NOTICE PAPER
for
THURSDAY, 10 AUGUST 2006

The House meets this day at 9.30 am

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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 31 August 2004 (as amended 22 February 2005). The program is subject to change at any time by resolution of the House.

9.30am – 10.30am—
Prayers
Messages from the Governor
Matters concerning Privilege
Speaker’s Statements
Motions of Condolence
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
Debating of Committee Reports
Notices of Motion (including motions for debate from 5.30pm to 6.30pm on Wednesday)
Private Members’ Bills (Introductions)
Private Members’ Statements

10.30am – 11.30am—
Question Time

11.30am – 1.00pm—
Government Business

1.00 pm to 2.30 pm—
Lunch break

2.30pm until such time as the Leader of the House moves the Adjournment of the House—
Government Business

After Government Business—
Adjournment Debate for 30 minutes

Possible future sitting days — *

February - 14, 15, 16, 28
March - 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 28, 29, 30
April - 19, 20, 21
May - 9, 10, 11, 23, 24, 25, 26
June - 6, 7, 8, 9
August - 8, 9, 10, 22, 23, 24
September – 19, 20, 21
October – 10, 11, 12, 24, 25, 26
November – 21, 22, 23

* These are indicative dates only and are subject to change.
GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

ORDERS OF THE DAY

1. **APPROPRIATION (PARLIAMENT) BILL** AND **APPROPRIATION BILL**
   (Explanatory Note)
   Introduced by: Deputy Premier, Treasurer and Minister for State Development, Trade and Innovation (Ms Bligh)
   Date introduced: 6 June 2006 (Hansard p.2194)
   Dates debated: 8 June 2006 (Hansard p.2336)
   9 June 2006 (Hansard p.2336)
   9 August 2006 (Hansard p.2694)
   Status: Further consideration of the Bills in detail and consideration of Estimates Committee Reports.

2. **CRIME AND MISCONDUCT AND OTHER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL**
   (Explanatory Note)
   Introduced by: Minister for Justice and Attorney-General (Mrs Lavarch)
   Date introduced: 19 April 2006 (Hansard p.1165)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

3. **FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE AMENDMENT BILL**
   (Explanatory Note)
   Introduced by: Minister for Emergency Services (Mr Purcell)
   Date introduced: 21 April 2006 (Hansard p.1369)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

4. **CONSTITUTIONAL AND OTHER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL**
   (Explanatory Note)
   Introduced by: Premier and Treasurer (Mr Beattie)
   Date introduced: 23 August 2005 (Hansard 2005, p.2576)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

5. **COMMUNITY SERVICES BILL**
   (Explanatory Note)
   Introduced by: Minister for Communities, Disability Services and Seniors (Mr Pitt)
   Date introduced: 6 June 2006 (Hansard p.2190)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

6. **STATUTE LAW (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) BILL**
   Introduced by: Minister for Public Works, Housing and Racing (Mr Schwarten)
   Date introduced: 23 May 2006 (Hansard p. 1792)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

7. **PRIMARY INDUSTRIES LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL**
   (Explanatory Note)
   Introduced by: Minister for Primary Industries and Fisheries (Mr Mulherin)
   Date introduced: 6 June 2006 (Hansard p.2192)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.
8. **ENERGY ASSETS (RESTRUCTURING AND DISPOSAL) BILL**

   Introduced by: Deputy Premier, Treasurer and Minister for State Development, Trade and Innovation (Ms Bligh)
   Date introduced: 8 August 2006 (Hansard p.2594)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

9. **NATURE CONSERVATION AMENDMENT BILL**

   Introduced by: Minister for Environment, Local Government, Planning and Women (Ms Boyle)
   Date introduced: 8 August 2006 (Hansard p.2596)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

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**GENERAL BUSINESS**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

1. **LIQUOR (EVIDENCE ON APPEALS) AMENDMENT BILL**

   Introduced by: Member for Nicklin (Mr Wellington)
   Date introduced: 21 April 2006 (Hansard p.1352)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

2. **WHISTLEBLOWERS PROTECTION AMENDMENT BILL**

   Introduced by: Leader of the Opposition (Mr Springborg)
   Date introduced: 7 June 2006 (Hansard p.2216)
   Status: Resumption of second reading debate.

