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1 MEETING OF THE HOUSE

The House met at 10.00 am according to adjournment. The President took the Chair and read the prayers.

The President acknowledged the Gadigal clan of the Eora nation and its elders and thanked them for their custodianship of this land.

2 STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT—COVID SAFE ARRANGEMENTS AT PARLIAMENT HOUSE

The President made a statement concerning COVID-19 arrangements at Parliament House.

3 JOINT COMMITTEES—MEMBERSHIP (Formal Business)

Ms Sharpe moved, as formal business:

- (1) That Mr Daniel Mookhey be discharged from the Joint Standing Committee on the Office of the Valuer General and Mr Adam Searle be appointed as a member of the committee.
- (2) That under section 67(1)(a) of the Health Care Complaints Act 1993, Mr Walt Secord be discharged from the Joint Committee on the Health Care Complaints Commission and Mr Greg Donnelly be appointed as a member of the committee.
- (3) That a message be forwarded to the Legislative Assembly conveying the terms of the resolution agreed to by the House.

Question put and passed.

4 PROCEDURE COMMITTEE—AMENDMENT TO RESOLUTION (Formal Business)

Ms Sharpe moved, as formal business:

- (1) That the resolution appointing the Procedure Committee be amended by inserting after paragraph (4):
 - "(5) That the committee have the power to appoint sub-committees."
- (2) That, notwithstanding anything to contrary in the resolution appointing the committee, Mr Searle be appointed as a member of the Procedure Committee in place of Ms Sharpe for the purposes of the committee's review of the standing and sessional orders.

Question put and passed.

5 ORDER FOR PAPERS—2021-2022 BUDGET FINANCES (Formal Business)

Mr Mookhey moved, as formal business: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents, in electronic format if possible, in the possession, custody or control of the Premier, the Treasurer, the Minister for Finance and Small Business, Treasury or the Department of Premier and Cabinet relating to the Government's 2021-2022 budget finances:

- (a) any document detailing recurrent and capital estimates at agency level for the financial years 2020-2021 (revised) to 2021-2022 inclusive, noting that printouts provided from Treasury's Financial Information System should only be the version consistent with the 2021-2022 State Budget,

- (b) any document identifying uncommitted, unallocated funds or contingencies within those forward estimates, noting that printouts provided from Treasury's Financial Information System should only be the version consistent with the 2021-2022 State Budget,
- (c) all estimates relating to projects included in the State Infrastructure Plan, Rebuilding NSW, Restart NSW, State Infrastructure Strategy, Metropolitan Strategy and the State Plan,
- (d) any document showing economic and other assumptions underpinning the estimates for the financial years 2021-2022 to 2024-2025 inclusive,
- (e) any document identifying or qualifying risks and contingent liabilities that might impact the financial years 2020-2021 (revised) to 2023-2024 inclusive,
- (f) any document that relates to the state's future financial position as revealed in the estimates,
- (g) any documents pertaining to 2020-2021 actual budget performance not requested elsewhere in this order,
- (h) all documents pertaining to revenue estimates 2021-2022 to 2024-2025 inclusive, and
- (i) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Question put and passed.

6 ORDER FOR PAPERS—2021-2022 BUDGET (Formal Business)

Mr Mookhey moved, as formal business: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents, excluding the Budget Estimates and related papers for the financial year 2021-22, in electronic format if possible, in the possession, custody or control of the Premier, the Treasurer, the Minister for Finance and Small Business, Treasury or the Department of Premier and Cabinet relating to the 2021-22 budget:

- (a) all advice, correspondence, briefing papers and documents provided by New South Wales government departments, agencies and public trading enterprise sectors to the Treasurer, Treasury or the Department of Premier and Cabinet relating to the 2021-22 budget, including but not limited to:
 - (i) any documents that assess the impact of any of the measures outlined in the budget,
 - (ii) any models or documents that estimate the revenues to be raised as a result of the measures outlined in the budget,
- (b) all advice, correspondence, briefing papers, budget kits and budget electorate reports provided to any members of Parliament relating to the 2021-22 budget handed down on 22 June 2021,
- (c) any documents, excepting any budget papers tabled in Parliament, provided to individual members of Parliament outlining regional electorate capital works summaries, by electorate, including but not limited to documents described as electorate reports and regional reports in Prime - the financial management system used by Treasury,
- (d) any documents, excepting any budget papers tabled in Parliament, which refer to capital expenses by electorate, by agency, funded by appropriations from Parliament as well as funds from asset sales and other sources, including but not limited to documents described as electorate reports and regional reports in Prime - the financial management system used by Treasury,
- (e) any other documents, excepting any budget papers tabled in Parliament, which refer to capital and recurrent expenses by electorate, including but not limited to documents described as electorate reports and regional reports in Prime - the financial management system used by Treasury, and

- (f) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Question put and passed.

7 ORDER FOR PAPERS—DAM INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS – FURTHER ORDER (Formal Business)

Ms Faehrmann moved, as formal business: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 18 February 2021 in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Water, Property and Housing, Department of Planning, Industry and Environment, the Treasurer, Treasury or WaterNSW relating to dam infrastructure projects:

- (a) all documents, correspondence and advice relating to the Menindee Lakes Project, the Wyangala Dam Wall Raising project, the Mole River Dam project, the Dungowan Dam project, and the Macquarie River Re-regulating Storage project, including:
- (i) all draft business cases,
 - (ii) all final business cases,
 - (iii) all feasibility studies,
 - (iv) all hydrological modelling reports,
 - (v) all modelling assessment reports,
 - (vi) all scoping studies,
 - (vii) all consultation with traditional owners,
 - (viii) all capital investment, economic, socio-economic or environmental impact reports,
 - (ix) all capital works summaries,
 - (x) any tender document or contract with WaterSecure, and
- (b) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Question put and passed.

8 RATION CHALLENGE 2021 (Formal Business)

Mr Shoebridge moved, as formal business:

- (1) That this House notes that:
- (a) since 2014 the Ration Challenge has built empathy for and supported the plight of Syrian refugees living in Camp Jordan,
 - (b) the Ration Challenge allows people to stand in solidarity with refugees in Syria as well as provide them with food, medicine and support in order to help rebuild their lives,
 - (c) people around the world undertake the challenge every June by surviving for a week on the rations of Syrian refugees which consist of small amounts of rice, lentils, chickpeas, beans, fish or tofu, and oil, and
 - (d) this year the challenge in Australia has raised \$898,739 so far, which is enough to feed 3,099 refugees for a year.
- (2) That this House commends all participants in the Ration Challenge and the generous donors who support them.

Question put and passed.

9 SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE CORONIAL JURISDICTION IN NEW SOUTH WALES—MEMBERSHIP (Formal Business)

Mr Harwin moved, as formal business: That Mrs Ward be discharged from the Select committee on the coronial jurisdiction in New South Wales and Ms Cusack be appointed as a member of the committee.

Question put and passed.

