NOTICE PAPER
for
THURSDAY, 23 AUGUST 2012

The House meets this day at 9.30am

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PROGRAM FOR THURSDAY SITTING

The following is the program for Thursday sittings as contained in the Sessional Orders approved by the Legislative Assembly on 17 May 2012 and effective from 18 May 2012. The program is subject to change at any time by resolution of the House.

9.30am – 10.00am (Preliminary business)*—
- Prayers
- Messages from the Governor
- Matters concerning privilege
- Speaker’s Statements
- Appointments
- Petitions
- Notification and tabling of papers by the Clerk
- Ministerial Papers
- Ministerial Notices of Motion
- Ministerial Statements
- Any other Government Business
- Personal Explanations
- Tabling of Reports
- Notice of motion for disallowance of statutory instrument

10.00am – 11.00am—
- Question Time

11.00am – 12.00pm—
- Debate of Committee Reports (in accordance with Sessional Order 2) or if no reports to debate, Government Business

12.00pm – 1.00pm—
- Government Business

1.00pm – 2.30pm—
- Lunch break

2.30pm – 4.00pm—
- Private Members’ Bills – introductions (if any, to be completed by 2.40pm)
- Private Members’ Statements (Leader of the Opposition or nominee having first call)

4.00pm – 6.30pm—
- Government Business

6.30pm – 7.30pm—
- Dinner break

7.30pm until adjournment moved—
- Government Business

* If preliminary business is completed before 10.00am, Question Time will commence earlier and continue for 1 hour with starting times for all other items, except lunch and dinner breaks, in the Order of Business adjusting accordingly.

Proposed sitting days (indicative dates only, subject to change)—

- May – 15, 16, 17, 29, 30, 31
- June – 5, 6, 7, 19, 20, 21
- July – 10, 11, 12, 31
- August – 1, 2, 21, 22, 23
- September 11, 12, 13, 14 (Budget Sitting)
- October – 30, 31
- November – 1, 13, 14, 15, 27, 28, 29

Estimates Hearings—

- October – 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18
GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

ORDERS OF THE DAY

1. **HEAVY VEHICLE NATIONAL LAW BILL**  
   Introduced by: Minister for Transport and Main Roads (Mr Emerson)  
   Date introduced: 31 July 2012 (Record of Proceedings Proof p. 1291)  
   Committee report: Tabled 13 August 2012 (Transport, Housing and Local Government Committee)  
   Debated: 22 August 2012 (Record of Proceedings Proof p. 1655)  
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

2. **PUBLIC SERVICE AND OTHER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL**  
   Introduced by: Premier (Mr Newman)  
   Date introduced: 31 July 2012 (Record of Proceedings Proof p. 1290)  
   Committee report: Tabled 13 August 2012 (Finance and Administration Committee)  
   Status: Second reading to be moved.

3. **QUEENSLAND ART GALLERY AMENDMENT BILL**  
   Introduced by: Minister for Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts (Ms Bates)  
   Date introduced: 17 May 2012 (Record of Proceedings Proof p. 90)  
   Committee report: Tabled 8 June 2012 (Education and Innovation Committee)  
   Status: Second reading to be moved.

4. **ANIMAL CARE AND PROTECTION AND OTHER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL**  
   Introduced by: Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (Mr McVeigh)  
   Date introduced: 19 June 2012 (Record of Proceedings Proof p. 743)  
   Committee report: Tabled 2 July 2012 (Agriculture, Resources and Environment Committee)  
   Status: Second reading to be moved.

ORDERS REFERRED TO PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

1. **EDUCATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL**  
   Introduced by: Minister for Education, Training and Employment (Mr Langbroek)  
   Date introduced: 21 August 2012 (Record of Proceedings Proof p. 1529)  
   Status: Referred to Education and Innovation Committee on 21 August 2012 (to report by 29 October 2012 as advised to the House on 21 August 2012).

