged for presentation:

Glen Huntly Farmers' Market — Requesting that the Legislative Assembly calls on the Government to work with Metro in providing Glen Huntly traders access to the Glen Huntly Station car park to perform their farmers' market, bearing 893 signatures (*David Southwick*)

Pascoe Vale South Primary School — Requesting that the Legislative Assembly calls on the Government to commit \$4.7 million in funding to improve learning and wellbeing outcomes,

promote inclusion and improve accessibility at Pascoe Vale South Primary School in the 2024–25 Budget, bearing 1517 signatures (*Anthony Cianflone*).

Ordered to be tabled.

- 3 **PETITION — GLEN HUNTLY FARMERS' MARKET** — Motion made and question — That the petition presented by the Member for Caulfield be taken into consideration tomorrow (*David Southwick*) — put and agreed to.
- 4 **PETITION — PASCOE VALE SOUTH PRIMARY SCHOOL** — Motion made and question — That the petition presented by the Member for Pascoe Vale be taken into consideration tomorrow (*Anthony Cianflone*) — put and agreed to.

5 DOCUMENTS

2009 VICTORIAN BUSHFIRE APPEAL FUND — Final report tabled by leave (*Mary-Anne Thomas*).

JUDICIAL COLLEGE OF VICTORIA — Report 2023–24 tabled by leave (*Anthony Carbines*).

VICTORIA LAW FOUNDATION — Report 2023–24 tabled by leave (*Anthony Carbines*).

VICTORIAN LAW REFORM COMMISSION — Report 2023–24 tabled by leave (*Anthony Carbines*).

Ordered to be published.

VICTORIAN VETERANS COUNCIL — Report 2023–24 tabled by leave (*Natalie Suleyman*).

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND ESTIMATES COMMITTEE — Sarah Connolly, Chair, tabled a report from the Public Accounts and Estimates Committee on the Inquiry into the 2024–25 Budget Estimates, together with an appendix, a minority report and transcripts of evidence.

Report, appendix and minority report ordered to be published.

DOCUMENTS TABLED UNDER ACTS OF PARLIAMENT — The Clerk tabled:

Adult, Community and Further Education Board — Report 2023–24

Adult Parole Board Victoria — Report 2023–24

Agriculture Victoria Services Pty Ltd — Report 2023–24

AMES Australia — Report 2023–24

Asset Confiscation Operations — Report 2023–24

Australian Centre for the Moving Image (ACMI) — Report 2023–24

Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission:

Report 2023–24 under s 31 of the *Crimes (Assumed Identities) Act 2004*

Report 2023–24 under s 42BI of the *Evidence (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1958*

Report 2023–24 under s 30L of the *Surveillance Devices Act 1999*

Ballarat General Cemeteries Trust — Report 2023–24

Barwon Region Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Breakthrough Victoria Pty Ltd — Report 2023–24

Central Gippsland Region Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Central Highlands Region Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Cladding Safety Victoria — Report 2023–24

Coliban Region Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Commission for Children and Young People — Report 2023–24 — Ordered to be published

Coroners Court of Victoria — Report 2023–24

Coronial Council of Victoria — Report 2023–24

Dairy Food Safety Victoria — Report 2023–24

Dental Health Services Victoria — Report 2023–24

Development Victoria — Report 2023–24

Disability Services Commissioner — Report 2023–24

Docklands Studio Melbourne Pty Ltd — 2023–24

East Gippsland Catchment Management Authority — Report 2023–24

Education, Department of — Report 2023–24

Emergency Services Superannuation Scheme (ESSSuper) — Report 2023–24

Energy, Environment and Climate Action, Department of:

Report 2023–24

Report 2023–24 under s 30L of the *Surveillance Devices Act 1999*

Energy Safe Victoria — Report 2023–24

Essential Services Commission — Report 2023–24

Families, Fairness and Housing, Department of — Report 2023–24

Film Victoria (VicScreen) — Report 2023–24

Financial Management Act 1994:

Explanation from the Assistant Treasurer for the delay of the reports 2023–24 of the:

Albury Wodonga Health

Alexandra District Hospital

Alfred Health

Alpine Health

Ambulance Victoria

Austin Health

Australian Grand Prix Corporation

Bairnsdale Regional Health Service

Barwon Health

Bass Coast Regional Health

Beaufort and Skipton Health Service

Beechworth Health Service

Benalla Health

Bendigo Health Care Group

Boort District Health

Calvary Health Care Bethlehem Limited

Casterton Memorial Hospital

Caulfield Racecourse Reserve Trust

Cenitex

Central Gippsland Health Service

Central Highlands Rural Health

Children’s Court of Victoria

Cohuna District Hospital

Colac Area Health

Commissioner for Environmental Sustainability

Consumer Affairs Victoria

Corangamite Catchment Management Authority

Corryong Health

Country Fire Authority

County Court Victoria

Court Services Victoria

Crown Prosecutors

Dhelkaya Health

Dhelkunya Dja Traditional Owner Land Management Board

East Gippsland Water

East Grampians Health Service

East Wimmera Health Service

Eastern Health

Echuca Regional Health

Environment Protection Authority
Fire Rescue Victoria
Fire Services Implementation Monitor
Forensic Leave Panel
Gippsland Southern Health Service
Goulburn Valley Health
Grampians Health
Great Ocean Road Coast and Parks Authority
Great Ocean Road Health
Gunaikurnai Traditional Owner Land Management Board
Harness Racing Victoria
Heathcote Health Service
Hesse Rural Health Service
Heywood Rural Health
Inglewood and Districts Health Service
Kerang District Health
Kilmore District Health
Kooweerup Regional Health Service
Kyabram and District Health Services
Latrobe Regional Health
Local Jobs First
Magistrates Court of Victoria
Mallee Track Health and Community Service
Mansfield District Hospital
Marine and Coastal Council
Maryborough District Health Service
Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Trust
Melbourne Health
Mental Health and Wellbeing Commission
Mercy Hospitals Victoria Limited
Mildura Base Hospital
Monash Health
Moyne Health Services
NCN Health
Northeast Health Wangaratta
Northern Health
Omeo District Health
Orbost Regional Health
Peninsula Health
Peter MacCallum Cancer Institute
Phillip Island Nature Park Board
Portland District Health
Public Prosecutions, Director of
Public Prosecutions, Office of
Puffing Billy Railway Board
Recreational Fishing License Trust Account
Remembrance Parks Central Victoria
Residential Tenancies Bond Authority

Robinvale District Health Services
Rochester and Elmore District Health Service
Rural Northwest Health
Safe Transport Victoria
Sentencing Advisory Council
Seymour Health
South Gippsland Hospital
South West Healthcare
St Vincent's Hospital (Melbourne) Limited
Supreme Court of Victoria
Surveyors Registration Board of Victoria
Sustainability Victoria
Swan Hill District Health
Tallangatta Health Service
Terang and Mortlake Health Service
The Queen Elizabeth Centre
The Royal Children's Hospital
The Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital
The Royal Women's Hospital
Timboon and District Healthcare Service
Treaty Authority
Triple Zero Victoria
Trust for Nature
Tweddle Child and Family Health Service
VicForests
Victims of Crime Commissioner
Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal
Victorian Environmental Assessment Council
Victorian Fisheries Authority
Victorian Health Promotion Foundation
Victorian Institute of Forensic Medicine
Victorian Institute of Forensic Mental Health
Victorian Planning Authority
Victorian Professional Standards Council
Victorian Responsible Gambling Foundation
Visit Victoria
West Gippsland Healthcare Group
West Wimmera Health Service
Western District Health Service
Western Health
Yarram and District Health
Yarrawonga Health
Yea and District Memorial Hospital
Yorta Yorta Traditional Owner Land Management Board
Reports from the Minister for Agriculture that she had received the reports 2023–24 of the:
Murray Valley Wine Grape Industry Development Committee
Phytogene Pty Ltd
Veterinary Practitioners Registration Board of Victoria