10 BUDGET ESTIMATES 2021-2022 (Formal Business)

Mr Tudehope moved, as formal business:

- (1) That the Budget Estimates and related papers for the financial year 2021-2022 presenting the amounts to be appropriated from the Consolidated Fund be referred to the Portfolio Committees for inquiry and report.
- (2) That, further to the resolution of the House of 11 November 2020 adopting the 2021 sitting calendar, the 2021-2022 initial budget estimates hearings be scheduled as follows:

Day One:	Monday 16 August 2021
PC 5	Counter Terrorism and Corrections
PC 7	Planning and Public Spaces
Day Two:	Tuesday 17 August 2021
PC 2	Health and Medical Research
PC 1	Special Minister of State, Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs and the Arts
Day Three:	Wednesday 18 August 2021
PC 3	Education and Early Childhood Learning
PC 4	Agriculture and Western New South Wales
PC 1	The Legislature
Day Four:	Thursday 19 August 2021
PC 7	Local Government
PC 2	Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women
Day Five:	Friday 20 August 2021
PC 1	Treasury
PC 6	Customer Service and Digital
Day Six:	Monday 23 August 2021
PC 7	Energy and Environment
PC 5	Attorney General and Prevention of Domestic and Sexual Violence
Day Seven:	Tuesday 24 August 2021
PC 1	Jobs, Investment, Tourism and Western Sydney
PC 6	Regional Transport and Roads
Day Eight:	Wednesday 25 August 2021
PC 3	Skills and Tertiary Education
PC 5	Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans
Day Nine:	Thursday 26 August 2021
PC 6	Transport and Roads
PC 1	Premier

Day Ten: Friday 27 August 2021
 PC 4 Water, Property and Housing
 PC 5 Families, Communities and Disability Services

Day Eleven: Monday 30 August 2021
 PC 6 Better Regulation and Innovation
 PC 4 Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade

Day Twelve: Tuesday 31 August 2021
 PC 5 Police and Emergency Services
 PC 1 Finance and Small Business

- (3) That for the purposes of the Budget Estimates inquiry 2021-2022:
- (a) for each scheduled day of the initial and further rounds of hearings:
 - (i) each portfolio, except The Legislature, be examined concurrently by Opposition and Crossbench members only, from 9.30 am to 12.30 pm, and from 2.00 pm to 5.45 pm, with an additional 15 minutes reserved for government questions for each of the morning and afternoon sessions,
 - (ii) the portfolio of The Legislature be examined concurrently by Opposition, Crossbench and Government members from 9.30 am until 12.30 pm,
 - (b) the committees must hear evidence in public,
 - (c) the committees may ask for explanations from ministers, parliamentary secretaries or officers of departments, statutory bodies or corporations, relating to the items of proposed expenditure,
 - (d) witnesses, including ministers, may not make an opening statement before the committee commences questions,
 - (e) members may lodge supplementary questions with the committee clerk by 5.00 pm within two business days following a hearing, and
 - (f) answers to questions on notice and supplementary questions are to be published, except those answers for which confidentiality is requested, after they have been circulated to committee members.
- (4) That the committees present a final report to the House by 30 June 2022.

Question put and passed.

11 NOTICES OF MOTIONS

12 MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES

Mrs Mitchell informed the House that, on 22 June 2021, the following changes were made to the appointments of Parliamentary Secretaries:

Ms (Steph) Stephanie Anne Cooke MP ceased to be Parliamentary Secretary to the Deputy Premier and was appointed as Parliamentary Secretary for Regional Health

Mr (Geoff) Geoffrey Keith Provest MP ceased to be Parliamentary Secretary for Tourism and Major Events and was appointed as Parliamentary Secretary for Regional Tourism and Hospitality

Mr Stephen Bruce Bromhead MP ceased to be Parliamentary Secretary for Regional Transport and was appointed as Parliamentary Secretary for Regional Housing

Mr Christopher Gulaptis MP ceased to be Parliamentary Secretary for Regional Roads and Infrastructure and was appointed as Parliamentary Secretary for Agriculture and Forestry

The Honourable (Sam) Samuel Faraway MLC was appointed as Parliamentary Secretary to the Deputy Premier and for Water Infrastructure.

13 WRITTEN ANSWER TO A SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTION WITHOUT NOTICE

The President informed the House of the publication in today's Hansard of a written answer to a supplementary question without notice asked on the previous sitting day and lodged with the Clerk.

14 CONDUCT OF BUSINESS

Mr Mallard moved, according to sessional order: That standing and sessional orders be suspended to allow the moving of a motion forthwith relating to the order of private members' business this day.

Question put and passed.

Mr Mallard then moved: That the order of private members' business for today be as follows:

- (1) Private members' business item no. 1257 standing in the name of Mr Graham relating to an order for papers regarding the mobile speed camera program.
- (2) Private members' business item no. 1281 standing in the name of Mr Secord relating to an order for papers regarding hospital developments.
- (3) Private members' business item no. 1267 standing in the name of Ms Fachrmann relating to a select committee on floodplain harvesting.
- (4) Private members' business item no. 1286 standing in the name of Mrs Houssos relating to an order for papers regarding workforce planning for public schools.
- (5) Private members' business item no. 1140 standing in the name of Mr Borsak relating to an order for papers regarding firearms inspections and licensing.
- (6) Private members' business item no. 1275 standing in the name of Mr Latham relating to Dark Emu by Bruce Pascoe.
- (7) Private members' business item no. 1271 standing in the name of Mr Veitch relating to a further order for papers regarding Monaro Farming Systems.
- (8) Private members' business item no. 1280 standing in the name of Mr Franklin relating to NSW Community Sports Awards.
- (9) Private members' business item no. 1265 standing in the name of Mr Mookhey relating to a reference to the Public Accountability Committee.
- (10) Private members' business item no. 1194 standing in the name of Mr Pearson relating to animal sentience.
- (11) Private members' business item no. 1263 standing in the name of Mr Mookhey relating to an order for papers regarding the report entitled "Building on Strong Foundations: A review of State-Owned Corporations".
- (12) Private members' business item no. 1260 standing in the name of Mr Amato relating to NSW Rural Fire Service awards.

- (13) Private members' business item no. 1292 standing in the name of Mr Shoebridge relating to an order for papers regarding the Australian Clay Target Association.
- (14) Private members' business item no. 1272 standing in the name of Mr Veitch relating to an order for papers regarding the courses offered by TAFE NSW.
- (15) Private members' business item no. 1258 standing in the name of Mr Graham relating to an order for papers regarding transport and roads infrastructure.
- (16) Private members' business item no. 1288 standing in the name of Mr Field relating to an order for papers regarding Private Native Forestry Plans.
- (17) Private members' business item no. 1282 standing in the name of Ms Hurst relating to an order for papers regarding exhibited animals.
- (18) Private members' business item no. 1217 standing in the name of Mr Banasiak relating to an order for papers regarding the intersection of Calala Lane and Campbell Road.
- (19) Private members' business item no. 1284 standing in the name of Mrs Houssos relating to an order for papers regarding the oversight of residential buildings.
- (20) Private members' business item no. 1287 standing in the name of Mrs Houssos relating to a further order for papers regarding School Infrastructure NSW projects.
- (21) Private members' business item no. 1273 standing in the name of Mr Veitch relating to an order for papers regarding the mice plague in New South Wales.
- (22) Private members' business item no. 1274 standing in the name of Mr Latham relating to a reference to the Public Works Committee.
- (23) Private members' business item no. 1276 standing in the name of Mr Faraway relating to 150 years plus 1 of Forbes Shire Council.
- (24) Private members' business item no. 1264 standing in the name of Mr Mookhey relating to an order for papers regarding the redevelopment of the Sydney Fish Markets.
- (25) Private members' business item no. 1277 standing in the name of Mr Primrose relating to jobs created by the COVID-19 Recovery Plan.
- (26) Private members' business item no. 1248 standing in the name of Mr Shoebridge relating to native forest logging.
- (27) Private members' business item no. 1285 standing in the name of Mrs Houssos relating to an order for papers regarding the real estate licence of Mr Daryl Maguire.
- (28) Private members' business item no. 1283 standing in the name of Mr Mallard relating to the Local Government Professionals Australia Awards Dinner.
- (29) Private members' business item no. 1268 standing in the name of Ms Faehrmann relating to healthcare workers across New South Wales.

Question put and passed.