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**PANEL OF TEMPORARY SPEAKERS**

Ms Barry, Mr English, Mr Hoolihan, Ms Jarratt, Mr Lee, Ms Male, Mr O’Brien and Mr Wallace
QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

The following questions were asked on Wednesday, 9 August 2006. In accordance with the Standing Orders, answers are required by email to TableOffice@parliament.qld.gov.au by Friday, 8 September 2006.

1150 MRS SULLIVAN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENERGY AND MINISTER FOR ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER POLICY (MR MICKEL)—
How will the new Energex substations at Morayfield and Ningi benefit residents in the Pumicestone Electorate?

1151 MR LIVINGSTONE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR BARTON)—
What incentives is the State Government offering to promote the uptake of apprenticeships and traineeships in the Ipswich West Electorate?

1152 MR MCARDLE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND ATTORNEY-GENERAL (MRS LAVARCH)—
With reference to the Public Trustee of Queensland—
(1) What is the current value of the Public Trustee investment fund?
(2) What is the number of investors in the fund each year since 1996, each year reported separately?
(3) What is the administrative cost of managing the fund, including charges levied for each year since 1996, each year reported separately?
(4) What is the return on investments of the Public Trustee investment funds for each of the past four years?

1153 MRS E CUNNINGHAM ASKED THE MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND ATTORNEY-GENERAL (MRS LAVARCH)—
With reference to the Office of Births, Deaths and Marriages—
(1) What were staffing levels for this office in June 2000 and June 2006?
(2) With legislation passed in relation to change of name certificates and stated migration levels to Queensland, what additional staff positions have been allocated to accommodate the increased workload?

1154 MR ROBERTS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR BARTON)—
Will he outline which elements of the Queensland Skills Plan will be of most benefit to constituents and businesses in the Nudgee Electorate?

1155 MR ROGERS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS, HOUSING AND RACING (MR SCHWARTEN)—
With reference to public housing properties in the State—
How many of the 48,616 homes have hardwired smoke alarms installed and for those without alarms installed will he advise what date this procedure is due to be completed?

1156 MS STONE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR CHILD SAFETY (MR REYNOLDS)—
With reference to the CMC reforms which require a range of legislative reforms to be implemented—
How will the latest legislative reforms benefit children in care?
MR HAYWARD ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (MR LUCAS)—
When are the six lanes from Boundary Road to New Settlement Road, Burpengary due to be opened?

MRS STUCKEY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND MINISTER FOR THE ARTS (MR WELFORD)—
With reference to Question on Notice 992 regarding the site of the Coolangatta Special School atop Kirra Hill—
(1) What is the time frame for the Kirra Hill site to be officially gazetted to the Gold Coast City Council (GCCC) as trustee?
(2) Will there be a security management plan to keep the site secure and what will this entail?
(3) What were the terms and conditions of the $30,000 given to the GCCC to use on development of a master plan of the school site?
(4) Will the State Government be removing the unwanted school buildings (not the main building) prior to handing over the site to GCCC?
(5) Are there any State Government funds to assist with renovation of the main school building and the removal of the unwanted buildings?

MR FINN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT, PLANNING AND WOMEN (MS BOYLE)—
(1) What funding programs does her department offer local governments to assist with flood mitigation?
(2) Will she provide the details of any current applications or successful grant applications since November 2004 to address flooding issues affecting my electorate of Yeerongpilly, and particularly the suburb of Rocklea?

MR WALLACE ASKED THE PREMIER (MR BEATTIE)—
With reference to Thuringowa’s Riverway project which he opened last month—
Will he outline the benefits Riverway will bring to the residents of Thuringowa?

MR CALTABIANO ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (MR LUCAS)—
Will he provide details of State road funding, by year, for 1998 to 2006, that has been provided to Brisbane City Council to support much needed local arterial road network upgrades in the south eastern suburbs of Brisbane?

MR LAWLOR ASKED THE MINISTER FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND FISHERIES (MR MULHERIN)—
What progress has been made in the international marketing of the dinosaur tree, the Wollemi Pine, and what is the future outlook for this venture?