Victorian Strawberry Industry Development Committee

Report from the Attorney-General that she had received the report 2023–24 of the Victorian Law Reform Commission

Reports from the Minister for Health that she had received the reports 2023–24 of the:

Mildura Cemeteries Trust

Victorian Pharmacy Authority

Report from the Minister for Planning that she had received the report 2023–24 of the Architects Registration Board of Victoria

Report from the Minister for Veterans that she had received the report 2023–24 of the Victorian Veterans Council

Report from the Minister for Women that she had received the report 2023–24 of the Queen Victoria Women's Centre

Firefighters Registration Board — Report 17 October 2023 to 30 June 2024

Game Management Authority — Report 2023–24

Geelong Cemeteries Trust — Report 2023–24

Geelong Performing Arts Centre Trust — Report 2023–24

Geoffrey Gardiner Dairy Foundation Ltd — Report 2023–24

Gippsland and Southern Rural Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Glenelg Hopkins Catchment Management Authority — Report 2023–24

Goulburn Broken Catchment Management Authority — Report 2023–24

Goulburn-Murray Rural Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Goulburn Valley Region Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Government Services, Department of — Report 2023–24

Grampians Wimmera Mallee Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Greater Metropolitan Cemeteries Trust — Report 2023–24

Greater Western Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Greyhound Racing Victoria — Report 2023–24

Health, Department of — Report 2023–24

Health Purchasing Victoria (HealthShare Victoria) — Report 2023–24

Infrastructure Victoria — Report 2023–24

Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions, Department of — Report 2023–24

Judicial Commission of Victoria — Report 2023–24

Justice and Community Safety, Department of — Report 2023–24

Kardinia Park Stadium Trust — Report 2023–24

Labour Hire Licensing Authority — Report 2023–24

LanguageLoop — Report 2023–24

Legal Practitioners' Liability Committee — Report 2023–24

Legal Services Council and Commissioner for Uniform Legal Services Regulation — Report 2023–24

Library Board of Victoria — Report 2023–24

Lower Murray Urban and Rural Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Mallee Catchment Management Authority — Report 2023–24

Melbourne and Olympic Parks Trust — Report 2023–24

Melbourne Arts Precinct Corporation — Report 2023–24

Melbourne Market Authority — Report 2023–24

Melbourne Port Lessor Pty Ltd — Report 2023–24

Melbourne Recital Centre — Report 2023–24

Melbourne Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Mental Health Tribunal — 2023–24

Mine Land Rehabilitation Authority — Report 2023–24

Museums Board of Victoria — Report 2023–24

National Gallery of Victoria (NGV) — Report 2023–24

National Parks Advisory Council — Report 2023–24

National Rail Safety Regulator, Office of — Report 2023–24

North Central Catchment Management Authority — Report 2023–24

North East Catchment Management Authority — Report 2023–24

North East Link State Tolling Corporation — Report 2022–23

North East Region Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Ombudsman — Report 2023–24 — Ordered to be published

Parks Victoria — Report 2023–24

Planning and Environment Act 1987 — Notice of approval of an amendment to the Moonee Valley Planning Scheme — C238

Police Registration and Services Board — Report 2023–24

Port of Hastings Corporation — Report 2023–24

Portable Long Service Benefits Authority — Report 2023–24

Ports Victoria — Report 2023–24

Post Sentence Authority — Report 2023–24

Premier and Cabinet, Department of — Report 2023–24

PrimeSafe — Report 2023–24

Public Advocate, Office of — Report 2023–24 — Ordered to be published

Public Interest Monitor — Report 2023–24

Public Record Office Victoria — Report 2023–24

Recycling Victoria — Report 2023–24

Regional Development Victoria — Report 2023–24

Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Act 2017 — Victorian Renewable Energy Target (VRET) — 2023–24 Progress Report