15 ORDER FOR PAPERS—MOBILE SPEED CAMERA PROGRAM

Mr Graham moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1257 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Graham moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents in the possession, custody or control of the Department of Customer Service, Treasury, Transport for NSW, or the Minister for Transport and Roads relating to changes to the Government's mobile speed camera program from 1 January 2020:

- (a) all documents, including briefings, correspondence and departmental information related to the removal of warning signs, the removal of the livery from vehicles and the proposed tripling of hours of operation of the cameras,
- (b) all documents showing projections of the number of demerit points or licences that might be lost as a result of the changes,
- (c) a record of the total number of drivers who have lost their licences following the changes,
- (d) a record of the total number of drivers who have lost demerit points as a result of changes, and
- (e) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

16 ORDER FOR PAPERS—HOSPITAL DEVELOPMENTS

Mr Secord moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1281 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Secord moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 January 2014 in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Health and Medical Research, Minister for Planning and Public Spaces, Ministry of Health, Health Infrastructure, Treasurer and Treasury relating to hospital developments:

- (a) all documents relating to the planning, site selection, development, funding of, and expenditure on, the Rouse Hill Hospital,
- (b) all documents relating to the planning, site selection, development, funding of, and expenditure on, the Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital redevelopment, and
- (c) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

17 SELECT COMMITTEE ON FLOODPLAIN HARVESTING

Ms Faehrmann moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1267 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Ms Faehrmann by leave, amended private members' business item no. 1267 by omitting in paragraph (2)(c) "Mr Justin Field".

Ms Faehrmann moved, according to notice, as by leave amended:

- (1) That a select committee be established to inquire into and report on the Government's management of floodplain harvesting, including:
 - (a) the legality of floodplain harvesting practices,
 - (b) the water regulations published on 30 April 2021,
 - (c) how floodplain harvesting can be licensed, regulated, metered and monitored so that it is sustainable and meets the objectives of the Water Management Act 2000 and the Murray-Darling Basin Plan and,
 - (d) any other related matter.
- (2) That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the standing orders, the committee consist of nine members comprising:
 - (a) three government members, being nominated by the Leader of the Government,
 - (b) three opposition members, being nominated by the Leader of the Opposition and
 - (c) three members crossbench members, being Ms Cate Faehrmann and Mr Mark Banasiak.
- (3) That the chair of the committee be Ms Cate Faehrmann and the Deputy Chair Mr Mark Banasiak.
- (4) That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the standing orders, at any meeting of the committee, any four members of the committee will constitute a quorum.
- (5) That, unless the committee decides otherwise:
 - (a) submissions to the inquiry are to be published, subject to the Committee Clerk checking for confidentiality and adverse mention and, where those issues arise, bringing them to the attention of the committee for consideration,
 - (b) the Chair's proposed witness list is to be circulated to provide members with an opportunity to amend the list, with the witness list agreed to by email, unless a member requests the Chair to convene a meeting to resolve any disagreement,
 - (c) the sequence of questions to be asked at hearings is to alternate between government, opposition and crossbench members, in order determined by the committee, with equal time allocated to each,
 - (d) transcripts of evidence taken at public hearings are to be published,
 - (e) supplementary questions are to be lodged with the Committee Clerk within two days, excluding Saturday and Sunday, following the receipt of the hearing transcript, with witnesses requested to return answers to questions on notice and supplementary questions within 21 calendar days of the date on which questions are forwarded to the witness, and
 - (f) answers to questions on notice and supplementary questions are to be published, subject to the Committee Clerk checking for confidentiality and adverse mention and, where those issues arise, bringing them to the attention of the committee for consideration.

(6) That the committee report by 30 November 2021.

Debate ensued.

Ms Jackson moved: That the question be amended as follows:

(1) In paragraph (2) omit "nine members" and insert instead "eight members".

(2) In paragraph (2)(c) omit "three crossbench members" and insert instead "two crossbench members".

Debate continued.

Question: That the amendment of Ms Jackson be agreed to—put and passed.

Original question, as amended:

(1) That a select committee be established to inquire into and report on the Government's management of floodplain harvesting, including:

(a) the legality of floodplain harvesting practices,

(b) the water regulations published on 30 April 2021,

(c) how floodplain harvesting can be licensed, regulated, metered and monitored so that it is sustainable and meets the objectives of the Water Management Act 2000 and the Murray-Darling Basin Plan and,

(d) any other related matter.

(2) That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the standing orders, the committee consist of eight members comprising:

(a) three government members, being nominated by the Leader of the Government,

(b) three opposition members, being nominated by the Leader of the Opposition and

(c) two members crossbench members, being Ms Cate Faehrmann and Mr Mark Banasiak.

(3) That the chair of the committee be Ms Cate Faehrmann and the Deputy Chair Mr Mark Banasiak.

(4) That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the standing orders, at any meeting of the committee, any four members of the committee will constitute a quorum.

(5) That, unless the committee decides otherwise:

(a) submissions to the inquiry are to be published, subject to the Committee Clerk checking for confidentiality and adverse mention and, where those issues arise, bringing them to the attention of the committee for consideration,

(b) the Chair's proposed witness list is to be circulated to provide members with an opportunity to amend the list, with the witness list agreed to by email, unless a member requests the Chair to convene a meeting to resolve any disagreement,

(c) the sequence of questions to be asked at hearings is to alternate between government, opposition and crossbench members, in order determined by the committee, with equal time allocated to each,

(d) transcripts of evidence taken at public hearings are to be published,

- (e) supplementary questions are to be lodged with the Committee Clerk within two days, excluding Saturday and Sunday, following the receipt of the hearing transcript, with witnesses requested to return answers to questions on notice and supplementary questions within 21 calendar days of the date on which questions are forwarded to the witness, and
- (f) answers to questions on notice and supplementary questions are to be published, subject to the Committee Clerk checking for confidentiality and adverse mention and, where those issues arise, bringing them to the attention of the committee for consideration.

(6) That the committee report by 30 November 2021.

Question put and passed.

18 ORDER FOR PAPERS—WORKFORCE PLANNING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Mrs Houssos moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1286 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mrs Houssos, by leave, amended private members' business item no. 1286 by omitting paragraphs (a) to (h) and inserting instead:

- "(a) all reports and briefings relating to teacher supply projections,
- (b) all reports, briefings and memorandum relating to teacher supply of high demand teachers,
- (c) all reports, briefings and memorandum relating to teacher supply of specialised teachers,
- (d) all reports, briefings, memorandum and correspondence relating to the Deloitte Touché Tohmatsu report on the long term teacher supply strategy,
- (e) all reports, briefings, strategy documents and memorandum relating to the accelerated pathway program for high-performing professionals and subject matter experts,
- (f) a list of all teacher vacancies as at 23 June 2019 and 23 June 2021 at New South Wales public schools including the declared vacant date,
- (g) a list of all teachers teaching out-of-area subjects retained by the Department of Education, and
- (h) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House."

Mrs Houssos moved, according to notice, as by leave amended: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 January 2019 in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning or the Department of Education relating to workforce planning for public schools:

- (a) all reports and briefings relating to teacher supply projections,
- (b) all reports, briefings and memorandum relating to teacher supply of high demand teachers,
- (c) all reports, briefings and memorandum relating to teacher supply of specialised teachers,
- (d) all reports, briefings, memorandum and correspondence relating to the Deloitte Touché Tohmatsu report on the long term teacher supply strategy,

- (e) all reports, briefings, strategy documents and memorandum relating to the accelerated pathway program for high-performing professionals and subject matter experts,
- (f) a list of all teacher vacancies as at 23 June 2019 and 23 June 2021 at New South Wales public schools including the declared vacant date,
- (g) a list of all teachers teaching out-of-area subjects retained by the Department of Education, and
- (h) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

19 ORDER FOR PAPERS—FIREARMS INSPECTIONS AND LICENSING

Mr Borsak moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1140 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Borsak, by leave, amended private members' business item no. 1140 by inserting after paragraph (c):

- "(d) all documents relating to the 2021 policy change concerning the transfer of ownership of bequeathed firearms from deceased estates, including policy changes to all related fees,".