2. **HOLIDAYS AND OTHER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL**  
   Introduced by: Attorney-General and Minister for Justice (Mr Bleijie)  
   Date introduced: 21 August 2012 (Record of Proceedings Proof p. 1531)  
   Status: Referred to Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee on 21 August 2012 (to report by 6 September 2012 as advised to the House on 21 August 2012).
3. **ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER LAND HOLDING BILL** *(Explanatory Notes)*

   Introduced by: Minister for Natural Resources and Mines (Mr Cripps)
   Date introduced: 21 August 2012 *(Record of Proceedings Proof p. 1533)*
   Status: Referred to Agriculture, Resources and Environment Committee on 21 August 2012 (to report by 29 October 2012 as advised to the House on 21 August 2012).

### GENERAL BUSINESS

#### ORDERS REFERRED TO PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

1. **LAND PROTECTION LEGISLATION (FLYING-FOX CONTROL) AMENDMENT BILL** *(Explanatory Notes)*

   Introduced by: Member for Dalrymple (Mr Knuth)
   Date introduced: 21 June 2012 *(Record of Proceedings Proof p. 924)*
   Status: Referred to Agriculture, Resources and Environment Committee on 21 June 2012 (to report by 21 December 2012).

#### NOTICES OF MOTION

**HOUSE TO TAKE NOTE OF COMMITTEE REPORTS**

1. That the House takes note of Report No. 6 of the Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee tabled on 2 August 2012.

   Notice given: In accordance with Sessional Order 2(1)
   Date: 2 August 2012
   Status: To be moved.

2. That the House takes note of Report No. 7 of the Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee tabled on 2 August 2012.

   Notice given: In accordance with Sessional Order 2(1)
   Date: 2 August 2012
   Status: To be moved.

### PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

Following are committees appointed by the 54th Parliament, their membership, current inquiries and reports tabled. For further information, go to [http://www.parliament.qld.gov.au/work-of-committees/committees](http://www.parliament.qld.gov.au/work-of-committees/committees)

**COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—**

*Members—*

Speaker (or alternate) (Chair), Manager of Government Business (or alternate), Premier (or alternate), Deputy Premier (or alternate), Leader of the Opposition (or alternate), Deputy Leader of the Opposition (or alternate), Manager of Opposition Business (or alternate)
AGRICULTURE, RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE—

**Members**—
Mr Rickuss (Chair), Mr Costigan, Mr Cox, Mr Gibson, Mr Knuth, Mr Krause, Mrs Maddern, Ms Trad

**Current Inquiries**—
- Inquiry into Queensland’s Agriculture and Resource Industries
- Land Protection Legislation (Flying-Fox Control) Amendment Bill 2012 (referred by the House on 21 June 2012)
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Land Holding Bill 2012 (referred by the House on 21 August 2012)

**Reports**—
- Report No. 3 – Environmental Protection (Greentape Reduction) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 12 June 2012)
- Report No. 4 - Report on Subordinate Legislation SL 236, 243, 244, 246 tabled 29.11.11 (Tabled 20 June 2012)
- Report No. 5 - Animal Care and Protection and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 2 July 2012)
- Report No. 7 - Mines Legislation (Streamlining) Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 16 August 2012)

EDUCATION AND INNOVATION COMMITTEE—

**Members**—
Mrs Menkens (Chair), Mr Bennett, Mr Boothman, Mr Latter, Mr Mulherin, Ms Palaszczuk, Mr Pucci, Mr Symes

**Current Inquiries**—
- Education Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (referred by the House on 21 August 2012)

**Reports**—
- Report No. 1 – Subordinate legislation tabled between 29 November 2011 and 30 May 2012 (Tabled 7 June 2012)
- Report No. 2 – Queensland Art Gallery Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 8 June 2012)
- Report No. 3 – Vocational Education and Training (Commonwealth Powers) Bill 2012 (Tabled 8 June 2012)
- Report No. 4 – Subordinate legislation considered between 31 May 2012 and 20 June 2012 (Tabled 21 June 2012)
- Report No. 6 – Subordinate legislation considered between 21 June 2012 and 11 July 2012 (Tabled 12 July 2012)

ETHICS COMMITTEE—

**Members**—
Dr Douglas (Chair), Mr Berry, Mr Kaye, Mrs Miller, Ms Trad, Mr Wellington

**Current Inquiries**—
- Matter of privilege referred by the Speaker on 7 June 2012 regarding the failure to pay a fine for contempt of Parliament
- Matter of privilege referred by the Speaker on 31 July 2012 regarding an alleged deliberate misleading of the House by a Minister