Respect Victoria — Report 2023–24

Rolling Stock Holdings (Victoria) Pty Limited — Report 2023–24

Rolling Stock (Victoria-VL) Pty Limited — Report 2023–24

Rolling Stock (VL-1) Pty Limited — Report 2023–24

Rolling Stock (VL-2) Pty Limited — Report 2023–24

Rolling Stock (VL-3) Pty Limited — Report 2023–24

Royal Botanic Gardens Board — Report 2023–24

Shrine of Remembrance Trustees — Report 2023–24

South East Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

South Gippsland Region Water Corporation — Report 2023–24

Southern Metropolitan Cemeteries Trust — Report 2023–24

State Sport Centres Trust — Report 2023–24

State Trustees Limited — Report 2023–24

Statutory Rules under the following Acts:

Bail Act 1977 — SR 117

Independent Broad-based Anti-corruption Commission Act 2011 — SR118

Public Interest Monitor Act 2011 — SR 119

Terrorism (Community Protection) Act 2003 — SR 120

Victorian Energy Efficiency Target Act 2007 — SR 122

Victorian Inspectorate Act 2011 — SR 121

Wildlife Act 1975 — SR 123

Subordinate Legislation Act 1994 — Documents under s 15 in relation to Statutory Rule 122

Suburban Rail Loop Authority — Report 2023–24

Surveyor-General — Report 2023–24 on the administration of the *Survey Co-ordination Act 1958*

Transport Accident Commission (TAC) — Report 2023–24

Transport and Planning, Department of — Report 2023–24

Treasury and Finance, Department of — Report 2023–24

Treasury Corporation of Victoria — Report 2023–24

Victims of Crime Assistance Tribunal — Report 2023–24

Victoria Legal Aid — Report 2023–24

Victoria Police:

Report 2023–24

Report 2023–24 under s 139A of the *Confiscation Act 1997*

Report 2023–24 under s 133 of the *Criminal Organisations Control Act 2012*

Report 2023–24 under s 42BI of the *Evidence (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1958*

Report 2023–24 under s 30L of the *Surveillance Devices Act 1999*

Report 2023–24 under s 20R of the *Witness Protection Act 1991*

Victoria State Emergency Service Authority (SES) — Report 2023–24

Victorian Academy of Teaching and Leadership — Report 2023–24

Victorian Arts Centre Trust — 2023–24

Victorian Assisted Reproductive Treatment Authority (VARTA) — Report 2023–24

Victorian Building Authority (VBA) — Report 2023–24

Victorian Collaborative Centre for Mental Health and Wellbeing — Report 2023–24

Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority (VCAA) — Report 2023–24

Victorian Disability Worker Commission and Disability Worker Registration Board of Victoria
— Report 2023–24

Victorian Electoral Commission (VEC) — Report 2023–24

Victorian Environmental Water Holder — Report 2023–24

Victorian Equal Opportunity and Human Rights Commission — Report 2023–24 — Ordered to
be published

Victorian Fisheries Authority — Report 2023–24 under s 30L of the *Surveillance Devices
Act 1999*

Victorian Funds Management Corporation (VFMC) — Report 2023–24

Victorian Government Purchasing Board — Report 2023–24

Victorian Information Commissioner, Office of (OVIC) — Report 2023–24

Victorian Institute of Sport Trust — Report 2023–24 (two documents)

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Youth Parole Board — Report 2023–24

Zoological Parks and Gardens Board (Zoos Victoria) — Report 2023–24.

- 6 **ECONOMY AND INFRASTRUCTURE STANDING COMMITTEE** — The Speaker announced that she had received the resignation of Jess Wilson from the Economy and Infrastructure Standing Committee, effective from 30 October 2024.
- 7 **ECONOMY AND INFRASTRUCTURE STANDING COMMITTEE** — Motion made, by leave, and question — That Roma Britnell be a member of the Economy and Infrastructure Standing Committee (*Mary-Anne Thomas*) — put and agreed to.
- 8 **SITTING OF THE HOUSE** — Motion made and question — That the House, at its rising, adjourns until 12 November 2024 (*Mary-Anne Thomas*) — put and agreed to.
- 9 **STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS** — Members made statements.

- 10 **TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE AND PLANNING LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024** — Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Amendment proposed — That all the words after ‘That’ be omitted and replaced with the words ‘this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Government commits to conducting community consultation on each major precinct project declaration enabled by this bill’ (*David Southwick*) — and, after debate —

Motion made and question — That the debate be now adjourned (*Ros Spence*) — put and agreed to.