Mr Borsak moved, according to notice, as by leave amended: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 January 2015 in the possession, custody or control of the Department of Communities and Justice, NSW Police Force, the Commissioner of Police or the Minister for Police and Emergency Services relating to firearm inspections and licensing:

- (a) all documents, including directives, instructions or orders, to Police Area Commands, Police Districts or the Firearms Registry relating to firearm safe storage inspections,
- (b) all documents, including directives, instructions or orders, to the Firearms Registry or NSW Police Force regarding limiting or limits on the number of firearms owned by firearm licence holders,
- (c) all documents relating to the Firearms Registry policy of treating revoked, expired or dismissed apprehended violence orders (AVOs) as active apprehended violence orders,
- (d) all documents relating to the 2021 policy change concerning the transfer of ownership of bequeathed firearms from deceased estates, including policy changes to all related fees, and
- (e) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

20 DARK EMU BY BRUCE PASCOE

Mr Latham moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1275 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Latham moved, according to notice:

- (1) That this House:
 - (a) supports the Federal Minister for Education and Youth, the Hon Alan Tudge MP, in his statement of 13 June 2021 that Bruce Pascoe's *Dark Emu* and *Young Dark Emu* should not be used in classrooms, and
 - (b) calls on the NSW Government to adopt the same position and policy.
- (2) The House notes:
 - (a) the danger in our schools of teaching material to children which is not factual, especially in the history curriculum,
 - (b) the comprehensive critique of *Dark Emu* in the new book, "Hunter-Gathers? The *Dark Emu* Debate" by leading Australian anthropologist Professor Peter Sutton and archeologist Dr Keryn Walshe,
 - (c) the Sutton/Walshe assessment that *Dark Emu* is "littered with unsourced material, is poorly researched, distorts and exaggerates many points, selectively emphasises evidence to suit those opinions and ignores large bodies of information that do not support the author's opinions. It is actually not, properly considered, a work of scholarship. Its success as a narrative has been achieved in spite of its failure as an account of fact.",
 - (d) Professor Sutton's view that *Dark Emu* does Aboriginal people a huge disservice by removing from the historical record an accurate depiction of the complexity and sophistication of their land use pre-1788—in Sutton's words: Aboriginal people "had developed ways of managing from their landscape that went beyond just hunting and just gathering but did not involve gardening or farming. They were ecological agents who worked with the environment, rather than against it. They frequently used slow-burning fires to make their landscapes more liveable. On the other hand, they did not cut down bush to clear the land, plough and hoe the soil in preparation for planting, or then sow stored seed or tubers or rootstock in gardens or in fields.",
 - (e) the absence in Aboriginal languages of words and phrases associated with farming, unlike Torres Strait Islanders who undertook farming and have languages to match,
 - (f) the historical record, confirmed by Sutton and Walshe, of an absence of permanent Aboriginal housing pre-1788, as Sutton writes, "The recurring pattern, all over Australia, was one of seasonal and other variation in lengths of stays in one place. No group is ever described, at the moment of colonisation, as living year-in, year-out, in one single place.", and
 - (g) the Sutton/Walshe critique is supported by Peter O'Brien's "Bitter Harvest" which also systematically dismantles *Dark Emu*'s claim to be a factual work of history.

Debate ensued.

Mr Secord, by leave, spoke beyond the time for debate.

Debate continued.

Mr Shoebridge, by leave, spoke beyond the time for debate.

Debate continued.

Mr Latham, by leave, spoke beyond the time for debate.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes5
 Noes34
 Majority.....29

AYES

Banasiak (teller)	Latham (teller)	Roberts
Borsak	Nile	

NOES

Amato	Harwin	Pearson
Boyd	Houssos	Poulos
Buttigieg	Hurst	Primrose
Cusack	Jackson	Searle
D'Adam	Maclaren-Jones	Secord
Donnelly	Mallard (teller)	Sharpe
Faehrmann	Martin	Shoebridge
Fang	Mitchell	Taylor
Farlow	Mookhey	Tudehope
Farraway (teller)	Moriarty	Veitch
Field	Moselmane	Ward
Graham		

Question resolved in the negative.

21 PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr Tudehope, by leave, made a personal explanation relating to his answer to a question without notice asked during Question Time yesterday.

22 STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT—FURTHER COVID SAFE ARRANGEMENTS

The President made a statement concerning further COVID safe arrangements at Parliament House.

According to sessional order, it being after 12.00 noon, proceedings interrupted for Questions.

23 QUESTIONS

According to sessional order, at the conclusion of Questions, supplementary questions for written answers were asked by members.

24 TAKE NOTE OF ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Mrs Houssos moved, according to sessional order: That the House take note of answers to questions.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

25 PRIVATE MEMBERS' STATEMENTS

26 ORDER FOR PAPERS—MONARO FARMING SYSTEMS – FURTHER ORDER

Mr Veitch moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1271 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Veitch moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 28 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents, excluding any documents previously returned under an order of the House, in the possession, custody or control of the Deputy Premier, the Department of Premier and Cabinet or Regional NSW relating to Monaro Farming Systems:

- (a) all documents relating to the order of the House of Wednesday 17 March 2021, including the amendment to the order of Wednesday 5 May 2021, and the production of documents regarding Monaro Farming Systems,
- (b) all documents, including instructions for advice and legal or other advice, relating to the scope or validity of, or compliance with, the order of the House of Wednesday 17 March 2021, including the amendment to the order of Wednesday 5 May 2021, and the production of documents regarding Monaro Farming Systems,
- (c) all documents, including legal or other advice, relied on to determine compliance with the order of the House of Wednesday 17 March 2021, including the amendment to the order of Wednesday 5 May 2021, regarding Monaro Farming Systems, including but not limited to the non-production of any document in response to paragraph (j) of the amended order which required the production of probity reports, and
- (d) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

27 BUSINESS POSTPONED

Private members business item no. 1280 postponed, on motion of Mr Mallard (on behalf of Mr Franklin), until next sitting day.

28 PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY COMMITTEE—REFERENCE

Mr Mookhey moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1265 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Mookhey moved, according to sessional order: That the Public Accountability Committee inquire into and report on the Transport Asset Holding Entity, including:

- (a) its establishment and operation, and

(b) any other related matter.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

29 MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—MOTOR ACCIDENTS AND WORKERS COMPENSATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2021

The Assistant President reported receipt of the following message from the Legislative Assembly:

MR PRESIDENT

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a bill with the long title "An Act to make miscellaneous amendments to certain motor accidents legislation and workers compensation legislation and to make consequential or related amendments to other legislation" presents the bill to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly
23 June 2021

JONATHAN O'DEA
Speaker

Bill, on motion of Mr Harwin, read a first time and ordered to be printed.

Mr Harwin moved, according to sessional order: That standing orders be suspended to allow the passing of the bill through all its remaining stages during the present or any one sitting of the House.

Question put and passed.

Ordered: That the second reading of the bill stand an order of the day for the first sitting day after the winter recess.

30 ANIMAL SENTIENCE

Mr Pearson moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1194 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Pearson, by leave, amended private members' business item no. 1194 by omitting in paragraph (1) "congratulates" and inserting instead "commends".

Mr Pearson moved, according to notice, as by leave amended:

- (1) That this House commends the British government for committing to:
 - (a) make the United Kingdom a world leader in animal protection,
 - (b) introduce an Animal Sentience Bill that recognises the sentience of animals by enshrining in law that animals:
 - (i) are aware of their feelings and emotions,
 - (ii) can experience joy and pleasure, as well as pain and suffering,
 - (c) make the Animal Sentience Bill the centre-piece of the Queen's Speech in Parliament, and
 - (d) end the live export of animals.

- (2) That this House calls upon the Government to follow the United Kingdom's lead by including the recognition of animal sentience in their proposed new animal protection laws.
- (3) That this House advises the Premier, the Hon Gladys Berejiklian MP that she would be far more likely to reach the visionary and compassionate standard of the Queen if she were to remove the Deputy Premier, the Hon John Barilaro MP and the Minister for Primary Industries, the Hon Adam Marshall MP from their offices.

Debate ensued.

Mr Pearson, by leave, spoke beyond the time for debate.

Debate continued.

Ms Boyd moved: That the question be amended by omitting paragraph (3) and inserting instead:

"(3) That this House recommends that the Premier establish a dedicated portfolio for the protection of animal welfare."

Debate continued.

Question: That the amendment of Ms Boyd be agreed to—put and passed.

Original question, as amended, put.

The House divided.