**Reports**—
FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mr Crandon (Chair), Mr Gulley, Mr Kaye, Mr Mulherin, Mrs Ostapovitch, Mr Pitt, Mr Sorensen, Mr Stewart

Current Inquiries—
• Operation of Queensland’s Workers’ Compensation Scheme
• Inquiry to consider the results of Auditor-General’s Report No 4 for 2012 - Managing Employee Unplanned Absence
• Inquiry to consider the results of Auditor-General’s Report No 5 for 2012 - Internal Control Systems

Reports—
• Report No. 14 - Industrial Relations (Fair Work Act Harmonisation) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 1 June 2012)
• Report No. 15 – Portfolio subordinate legislation tabled between 15 November 2011 and 14 February 2012 (Tabled 21 June 2012)
• Report No. 16 - Electricity (Early Termination) Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 12 July 2012)
• Report No. 17 – Portfolio subordinate legislation tabled between 14 February 2012 and 17 May 2012 (Tabled 1 August 2012)
• Report No. 18 – Public Service and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 13 August 2012)

HEALTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mr Dowling (Chair), Mr Davies, Mr Dillaway, Mr Hathaway, Mrs Miller, Mrs Scott, Mr Shuttleworth, Mr Trout

Current Inquiries—
• Palliative care and home and community care services inquiry

Reports—
• Report No. 1 - Health and Hospitals Network and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 1 June 2012)
• Report No. 2 - Health Legislation (Health Practitioner Regulation National Law) Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 1 June 2012)
• Report No. 3 – Report on Subordinate Legislation (Tabled 9 July 2012)
• Report No. 4 – Report on Subordinate Legislation (Tabled 11 July 2012)
• Report No. 5 – Report on Subordinate Legislation (Tabled 12 July 2012)
• Report No. 6 – Report on Subordinate Legislation (Tabled 9 August 2012)

LEGAL AFFAIRS AND COMMUNITY SAFETY COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mr Hopper (Chair), Miss Barton, Mr Byrne, Mr Choat, Mr Judge, Mr Watts, Mr Wellington, Mr Woodforth

Current Inquiries—
• Holidays and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (referred by the House on 21 August 2012)

Reports—
• Report No. 1 - Criminal Law (False Evidence Before Parliament) Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 2 July 2012)
• Report No. 2 - Criminal Law (Two Strike Child Sex Offenders) Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 6 July 2012)
• Report No. 3 - Criminal Law Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 6 July 2012)
• Report No. 4 – Subordinate legislation tabled between 25 October 2011 and 14 February 2012 (Tabled 12 July 2012)
• Report No. 5 - Penalties and Sentences and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 23 July 2012)
• Report No. 6 – Oversight of the Office of the Queensland Ombudsman (Tabled 2 August 2012)
• Report No. 7 – Oversight of the Office of the Information Commissioner (Tabled 2 August 2012)
• Report No. 8 – Subordinate legislation tabled between 17 May 2012 and 19 June 2012 (Tabled 2 August 2012)
PARLIAMENTARY CRIME AND MISCONDUCT COMMITTEE—
Members—
Mrs Cunningham (Chair), Dr Douglas, Mr Johnson, Mr Kaye, Mrs Miller, Ms Trad, Mr Wellington
Reports—
• Report No. 87 – A report on the Crime and Misconduct Commission’s assessment of a public interest disclosure (Tabled 23 July 2012)

STATE DEVELOPMENT, INFRASTRUCTURE AND INDUSTRY COMMITTEE—
Members—
Mr Malone (Chair), Mr Driscoll, Mr Hart, Mr Holswich, Mr Katter, Ms Millard, Mr Mulherin, Mr Young
Current Inquiries—
• Government Land Tenure in Queensland
Reports—
• Report No. 1 – Subordinate legislation tabled on 15 November 2011 (Tabled 31 May 2012)
• Report No. 2 – Subordinate legislation tabled on 29 November 2011 (Tabled 7 June 2012)
• Report No. 3 – Subordinate legislation tabled on 14 February 2012 (Tabled 21 June 2012)
• Report No. 4 - South-East Queensland Water (Distribution and Retail Restructuring) Amendment Bill 2012 (Tabled 2 July 2012)
• Report No. 5 – Subordinate legislation tabled on 17 May 2012 (Tabled 12 July 2012)