Ordered — That the debate be adjourned until later this day.

- 11 **DUTIES AMENDMENT (MORE HOMES) BILL 2024** — Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time; debate resumed.

Business interrupted at 2.00 pm under standing orders.

- 12 **QUESTION TIME.**

- 13 **CONSTITUENCY QUESTIONS.**

- 14 **DUTIES AMENDMENT (MORE HOMES) BILL 2024** — Debate continued on question — That this Bill be now read a second time

Allocation of time — The Deputy Speaker advised that the time allocated for consideration of bills under the resolution of the House on 29 October 2024 had expired.

Question — That this Bill be now read a second time — put and agreed to.

Question — That this Bill be now read a third time — put and agreed to.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council and their agreement requested.

- 15 **EDUCATION AND TRAINING REFORM AMENDMENT BILL 2024** — Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time.

Question — That this Bill be now read a second time and a third time — put and agreed to.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council and their agreement requested.

- 16 **AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024** — Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time — *and on the amendment* — That all the words after ‘That’ be omitted and replaced with the words ‘this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Government conducts stakeholder consultation on a definition of ‘good repute’ and a right of appeal for seafood licensees prior to the suspension of their seafood licence’.

Question — That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question — put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Matt Fregon, in the Chair) —

AYES 50

Juliana Addison; Jacinta Allan; Colin Brooks; Josh Bull; Anthony Carbines; Ben Carroll; Anthony Cianflone; Sarah Connolly; Chris Couzens; Jordan Crugnale; Lily D'Ambrosio; Gabrielle de Vietri; Steve Dimopoulos; Paul Edbrooke; Eden Foster; Ella George; Luba Grigorovitch; Bronwyn Halfpenny; Katie Hall; Paul Hamer; Mathew Hilakari; Melissa Horne; Natalie Hutchins; Lauren Kathage; Sonya Kilkenny; Gary Maas; Alison Marchant; Kathleen Matthews-Ward; Steve McGhie; Paul Mercurio; John Mullahy; Tim Pallas; Danny Pearson; Tim Read; Pauline Richards; Tim Richardson; Ellen Sandell; Michaela Settle; Ros Spence; Nick Staikos; Natalie Suleyman; Meng Heang Tak; Jackson Taylor; Nina Taylor; Kat Theophanous; Mary-Anne Thomas; Emma Vulin; Iwan Walters; Gabrielle Williams; Belinda Wilson.

NOES 23

Brad Battin; Jade Benham; Roma Britnell; Tim Bull; Martin Cameron; Chris Crewther; Wayne Farnham; Sam Groth; Matthew Guy; David Hodgett; Emma Kealy; Cindy McLeish; James Newbury; Danny O'Brien; Michael O'Brien; Kim O'Keeffe; John Pesutto; Richard Riordan; Brad Rowswell; David Southwick; Bridget Vallence; Peter Walsh; Jess Wilson.

Question agreed to.

Question — That this Bill be now read a second time and a third time — put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Matt Fregon, in the Chair) —

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Question agreed to.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council and their agreement requested.

- 17 **TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE AND PLANNING LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2024** —
Order read for resuming debate on question — That this Bill be now read a second time —
and on the amendment — That all the words after 'That' be omitted and replaced with the

words ‘this House refuses to read this Bill a second time until the Government commits to conducting community consultation on each major precinct project declaration enabled by this Bill’.

Question — That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question — put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Matt Fregon, in the Chair) —

AYES 50

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Question agreed to.

Question — That this Bill be now read a second time and a third time — put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Matt Fregon, in the Chair) —

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Question agreed to.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council and their agreement requested.

Business interrupted at 5.15 pm under sessional orders.

- 18 **ADJOURNMENT** — The Deputy Speaker announced that the time for the adjournment of the House had arrived and, after debate, left the Chair at 5.41 pm.

BRIDGET NOONAN
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

MAREE EDWARDS MP
Speaker