Ayes16
 Noes16
 Majority.....0

AYES

Boyd	Hurst	Primrose
Buttigieg (teller)	Jackson	Secord
D'Adam (teller)	Moriarty	Sharpe
Fachrmann	Moselmane	Shoebridge
Field	Pearson	Veitch
Houssos		

NOES

Amato	Harwin	Poulos
Banasiak	Mallard (teller)	Roberts
Borsak	Martin	Taylor
Fang	Mitchell	Tudehope
Farlow	Nile	Ward
Farraway (teller)		

PAIRS

Donnelly	Maclaren-Jones
Graham	Franklin
Mookhey	Cusack
Searle	Khan

There being an equality of votes, the President cast his vote with the noes. He gave as his reason that in voting for the noes he was adhering to the principles guiding the exercise of the casting vote, including

that where no further discussion on a question was possible, decisions should not be taken except by a majority of members.

Question resolved in the negative.

31 ORDER FOR PAPERS—REPORT ENTITLED "BUILDING ON STRONG FOUNDATIONS: A REVIEW OF STATE-OWNED CORPORATIONS"

Mr Mookhey moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1263 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Mookhey moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents in the possession, custody or control of the Premier, the Treasurer or Treasury relating to the report SCO932-2020 entitled "Building on Strong Foundations: A review of State-Owned Corporations":

- (a) the final and all draft versions of the report SCO932-2020 entitled "Building on Strong Foundations: A review of State-Owned Corporations",
- (b) all documents, transcripts of interviews, and submissions provided to or obtained by the authors of the report,
- (c) all briefs, including attachments to briefs, sent to, signed by, drafted for or approved Treasurer, the Treasury Secretary, or any Deputy Secretary which mentions the report,
- (d) all correspondence with, including attachments, or any documents created by any external consultant or consultancy regarding the report, and
- (e) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes20
 Noes12
 Majority.....8

AYES

Banasiak	Hurst	Primrose
Borsak	Jackson	Roberts
Boyd	Latham	Secord
Buttigieg (teller)	Mookhey	Sharpe
D'Adam (teller)	Moriarty	Shoebridge
Fachrmann	Moselmane	Veitch
Field	Pearson	

NOES

Amato	Harwin	Poulos
Fang	Mallard (teller)	Taylor
Farlow	Martin	Tudehope

NOES

Farraway (teller)

Mitchell

Ward

PAIRS

Donnelly

Graham

Houssos

Searle

Cusack

Franklin

Maclaren-Jones

Khan

Question resolved in the affirmative.

32 NSW RURAL FIRE SERVICE AWARDS 2021

Mr Amato moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1260 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Amato moved, according to notice:

- (1) That this House notes:
 - (a) the outstanding contribution of the NSW Rural Fire Service to our community, and
 - (b) that on 4 May 2021, 16 individuals and one unit from across the NSW Rural Fire Service were acknowledged by the Commissioner of the NSW Rural Fire Service with awards in recognition of their outstanding bravery.
- (2) That this House acknowledges:
 - (a) the following recipients of the Commissioner's Commendation for Bravery—Individual awards:
 - (i) Captain William Ross, Spencer Brigade, Central Coast, Area Hunter,
 - (ii) Deputy Captain Alison Wade, Spencer Brigade, Central Coast, Area Hunter,
 - (iii) Deputy Captain Geoffrey Keaton, Horsley Park Brigade, Cumberland, Area Greater Sydney,
 - (iv) Firefighter Andrew O'Dwyer, Horsley Park Brigade, Cumberland, Area Greater Sydney,
 - (v) Firefighter Colin Burns, Belowra Brigade, Far South Coast, Area South Eastern,
 - (vi) Firefighter Samuel McPaul, Morven Brigade, Southern Border, Area South Western,
 - (vii) Captain Stuart Anderson, Back Creek-Greater Hume Brigade, Southern Border, Area South Western,
 - (viii) Deputy Group Captain Ian Avage, Splitters Creek Brigade, Southern Border, Area South Western,
 - (ix) Captain Andrew Godde, Culcairn North West Brigade, Southern Border, Area South Western,
 - (x) Firefighter Andrew Julian, Back Creek-Greater Hume Brigade, Southern Border, Area South Western,
 - (xi) Firefighter Rodney O'Keeffe, Culcairn North West Brigade, Southern Border, Area South Western,
 - (xii) Deputy Group Captain Scott Campbell, Lawrence Brigade, Clarence Valley, Area North Eastern,
 - (xiii) Senior Deputy Captain Nathan Barnden, Jellat Brigade, Far South Coast, Area South Eastern,

- (xiv) Firefighter John Gallagher, Tathra Brigade, Far South Coast, Area South Eastern,
 - (xv) Firefighter Ryan Clarkstone, Wilton Brigade, Southern Highlands, Area Greater Sydney,
 - (xvi) Firefighter Dean Symons, Illawong Brigade, Sutherland, Area Greater Sydney, and
- (b) the Harrington Brigade, Mid Coast, Area Hunter, on being the recipient of the Commissioner's Unit Citation for Bravery.
- (3) That this House gives thanks to the following individuals who gave their lives in service to New South Wales, and who, in addition to receiving bravery awards, received the Commissioner's Commendation for Service Award:
- (a) Deputy Captain Geoffrey Keaton,
 - (b) Firefighter Andrew O'Dwyer,
 - (c) Firefighter Colin Burns, and
 - (d) Firefighter Samuel McPaul.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

33 ORDER FOR PAPERS—AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION

Mr Shoebridge moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1292 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Shoebridge moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 January 2015 in the possession, custody or control of the Office of Sport, Regional NSW, Infrastructure NSW, Treasury, the Department of Premier and Cabinet, the Treasurer, the Premier, the Deputy Premier, the Minister for Jobs, Investment, Tourism and Western Sydney relating to grants to the Australian Clay Target Association:

- (a) all applications for funding submitted by the Australian Clay Target Association including any supporting documentation, business cases, cost benefit analysis, building tenders and contracts for building works associated with the funding,
- (b) all documents, including correspondence, relating to the initial funding reservation in January 2015 for the \$5.5 million grant to the Australian Clay Target Association,
- (c) all independent assessments of the project the subject of the \$5.5 million grant under the Restart NSW Fund,
- (d) all advice, correspondence and recommendations relating to the movement of the administration of the \$5.5 million funding grant from the Office of Sport to Infrastructure NSW, including any changes in scope to the size of the grant,
- (e) all correspondence, between 1 January 2015 to 1 January 2018, to and from Mr Daryl Maguire that relates to or mentions the awarding of funding grants to the Australian Clay Target Association, and
- (f) any internal or external investigations, reviews or audits into the approval and awarding of the \$5.5 million grant to the Australian Clay Target Association,

- (g) all internal or external correspondence, between 1 December 2020 and 1 June 2021, that mentions the awarding of the \$5.5 million grant to the Australian Clay Target Association, and
- (h) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

34 MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—ROAD TRANSPORT LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2021

The Deputy President (Ms Boyd) reported receipt of the following message from the Legislative Assembly:

MR PRESIDENT

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a bill with the long title "An Act to amend the Road Transport Act 2013 and the Motor Vehicles Taxation Act 1988 concerning the fixing of registration charges and motor vehicle taxation amounts; to make minor miscellaneous amendments to legislation administered by the Minister for Transport and Roads and Minister for Regional Transport and Roads; and to make minor consequential amendments" presents the bill to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly
23 June 2021

JONATHAN O'DEA
Speaker

Bill, on motion of Mrs Mitchell, read a first time and ordered to be printed.

According to sessional order, Mrs Mitchell declared the bill to be an urgent bill.

Question: That the bill be considered an urgent bill—put and passed.

Ordered: That the second reading of the bill stand an order of the day for a later hour of the sitting.