TRANSPORT, HOUSING AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE—
Members—
Mr Hobbs (Chair), Mr Byrne, Mr Grant, Mr Grimwade, Mr Ruthenberg, Mrs Scott, Mr Shorten, Mrs Smith
Current Inquiries—
• Inquiry into the Motorcycle Licensing Process in Queensland
• Inquiry into the Operation and Performance of the Queensland Building Services Authority
• Review of the Retirement Villages Act 1999
Reports—
• Report No. 1 – Portfolio subordinate legislation tabled between 25 October 2011 and 14 February 2012 (Tabled 21 June 2012)
• Report No. 2 – Portfolio Subordinate Legislation – SL 43 tabled on 17 February 2012 and SL 68 tabled on 19 June 2012 and forms (Tabled 12 July 2012)
• Report No. 3 – Portfolio Subordinate Legislation – SL 36 and 38 tabled on 17 May 2012, SL 55 and 56 tabled on 29 May 2012 and amended disallowance date for SL 68 tabled on 19 June 2012 (Tabled 1 August 2012)
• Report No. 4 – Heavy Vehicle National Law Bill 2012 (Tabled 13 August 2012)

PANEL OF TEMPORARY SPEAKERS
Miss Barton, Mr Berry, Mr Byrne, Mrs Cunningham, Mr Krause, Mr Ruthenberg, Mr Watts
The following questions were asked on Wednesday, 22 August 2012. In accordance with the Standing Orders, answers are required by email to TableOffice@parliament.qld.gov.au by Friday, 21 September 2012.

523 MR HOLSWICH Asked the Minister for Energy and Water Supply (Mr McArdle)—
With reference to dam storage levels in North Pine Dam and the impact of dam releases on both downstream residents and motorists using Youngs Crossing Road—
Will the Minister outline any advice the department has received regarding future weather patterns and how this advice will impact on decisions regarding the storage levels in the dam?

524 MR STEVENS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION, TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT (MR LANGBROEK)—
Will the Minister outline the government’s commitment to the chaplaincy services in Queensland schools and, in particular, schools in the Mermaid Beach Electorate?

525 MR HATHAWAY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR NATIONAL PARKS, RECREATION, SPORT AND RACING (MR DICKSON)—
Will the Minister advise details on when the government’s proposed ‘Get in the Game’ policy will be rolled out in the North and what aspects of the policy will benefit young future sportspeople, sporting clubs/groups and communities the most?

526 MR MOLHOEK ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (MR EMERSON)—
Will the Minister advise what consideration has been given to connecting Edmund Rice Drive, Southport to either Smith Street or Olsen Avenue?

527 MR MALONE ASKED THE TREASURER AND MINISTER FOR TRADE (MR NICHOLLS)—
With reference to the debt incurred by the previous Labor Government and also the loss of Queensland’s AAA credit rating—
Will the Treasurer confirm the amount of the debt and also the amount of interest Queensland is paying per hour, per day and per year?

528 MR WATTS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MR SPRINGBORG)—
Will the Minister advise the House as to the current waiting time for a patient at the Toowoomba Base Hospital for a cataract operation and advise if we can expect improvements from the new local health board?

529 MR RICKUSS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (MR EMERSON)—
Will the Minister advise what the cost impact on Queensland Rail Ltd will be as a result of the carbon tax and where will the money to pay this cost impost come from?

530 MRS CUNNINGHAM ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING AND PUBLIC WORKS (DR FLEGG)—
With reference to community conjecture that 6,000 public units of housing are to be transferred to community housing management—
(1) Is there any plan to transfer public housing stock to be run by an NGO or community housing organisation?
(2) If so, what tenure will the houses be transferred in?
(3) How many units of public housing are proposed to be transferred?
(4) In which areas are these transfers proposed (numbers and locations listed separately)?
531 **MS PALASZCZUK** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION, TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT (MR LANGBROEK)—
With reference to the announcement this month that cuts to the Skilling Queenslander for Work Program are now $53.8m and not $19m as initially announced and as the previous government budgeted $104.9m for this initiative—
Will the Minister advise if the remainder of this funding has already been allocated?

