the Family Responsibilities Commission Act 2008 for particular purposes. I table the bill and the explanatory notes. I nominate the Health and Community Services Committee to consider the bill.

Tabled paper: Family Responsibilities Commission Amendment Bill 2012.

Tabled paper: Family Responsibilities Commission Amendment Bill 2012, explanatory notes.

I am pleased to introduce a bill for an act to amend the Family Responsibilities Commission Act 2008 to ensure that the Cape York Welfare Reform Trial and the operations of the Family Responsibilities Commission are extended by a further 12 months. The trial commenced in 2008 in the four communities of Aurukun, Hope Vale, Coen and Mossman Gorge. The objectives of the trial are to: restore social norms and local authority; and change behaviours in response to chronic levels of welfare dependency, social dysfunction and economic exclusion in the four trial communities. An essential component of the trial is the Families Responsibilities Commission established under the act.

Question put That the debate be now adjourned.

Agreed.

Sitting suspended from 12.59 pm to 2.30 pm.

APPROPRIATION (PARLIAMENT) BILL

Message from Governor

Hon. TJ NICHOLLS (Clayfield—LNP) (Treasurer and Minister for Trade) (2.30 pm): I present a message from Her Excellency the Governor.

The Speaker read the following message—

MESSAGE

APPROPRIATION (PARLIAMENT) BILL 2012

Constitution of Queensland 2001, section 68

I, PENELOPE ANNE WENSLEY, Governor, recommend to the Legislative Assembly a Bill intituled—

A Bill for an Act authorising the Treasurer to pay amounts from the consolidated fund for the Legislative Assembly and parliamentary service for the financial years starting 1 July 2010, 1 July 2011, 1 July 2012 and 1 July 2013.

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GOVERNOR Date: 10 SEP 2012

Tabled paper: Message, dated 10 September 2012, recommending the Appropriation (Parliament) Bill 2012.

Introduction

Hon. TJ NICHOLLS (Clayfield—LNP) (Treasurer and Minister for Trade) (2.31 pm): I present a bill for an act authorising the Treasurer to pay amounts from the consolidated fund for the Legislative Assembly and Parliamentary Service for the financial years starting 1 July 2010, 1 July 2011, 1 July 2012 and 1 July 2013. I table the bill and the explanatory notes. I nominate the Committee of the Legislative Assembly to consider the bill.

Tabled paper: Appropriation (Parliament) Bill 2012.

Tabled paper: Appropriation (Parliament) Bill 2012, explanatory notes.

I introduce the Appropriation Bill for the Legislative Assembly and the Parliamentary Service, which provides appropriation for the 2012-13 Budget. The Bill combines both the appropriation for the 2012-13 Budget and supplementary appropriation for 2010-11 and 2011-12.

The Government remains committed to the independence of the Legislative Assembly and this extends to the means by which public moneys are appropriated to ensure its continued functioning.

We are therefore adhering to the recent convention that the Legislative Assembly's appropriation be contained in a Bill separate from the Appropriation Bill for the other activities of government.

The Appropriation (Parliament) Bill will provide the necessary funds to ensure the continued operations of the Legislative Assembly and Parliamentary Service.

These include advisory and information services to assist the Parliament, its Committees and Members to fulfil their constitutional and parliamentary responsibilities, the services provided by the Parliamentary Library, Committee Office, Parliamentary Reporting Service, Chamber and Procedural Services, and Security and Attendant Services as well as the provision of accommodation, hospitality and Members' entitlements.

Madam Speaker, as well as a change in government this year, 2012-13 sees the first full year of operation of the new committee system. Both these milestones have entailed additional expenditure. This Bill makes allowances for these changes while still addressing the government's fiscal repair and reform agenda.

First Reading

Hon. TJ NICHOLLS (Clayfield—LNP) (Treasurer and Minister for Trade) (2.33 pm): I move—

That the bill be now read a first time.

Question put—That the bill be now read a first time.

Motion agreed to.

Bill read a first time

Debate, on motion of Ms Palaszczuk, adjourned.

BUDGET PAPERS

Hon. TJ NICHOLLS (Clayfield—LNP) (Treasurer and Minister for Trade) (2.34 pm): Hay upon the table of the House the following documents: Budget Speech; Appropriation Bills Booklet; Budget Strategy and Outlook; Capital Statement; Budget Measures; Queensland State Budget 2012 13 at a Glance; Budget Highlights brochure; Service Delivery Statements, including statements for the Legislative Assembly of Queensland; and Regional Budget Statements.

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Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Budget Speech - Budget Paper No. 1
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Appropriation Bills
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Budget Strategy and Outlook Budget Paper No. 2
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Capital Statement Budget Paper No. 3
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Budget Measures - Budget Paper No. 4
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Queensland State Budget 2012-13 -- At a glance
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Highlights
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Service Delivery Statements—Department of the Premier and Cabinet, Office of the Governor, Public Service Commission, Queensland Audit Office
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Service Delivery Statements — Queensland Treasury and Trade
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Service Delivery Statements Legislative Assembly of Queensland
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Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Service Delivery Statements—Department of Housing and Public Works
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Service Delivery Statements Department of Justice and Attorney-General, Electoral Commission of Queensland, Office of the Ombudsman, Public Trust Office
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Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Service Delivery Statements - Department of Transport and Main Roads
Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Regional Budget Statement—Brisbane
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Tabled paper: State Budget 2012-13: Regional Budget Statement - Darling Downs
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