35 ORDER FOR PAPERS—COURSES OFFERED BY TAFE NSW

Mr Veitch moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1272 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Veitch moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 28 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education, Department of Education and TAFE NSW relating to courses offered by TAFE NSW:

- (a) for each TAFE NSW campus since 1 July 2011:
 - (i) a list of all courses delivered each year,
 - (ii) the total amount of funding provided by the NSW government each year,
 - (iii) full time equivalent staffing levels for each year,
 - (iv) a list of student enrolment numbers by course for each year,
 - (v) a list of student completion rates by course for each year,
- (b) for each Connected Learning Centre since 1 July 2011:
 - (i) a list of all courses delivered each year,
 - (ii) the total amount of funding provided by the NSW government each year,
 - (iii) full time equivalent staffing levels for each year,

- (iv) a list of student enrolment numbers by course for each year,
 - (v) a list of student completion rates by course for each year, and
- (c) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

36 ORDER FOR PAPERS—TRANSPORT AND ROADS INFRASTRUCTURE

Mr Graham, moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1258 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Graham by leave, amended private members' business item no. 1258 by omitting paragraphs (a) to (c) and inserting instead:

- "(a) all briefings and correspondence on the progress of the Transport Access Program and all documents relating to the status or updates of current stations, including a list of those stations that have been upgraded and have not yet been upgraded,
- (b) all progress updates on the funding, timeline and status of partially funded and unfunded election commitments from the 2020/21 Sydney Division Asset Management Plan,
- (c) the most recent copy of the asset management plan for Transport for NSW, or a similar document by another name, and each of its organisational units, and"

Mr Graham moved, according to notice, as by leave amended: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution all briefs, briefing notes, reports, updates, presentations, analyses, plans or guidelines created, modified, reviewed or edited since 1 January 2020 in the possession, custody or control of the Department of Customer Service, Treasury, Transport for NSW, Sydney Trains or the Minister for Transport and Roads relating to:

- (a) all briefings and correspondence on the progress of the Transport Access Program and all documents relating to the status or updates of current stations, including a list of those stations that have been upgraded and have not yet been upgraded,
- (b) all progress updates on the funding, timeline and status of partially funded and unfunded election commitments from the 2020/21 Sydney Division Asset Management Plan,
- (c) the most recent copy of the asset management plan for Transport for NSW, or a similar document by another name, and each of its organisational units, and
- (d) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Mr Graham, by leave, tabled documents relating to the analyses, funding or evaluation of transport and roads election commitments.

Debate continued.

Question put and passed.

37 BUSINESS POSTPONED

Private members business item no. 1288 postponed, on motion of Mr Graham (on behalf of Mr Field), until a later hour of the sitting.

38 ORDER FOR PAPERS—EXHIBITED ANIMALS

Ms Hurst moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1282 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Ms Hurst moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 August 2019 in the possession, custody or control of Regional NSW or the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales relating to exhibited animals:

- (a) all licences, permits and approvals issued to Daniel Brighton, Darren Brighton or Jenny Brighton under the Exhibited Animals Protection Act 1986 and its accompanying regulations,
- (b) all documents recording any revocation, suspension or other disciplinary action taken by the Department of Primary Industries in respect of any licence, permit or approval issued to Daniel Brighton, Darren Brighton or Jenny Brighton,
- (c) all licences, permits and approvals issued to Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo under the Exhibited Animals Protection Act 1986 and its accompanying regulations,
- (d) all documents recording any revocation, suspension or other disciplinary action taken by the Department of Primary Industries in respect of any licence, permit or approval issued to Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo,
- (e) all documents recording the results of any audits and inspections of Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo by the Department of Primary Industries, including records of any corrective action requests,
- (f) all correspondence between the Department of Primary Industries and Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo,
- (g) all internal correspondence prepared by the Department of Primary Industries regarding Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo,
- (h) all complaints received by the Department of Primary Industries regarding Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo, including all documents recording any action taken by the Department of Primary Industries in response to those complaints,
- (i) all records of any investigations undertaken by the Department of Primary Industries in respect of Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo,
- (j) all documents relating to lions being sought or obtained by Daniel Brighton, Darren Brighton, Jenny Brighton, Amazement Farm and Fun Park, Kindifarm, Farm Friends Mobile Petting Zoo or Central Coast Zoo, and

- (k) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

39 ORDER FOR PAPERS—INTERSECTION OF CALALA LANE AND CAMPBELL ROAD

Mr Banasiak moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1217 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Banasiak moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads, the Minister for Local Government or Transport for NSW relating to a new roundabout at the intersection of Calala Lane and Campbell Road, Calala:

- (a) all documents, created since 1 January 2017, concerning Traffic Committee deliberations at Tamworth Regional Council, attended by a Transport for NSW representative, that preceded the decision to upgrade the intersection with a roundabout,
- (b) all documents concerning the commencement of the Public Consultation on the new roundabout in July 2020,
- (c) all documents submitted to Transport for NSW for approval by Tamworth Regional Council for the roundabout including the design safety audit, cost benefit analysis, and its compliance with Australian Standards,
- (d) all documents and correspondence within Transport for NSW, the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads, and Minister for Local Government in relation to the roundabout, and
- (e) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

40 BUSINESS POSTPONED

Private members business item no. 1284 postponed, on motion of Mrs Houssos, until next sitting day.

41 ORDER FOR PAPERS—SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE NSW PROJECTS – FURTHER ORDER

Mrs Houssos, moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1287 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mrs Houssos by leave, amended private members' business item no. 1287 by omitting "relating to School Infrastructure NSW and School Infrastructure NSW projects" and inserting instead "specifically relating to the 44 new and upgraded school projects announced as part of the 2021/2022 Budget".

Mrs Houssos moved, according to notice, as by leave amended: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 March 2021 in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning relating to School Infrastructure NSW:

- (a) all reports, briefings, memorandum, correspondence and emails, including attachments, specifically relating to the 44 new and upgraded school projects announced as part of the 2021/2022 Budget, and
- (b) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

42 ORDER FOR PAPERS—MICE PLAGUE IN NEW SOUTH WALES

Mr Veitch moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1273 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Veitch moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 28 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 July 2020 in the possession, custody or control of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment, Regional NSW or the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales, or the Deputy Premier and Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade, relating to mice in New South Wales:

- (a) all documents, including briefings, departmental file notes, meeting notes and research papers, regarding the nature and scope of mice breeding events and the mice plague in New South Wales,
- (b) all documents regarding the \$50 million mice plague support package announced on 13 May 2021, including all documents relating to the roll out and application of funding under the package,
- (c) all documents regarding the \$100 million support package announced 9 June 2021, including all documents relating to the roll out and application of funding under the package,
- (d) all documents regarding the Government's application to the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA) for the use of bromadiolone, and
- (e) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Ms Hurst moved: That the question be amended by inserting in paragraph (b) "the \$1.8 million for genetic biocontrol research" after "including all documents relating to".

Debate continued.

Ms Faehrmann moved: That the question be amended as follows:

- (1) In paragraph (1) insert "the Minister for Energy and Environment" after "the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales,".
- (2) Insert after paragraph (d):

- "(e) all documents, including briefs, departmental files notes, meeting notes and research papers related to the impact of bromadiolone and zinc phosphide on native species, and".

Debate continued.

Question: That the amendment of Ms Hurst be agreed to—put and passed.

Question: That the amendment of Ms Faehrmann be agreed to—put and passed.

Original question, as amended: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 28 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 July 2020 in the possession, custody or control of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment, Regional NSW, the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales, the Minister for Energy and Environment or the Deputy Premier and Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade, relating to mice in New South Wales:

- (a) all documents, including briefings, departmental file notes, meeting notes and research papers, regarding the nature and scope of mice breeding events and the mice plague in New South Wales,
- (b) all documents regarding the \$50 million mice plague support package announced on 13 May 2021, including all documents relating to the \$1.8 million for genetic biocontrol research, and the roll out and application of funding under the package,
- (c) all documents regarding the \$100 million support package announced 9 June 2021, including all documents relating to the roll out and application of funding under the package,
- (d) all documents regarding the Government's application to the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA) for the use of bromadiolone,
- (e) all documents, including briefs, departmental files notes, meeting notes and research papers related to the impact of bromadiolone and zinc phosphide on native species, and
- (f) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Question put and passed.