532 **MR MULHERIN** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR NATIONAL PARKS, RECREATION, SPORT AND RACING (MR DICKSON)—
Will the Minister advise the House how many Queenslanders participate in Heart Foundation Walking, a community recreation program that has been funded by successive State governments for the past 14 years and whether the Minister will continue to support this effective public health strategy?

533 **MR PITT** ASKED THE TREASURER AND MINISTER FOR TRADE (MR NICHOLLS)—
With reference to Professor Doug McTaggart’s testimony to the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission that the savings targeted by the LNP’s employee expense cap to fund election promises can only be achieved without redundancies through natural attrition over five years with a hiring freeze—
Will the Treasurer release the advice provided by Queensland Treasury to the government on the LNP’s employee expense cap as detailed at page 8 of the LNP’s election costings?

534 **MRS MILLER** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING AND PUBLIC WORKS (DR FLEGG)—
Will the Minister provide a month-by-month breakdown of vehicles purchased, leased or otherwise acquired or ordered by QFleet in 2011-12 and a month-by-month breakdown of vehicles acquired or ordered or planned to be acquired or ordered in 2012-13 categorised by the (a) department or agency to which each vehicle was or will be assigned, (b) vehicle class for each vehicle, (c) make and model of each vehicle, (d) participating dealership through which each vehicle was acquired or planned to be acquired and (e) main geographic location of each vehicle?

535 **MS TRAD** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (MR EMERSON)—
Will the Minister advise the (a) school zones earmarked for the installation of flashing light signs by the end of 2012 and (b) school zones earmarked for the installation of active signs, which flash a slow-down warning and reminder of the speed limit if a vehicle is detected travelling over said limit, by the end of 2012?

536 **MR BYRNE** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION, TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT (MR LANGBROEK)—
With reference to the cuts to the Skilling Queenslander for Work program—
Will the Minister advise (a) if all the associated programs have also been cut including the Participate in Prosperity program, Productivity Places program, Queensland’s Green Army, First Start program, Get Set for Work program, Indigenous Employment program, Community Literacy program and Youth Training Incentives, (b) which programs are still ongoing and (c) when funding will expire for each of these programs?

537 **MRS SCOTT** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR COMMUNITIES, CHILD SAFETY AND DISABILITY SERVICES (MS DAVIS)—
Will the Minister provide details of the number of people with a disability in Queensland who received funding support through the department, broken down by funding program, for 2011-12?
538 **MR KATTER** **ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (MR EMERSON)**—
Will the Minister commit to retaining the Main Roads workshop and depot in Winton and not make the mistake of the previous government when the same facilities were closed only to be reopened again?

539 **MR KNUTH** **ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE PROTECTION (MR POWELL)**—
When is the Minister going to rid Charters Towers of the bats as promised?

540 **DR ROBINSON** **ASKED THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY (MR MCVEIGH)**—
Will the Minister provide statistics of the shark control program that has been operating off the beaches of North Stradbroke Island for the past five years?

541 **MR WALKER** **ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (MR EMERSON)**—
With reference to the Klumpp Road park ‘n’ ride—
Will the Minister advise (a) how many services stop at the park ‘n’ ride, (b) what is the average number of passengers boarding per day and (c) what was the projected number of passengers per day, when the previous government committed to developing the park ‘n’ ride?

542 **MR WELLINGTON** **ASKED THE MINISTER FOR NATIONAL PARKS, RECREATION, SPORT AND RACING (MR DICKSON)**—
With reference to the Minister’s answer to Question on Notice No. 402 of 2012—
Does the Minister have any plans to extend horse riding trails, motor bike riding trails or public walking trails in the Mapleton National Park?

543 **MR JOHNSON** **ASKED THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY (MR MCVEIGH)**—
With reference to the extra biosecurity officers the LNP promised in the election platform initiatives—
Where will these officers be placed, in what professional areas and is there a time frame for placement of these positions?