MRS PRATT ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES (MR PURCELL)—
With reference to the loss or damage to ambulance property—
(1) How many ambulances have received damage from vandalism and/or attempted break in?
(2) What is the total $ loss in equipment/vehicles and/or personal property of ambulance personnel who house vehicles on their private property?
(3) How many injuries have occurred to ambulance personnel since 2000, per year, to date?
(4) What security measures have been adopted by Queensland State Emergency Services for ‘on call’ ambulance personnel to secure the security of the ambulance/drugs and the family and do these measures comply with workplace health and safety?
MR HOOLIHAN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND FISHERIES (MR MULHERIN)—
How is the Department of Primary Industries and Fisheries protecting Queensland from the threat of exotic fruit fly entering from Torres Strait?

MR WELLINGTON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MR ROBERTSON)—
With reference to the Nambour Hospital—
As at the date of asking this question, how many vacancies exist in full time or part time positions at the Nambour Hospital and by way of comparison, what was the comparative list of vacancies for full time or part time vacancies at the Nambour Hospital last year?

MS NELSON-CARR ASKED THE MINISTER FOR COMMUNITIES, DISABILITY SERVICES AND SENIORS (MR PITT)—
With reference to applications that are now being called for funding under the Building Supportive Communities Program to encourage action from non-government organisations on disability awareness issues—
What type of projects could expect to be put forward for grant consideration?

MRS SCOTT ASKED THE MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS, HOUSING AND RACING (MR SCHWARTEN)—
How successful has the Brisbane Housing Company been?

MR SPRINGBORG ASKED THE MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND ATTORNEY-GENERAL (MRS LAVARCH)—
With reference to accessing court files and transcripts recorded at Queensland Magistrates Courts—
(1) Why, unlike the Supreme and District Court are the files of Magistrates Court proceedings not available for public inspection?
(2) Does her department intend to extend the ‘Queensland eCourts’ internet database to the proceedings being dealt with in the State’s Magistrates Courts?
(3) Why does an urgent request for a transcript from the Magistrates Court generally take between four to six weeks to be delivered?

MR SEENEY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT, PLANNING AND WOMEN (MS BOYLE)—
With reference to properties acquired by departments and agencies within her portfolio during 2005-06—
(1) Will she provide a list of which properties were acquired and the individual cost (reported separately)?
(2) What is the cost of maintaining these properties?
(3) Who acted as the agent or legal advisor in respect of the purchase?

MR COPELAND ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND MINISTER FOR THE ARTS (MR WELFORD)—
With reference to 2006-07 Ministerial Program Statements where it is reported that in 2005-06 the actual number of students with disabilities in Queensland special schools or state schools was 16,977 students with disabilities in our State Schools and to MPS 1-39 where it is reported that one of the achievements of his department was employing an additional three therapists, bringing the total number of speech and language therapists employed by Education Queensland last budgetary year to 129—
(1) How many (and what percentage) of those 16,977 students with disabilities enrolled last budgetary year had disabilities requiring speech and language therapy?
(2) Will he advise whether, given that enrolments are expected to reach 17,700 [MPS 1-41], his department will employ further speech and language therapists during 2006-07 to improve student’s already over-stretched access to therapy?

(3) How many additional therapists will his department employ?

(4) Where will those therapists be located?

(5) How will he improve access to such therapy for students in regional and rural Queensland?

1171 DR DOUGLAS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR COMMUNITIES, DISABILITY SERVICES AND SENIORS (MR PITT)—

(1) What strategy does his department have to assist people with a disability who do not have carers and who live in boarding houses, supported accommodation and aged rental accommodation?

(2) What is the estimated number of people with a disability who do not have a carer and how is the department endeavouring to meet the needs of these people?

1172 MR HOBBS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR COMMUNITIES, DISABILITY SERVICES AND SENIORS (MR PITT)—

With reference to the funding provided by the Department of Communities to Community Care Incorporated (CCI) formally Logan West Community Centre—

(1) Will he release all audit reports done in the last five years on this organisation?

(2) Will he provide details of the complaints which have been received in relation to CCI and what action his department has taken to address these complaints?