43 PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE—REFERENCE

Mr Latham moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1274 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Latham moved, according to notice: That the Public Works Committee inquire into and report on the granting of contract number OoS17/18-021 by the Office of Sport, and in particular:

- (a) the awarding of a contract to Barrie Smith Motor Sports P/L by the Office of Sport to resurface two arenas at the Sydney International Equestrian Centre (SIEC),
- (b) the role played by the board, CEO and members of Equestrian NSW (ENSW), Equestrian Australia and officials within the Office of Sport, in both the application for funding and the process for selection of the grant by the Office of Sport,
- (c) the potential or otherwise for the existence of corrupt conduct and/or conflicts of interest within the Office of Sport, Barrie Smith Motor Sports P/L and ENSW, in the granting of the contract, with reference to the ICAC letter of 1 December 2020 to the Office of Sport,

- (d) Office of Sport correspondence to Mr Barrie Smith showing that the original tender specifications were changed from ‘importing new material and mixing onsite’ at SIEC to ‘relocating a surface from another site which had (already) failed’ and these contaminated materials were taken from the Wallaby Hill (Robertson) property of Alex Townsend, a NSW Board member,
- (e) whether successive ministers for Sport and the Office of Sport failed to report the information in paragraph (d) above to the appropriate authorities for probity investigation,
- (f) the engagement of and role played by O’Connor Marsden in the examination of probity issues in regard to the granting of the contract and the failure to examine aspects prior to and following the evaluation and awarding of the contract,
- (g) the granting of a peppercorn rent by the Office of Sport to Equestrian NSW for access to and usage of the SIEC site,
- (h) options for rectification of any defects or complete replacement of the indoor arena surface to ensure the arena is safe for horse and rider and capable of use for high level competition, and
- (i) any other related matters.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

44 RETURNS TO ORDERS

(1) Jobs created by the COVID-19 Recovery Plan

The Clerk, according to resolution of the House of Wednesday 12 May 2021, tabled correspondence relating to an order for papers regarding jobs created by the COVID-19 Recovery Plan, received this day from the Deputy Secretary, General Counsel of the Department of Premier and Cabinet, stating that no further documents have been identified in addition to those already provided to the House, and all documents held and covered by the terms of the resolution and lawfully required to be provided by the Department have been provided.

(2) Education - Key Facts documents

The Clerk, according to resolution of the House of Wednesday 9 June 2021, tabled documents relating to an order for papers regarding Education – Key Facts documents, received this day from the Secretary of the Department of Premier and Cabinet, together with an indexed list of documents.

(3) Land or property sales, disposal, or divestment targets

The Clerk, according to resolution of the House of Wednesday 12 May 2021, tabled:

- (a) Documents relating to an order for papers regarding land or property sales, disposal, or divestment targets, received this day from the Secretary of the Department of Premier and Cabinet, together with an indexed list of documents.
- (b) A return identifying documents received this day which are considered to be privileged and should not be made public or tabled. According to standing order, the Clerk advised that the documents are available for inspection by members of the Legislative Council only.

(4) Incident on Lockyer Street, Goulburn – Further order

The Clerk, according to resolution of the House of Wednesday 9 June 2021, tabled:

- (a) Documents relating to a further order for papers regarding the incident on Lockyer Street, Goulburn, received this day from the Secretary of the Department of Premier and Cabinet, together with an indexed list of documents.
- (b) A return identifying documents received this day which are considered to be privileged and should not be made public or tabled. According to standing order, the Clerk advised that the documents are available for inspection by members of the Legislative Council only.

(5) Biobanks

The Clerk, according to resolution of the House of Wednesday 12 May 2021, tabled:

- (a) Documents relating to an order for papers regarding biobanks, received this day from the Secretary of the Department of Premier and Cabinet, together with an indexed list of documents.
- (b) A return identifying documents received this day which are considered to be privileged and should not be made public or tabled. According to standing order, the Clerk advised that the documents are available for inspection by members of the Legislative Council only.

45 MESSAGE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—ELECTORAL LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS) BILL 2021

The President reported receipt of the following message from the Legislative Assembly:

MR PRESIDENT

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a bill with the long title "An Act to amend the Electoral Funding Act 2018 to make further provision regarding political donations received or made, and electoral expenditure incurred, by or on behalf of participants in local government elections; to amend the Local Government Act 1993 to provide for matters in relation to the postponement of local government elections; and for related purposes" returns the bill to the Legislative Council without amendment.

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JONATHAN O'DEA
Speaker

46 ASSENT TO BILLS

The President reported receipt of a message from Her Excellency the Governor intimating assent to the following bills:

Act No.

Wednesday 23 June 2021

Families, Communities and Disability Services Miscellaneous Amendment Bill 2021	16
Mutual Recognition (New South Wales) Amendment Bill 2021	17

47 JOINT COMMITTEES—MEMBERSHIP

Mr Tudehope moved, by leave and without notice: That Mr Farraway be discharged from the Legislation Review Committee and Mr Fang be appointed as a member of the Committee.

Question put and passed.

Mr Tudehope then moved: That a message be forwarded to the Legislative Assembly conveying the terms of the resolution agreed to by the House.

Question put and passed.

48 150 YEARS PLUS 1 OF FORBES SHIRE COUNCIL

Mr Farraway moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1276 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Farraway moved, according to notice:

- (1) That this House notes that:
 - (a) 2020 marked the 150th anniversary of local government in Forbes,
 - (b) due to COVID-19, Forbes Shire Council and the Forbes community were unable to celebrate the occasion in 2020, and
 - (c) Forbes Shire Council decided to celebrate "150 years + 1" as a Gala Celebration on Saturday, 8 May 2021.
- (2) That this House acknowledges the important role of local government, councillors and council staff in assisting regional communities during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- (3) That this House notes and congratulates Forbes Shire Council and the entire Forbes community on celebrating this important milestone.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

49 ORDER FOR PAPERS—REDEVELOPMENT OF THE SYDNEY FISH MARKETS

Mr Mookhey moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1264 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Mookhey moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents in the possession,

custody or control of the Premier, Treasurer, Minister for Planning and Public Spaces, Minister for Jobs, Investment and Tourism, Treasury, Department of Premier and Cabinet, Department of Planning, Industry and Environment and Infrastructure NSW relating to the redevelopment of the Sydney Fish Markets:

- (a) the final business case for the redevelopment of the Sydney Fish Markets project,
- (b) all draft business cases for the redevelopment of the Sydney Fish Markets project,
- (c) the request for proposal (RFP) for the redevelopment of the Sydney Fish Markets project,
- (d) the tender application made by Multiplex in response to the RFP for the redevelopment of the Sydney Fish Markets project,
- (e) all documents related to the contracting of Multiplex for construction of the Sydney Fish Markets,
- (f) the "Australian Industry Participation Pla" produced by Multiplex, and
- (g) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

50 RESPONSE TO ORDER FOR PAPERS REGARDING JOBS CREATED BY THE COVID-19 RECOVERY PLAN

Mr Primrose moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1277 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Primrose moved, according to notice:

- (1) That this House notes:
 - (a) the resolution of the House of 12 May 2021 relating to an order for papers regarding jobs created by the COVID-19 Recovery Plan,
 - (b) according to the resolution, the Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Finance and Small Business, and their respective Departments had 21 days to provide documents in return to the order, resulting in a due date of 2 June 2021, and
 - (c) on 19 May 2021 the Department of Premier and Cabinet sought a seven week extension, however as the COVID-19 Recovery Plan and jobs public announcement was made in or around June or July 2020 and accordingly the information requested should be easily available, a two week extension, to 16 June 2021, was agreed to.
- (2) That this House further notes that on Wednesday 16 June 2021 a partial return was received, but the documents provided did not address the specifics of the order for papers regarding jobs created by the COVID-19 Recovery Plan.
- (3) That this House expresses its concern that the return to the order indicates that either:
 - (a) the requested documents do not exist and therefore the COVID-19 Recovery Plan and jobs announcements were made in the absence of credible information, or
 - (b) the Government is refusing to comply with the order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes19
 Noes13
 Majority.....6

AYES

Banasiak	Field	Moselmane
Borsak	Hurst	Primrose
Boyd	Jackson	Roberts
Buttigieg (teller)	Latham	Secord
D'Adam (teller)	Mookhey	Sharpe
Donnelly	Moriarty	Shoebridge
Fachrmann		

NOES

Amato	Mallard (teller)	Poulos
Fang	Martin	Taylor
Farlow	Mitchell	Tudehope
Farraway (teller)	Nile	Ward
Harwin		

PAIRS

Graham	Cusack
Houssos	Franklin
Searle	Khan
Veitch	Maclaren-Jones

Question resolved in the negative.

51 NATIVE FOREST LOGGING

Mr Shoebridge moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1248 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Shoebridge moved, according to notice:

- (1) That this House notes that:
 - (a) in 2019/20 Forestry Corporation logged 14,271 hectares of Public Native Forest,
 - (b) the net profit from the destruction Public Native Forest was \$400,000, and
 - (c) the net profit from the destruction Public Native Forest works out to be \$28 a hectare.
- (2) That this House recognises that:

- (a) the WWF Two Billion Trees Report from 2019 estimates an average of 156 trees per hectare for East Australian native forests
 - (b) Forestry rules mean a few of these are retained for habitat meaning on average 140 trees are logged per hectare,
 - (c) this means that \$28 a hectare profit works out to 20 cents profit per tree, and
 - (d) none of these calculations includes the immeasurable damage to the climate and ecosystems caused by logging.
- (3) That this House calls on the Government to end native forest logging and plan a transition for native forests to be managed for their environmental values and for recreation, tourism and sustainable jobs for regional communities.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes5
 Noes27
 Majority.....22

AYES

Boyd
 Faehrmann

Field (teller)
 Hurst

Shoebridge (teller)

NOES

Amato
 Banasiak
 Borsak
 Buttigieg
 D'Adam
 Donnelly
 Fang
 Farlow
 Farraway (teller)

Harwin
 Jackson
 Latham
 Mallard (teller)
 Martin
 Mitchell
 Moriarty
 Moselmane
 Nile

Poulos
 Primrose
 Roberts
 Secord
 Sharpe
 Taylor
 Tudehope
 Veitch
 Ward

Question resolved in the affirmative.

52 ORDER FOR PAPERS—REAL ESTATE LICENCE OF MR DARYL MAGUIRE

Mrs Houssos moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1285 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mrs Houssos moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents created since 1 January 2017 in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation or the Department of Customer Service relating to the real estate licence of Mr Daryl Maguire:

- (a) all reports, briefings, memorandums, emails, and correspondence relating to the real estate licence provided to Mr Daryl Maguire,

- (b) all reports, briefings, memorandums, emails, and correspondence relating to all investigations undertaken by the Department of Fair Trading regarding real estate activities undertaken by Mr Daryl Maguire,
- (c) all reports, briefings and memorandums, emails and correspondence regarding all property transactions made by Mr Daryl Maguire, and
- (d) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

53 BUSINESS POSTPONED

Private members business item no. 1283 postponed, on motion of Mr Mallard, until next sitting day.

54 HEALTHCARE WORKERS ACROSS NEW SOUTH WALES

Ms Faehrmann moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1268 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Ms Faehrmann moved, according to notice:

- (1) That this House notes that:
 - (a) nurses, midwives and all healthcare workers across New South Wales are facing significant challenges in their working conditions due to understaffing, low pay and COVID-19 conditions resulting in exhaustion, unreasonably heavy workloads and increased safety concerns,
 - (b) current COVID-19 vaccination efforts in New South Wales are placing further pressures on frontline healthcare workers by drawing casual staff away from hospital rotations and into vaccination hubs,
 - (c) a recent report by The Lancet found that Queensland hospitals subject to mandated shift-by-shift nurse to patient ratios of one to four saw significant decreases in mortality rates and length of stays for patients, and a reduction in patient readmissions, and
 - (d) on 8 June, New South Wales Nurses and Midwives' Association members voted to stop work or close beds, resulting in stop work actions at Belmont Hospital and the Mental Health Centre at Waratah in the Hunter, Shoalhaven Hospital, Bowral Hospital, Blue Mountains District Hospital and Springwood Hospital and five ambulance bay beds closed for four hours at John Hunter Hospital in Newcastle.
- (2) That this House notes that on 10 June and 22 June paramedics across New South Wales went on strike, rejecting non-life threatening patient transport calls to protest being the lowest paid and most under-resourced paramedics in the country and to call for a 4.7 per cent pay rise.
- (3) That this House notes that the NSW Nurses and Midwives' Association, which represents over 72 000 nurses and midwives across New South Wales, is demanding:
 - (a) mandated shift-by-shift nurse to patient staffing ratios of 1 to 3 in emergency and paediatrics wards, 1 to 4 during day shifts and 1 to 7 during night shifts, and

- (b) a pay rise of 4.7 per cent to ensure adequate staff retention levels and to recognise the increased stress and risk factors caused by COVID-19.
- (3) That this House recognises the invaluable contributions of New South Wales nurses, midwives and all healthcare workers to the safety and wellbeing of our community and supports the demands of the NSW Nurses and Midwives' Association for better pay and conditions.

Debate ensued.

Mr Tudehope, by leave, spoke beyond the time for debate.

Debate continued.

According to sessional order, proceedings interrupted at 10.00 pm for adjournment.

The House continued to sit.

Debate continued.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes20
 Noes12
 Majority.....8

AYES

Banasiak	Field	Roberts
Borsak	Houssos	Searle
Boyd	Hurst	Secord
Buttigieg (teller)	Jackson	Sharpe
D'Adam (teller)	Latham	Shoebridge
Donnelly	Moselmane	Veitch
Faehrmann	Nile	

NOES

Amato	Harwin	Poulos
Fang	Mallard (teller)	Taylor
Farlow	Martin	Tudehope
Farraway (teller)	Mitchell	Ward

PAIRS

Graham	Khan
Mookhey	Maclaren-Jones
Moriarty	Franklin
Primrose	Cusack

Question resolved in the affirmative.

55 ORDER FOR PAPERS—PRIVATE NATIVE FORESTRY PLANS

Mr Field moved, according to sessional order: That private members' business item no. 1288 be considered in a short form format.

Question put and passed.

Mr Field moved, according to notice: That, under standing order 52, there be laid upon the table of the House within 21 days of the date of passing of this resolution the following documents (as referred to in answers to supplementary questions nos 334 to 343 of Portfolio Committee No. 4 - Industry, Budget Estimates 2020-2021 inquiry into Agriculture and Western NSW of March 2021), in the possession, custody or control of the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales, the Minister for Energy and Environment, Regional NSW or the NSW Environment Protection Authority relating to Private Native Forestry Plans:

- (a) all current approved Private Native Forestry Plans,
- (b) all approved Private Native Forestry Plans provided on a fortnightly basis since 1 April 2021, (answer to question 336 (b)),
- (c) all annual Private Native Forestry Plan areas provided since 1 January 2016, (answer to question 336 (c)),
- (d) all Private Native Forestry annual reports provided since 1 January 2016, (answer to question 336 (b)),
- (e) all minutes of bi-monthly operations meetings held between Local Land Services, Environment, Energy and Science, the NSW Environmental Protection Authority and Department of Primary Industry Plantations since 1 January 2020, (answer to question 336 (c)),
- (f) all documents provided since 1 January 2019 to the Commonwealth Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment to inform Australia's State of the Forests reporting, (answer to question 336 (d)), and
- (g) any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

56 ADJOURNMENT

Mr Tudehope moved: That this House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

The House adjourned at 10.58 pm until Thursday 24 June 2021 at 10.00 am.

57 ATTENDANCE

All members present, except Mr Franklin and Mr Khan.

David Blunt
Clerk of the Parliaments

Authorised by the Parliament of New South Wales