1173 MR HOPPER ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR BARTON)—

With reference to the significant numbers of senior TAFE teaching staff approaching retirement age—

What strategies is the Department of Employment and Training utilizing to attract and retain experienced, professionally qualified TAFE teachers in the numbers which will be required to meet the growing needs of the sector in the coming years?

1174 MR HORAN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT, PLANNING AND WOMEN (MS BOYLE)—

With reference to Question on Notice No.1069 of 2005 which indicated that EPA expenditure on pest management in the north fell from $1.6m to $1.492m and weed management fell from $982,000 to $910,000 in the north—

Will she provide a reason why the funding was decreased in light of the serious threats imposed by pest and weeds to primary industries, considering that North Queensland accounts for over 60 per cent of our export industry?

1175 MR JOHNSON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR POLICE AND CORRECTIVE SERVICES (MS SPENCE)—

With reference to the growing recognition of the importance of community based corrections orders as an alternative to custodial intervention—

Will she explain the declining financial value in recent years of court ordered community service work as evidenced in the 2006-07 Ministerial Portfolio Statements?

1176 MR KNUTH ASKED THE MINISTER FOR POLICE AND CORRECTIVE SERVICES (MS SPENCE)—

With reference to the Premier’s Road Safety Summit convened in February 2006 which highlighted the increasing incidence of road trauma in Queensland and, in particular, looked at innovative countermeasures to target the repeat offenders, or ‘tough nuts’ within our motoring community and as one of the measures sometimes used by these ‘tough nuts’ is an electronic device designed to
detect a police radar and thereby give an early warning to a speeding motorist and as I understand
that the Police Service have a device called Spectre III which can detect when these devices are
in use and I am advised that there is a device produced by a local company, Australian Radar
Detection Services Pty Ltd which cannot be detected by the current equipment used by the
police—
Is she aware of this and has she taken any action to look into the legality of this particular device?

1177 **MR LANGBROEK ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL
RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR BARTON)—**
With reference to the completion rate for apprenticeships which for a number of years now has
remained fairly static at around 55 to 65 per cent—
Will his department be aiming to set a higher performance target than this, given our current skills
shortage and the additional resources which the Government is claiming it will be injecting into the
TAFE system?

1178 **MR MALONE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES (MR PURCELL)—**
(1) What was the cost to his department of the Inter-Agency Agreement between Queensland
Health and the Department of Emergency Services for each of the past two financial years and
what is the expected cost per year following the finalised agreement?
(2) What is the success of this program to service delivery and patient transfer protocols?

1179 **MRS MENKENS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT,
PLANNING AND WOMEN (MS BOYLE)—**
With reference to improving the safety of women in the community—
(1) What lobbying to local governments and other agencies of Government has The Office for
Women undertaken to improve the safety conditions for women in their local areas (eg.
improved street lighting and safer public transportation facilities)?
(2) What programs have been implemented to provide safety for women in their local areas?
(3) Have these programs referred to in (2) above been costed; if so, what are the costs of each of
the programs (reported separately) referred to in (2) above?

1180 **MR MESSENGER ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT, LOCAL GOVERNMENT,
PLANNING AND WOMEN (MS BOYLE)—**
With reference to the recently held *Earth Dialogues Brisbane 2006: A World Forum for Resource
Management and Sustainable Development*, which featured the former President of the USSR
Mikhail Gorbachev, Noble Peace Laureates and experts on sustainability and as this event was
funded and promoted as a signature event of the 2006 Brisbane Festival—
Why was this event funded through the Arts portfolio when clearly the event was one which would
mainly concern the Environmental Protection Agency?

1181 **MR RICKUSS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL
RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR BARTON)—**
With reference to the operation of the 1300 Hotline established as part of the “Fair Go Queensland
Advisory Service”—
What resources has his department devoted to this telephone service and what are the
qualifications and training of staff giving industrial advice through the service?

1182 **MR ROWELL ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MR ROBERTSON)—**
With reference to community consultation and preliminary planning for the $30m Ingham Hospital
complex which is well advanced with construction commencing before the end of the year—
(1) Will he confirm that, amongst the normal outpatients’ theatre complex and the appropriate
facilities, a maternity ward will be included in the completed facility?
(2) Will he also confirm that, along with a facility for General Practitioners, a 34 bed hospital complex which can be expanded to 44 beds, should the need arise, will be a commitment for the new hospital?

(3) What will be the time frame for commencement of construction, and when will it be completed?

1183 MISS SIMPSON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR BARTON)—

With reference to the minor refurbishments and replacements which were undertaken within the offices of the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission towards the end of the last financial year and as certain items of equipment were replaced during this process—

Will he advise how the old items were disposed of and whether such disposals were undertaken in accordance with approved Government policy?

1184 MR LINGARD ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR BARTON)—

Will he provide a copy of the relocation timetable for trades from the Park Road Yeronga Campus?

1185 DR FLEGG ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MR ROBERTSON)—

With reference to the issuing of dental vouchers (vouchers issued to dental patients to obtain private treatment)—

(1) Will he detail how many dental vouchers have been issued to public dental clinics across the State for the last three years listed separately?

(2) What is the total dollar value attached to each dental voucher?

(3) Are treatments provided by voucher counted as dental clinic treatments as referred to in the table in the Ministerial Portfolio Statement?

ESTIMATES COMMITTEES

The following are the Estimates Committees appointed by the 51st Parliament by resolution of the House on 21 April 2006. For further details, please visit www.parliament.qld.gov.au/committees

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE A

Members
Ms Nolan (Chair), Mr Briskey, Mr Langbroek, Mr Quinn, Mr Springborg, Mr Reeves and Mr Wallace

Organisational Units
- Office of the Governor
- Legislative Assembly
- Queensland Audit Office
- Commissioner for Children and Young People
- Public Service Commissioner

Ministerial Portfolios
- Premier
- Deputy Premier, Treasurer and Minister for State Development, Trade and Innovation
- Minister for Public Works, Housing and Racing

Hearing Date
Tuesday, 11 July 2006

Reports
Report No 1 of 2006 (Tabled 7 August 2006)
Report No 2 of 2006 (Tabled 7 August 2006)
ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B

Members
Mr McNamara (Chair), Ms Croft, Mrs E Cunningham, Dr Flegg, Mrs Menkens, Mrs Smith and Ms Stone

Ministerial Portfolios
- Minister for Health
- Minister for Child Safety
- Minister for Police and Corrective Services

Hearing Date
Wednesday, 12 July 2006

Report
Report 2006 (Tabled 7 August 2006)

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE C

Members
Mr Finn (Chair), Mr Caltabiano, Mr English, Mr Foley, Mr O’Brien, Mrs Stuckey and Mr Wilson

Ministerial Portfolios
- Minister for Transport and Main Roads
- Minister for Employment, Training and Industrial Relations and Minister for Sport
- Minister for Tourism, Fair Trading and Wine Industry Development

Hearing Date
Thursday, 13 July 2006

Report
Report 2006 (Tabled 7 August 2006)

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE D

Members
Mrs Reilly (Chair), Mr Lingard, Mr Livingstone, Ms Male, Mr Malone, Mrs Pratt and Mrs Scott

Ministerial Portfolios
- Minister for Energy and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy
- Minister for Emergency Services

Hearing Date
Friday, 14 July 2006

Report
Report 2006 (Tabled 7 August 2006)

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE E

Members
Mr Lee (Chair), Mr Copeland, Ms Jarratt, Mr Messenger, Ms Molloy, Mr Pearce and Mr Wellington

Ministerial Portfolios
- Minister for Education and Minister for the Arts
- Minister for Environment, Local Government, Planning and Women

Hearing Date
Tuesday, 18 July 2006

Report
Report 2006 (Tabled 3 August 2006)

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE F

Members
Mr Choi (Chair), Ms E Clark, Mr Hobbs, Mr Hoolihan, Mr McArdle, Miss Simpson and Mr Wells

Ministerial Portfolios
- Attorney-General and Minister for Justice
- Minister for Communities, Disability Services and Seniors
- Minister for Small Business, Information Technology Policy and Multicultural Affairs

Hearing Date
Wednesday, 19 July 2006

Report
Report 2006 (Tabled 7 August 2006)

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE G

Members
Mrs Attwood (Chair), Mr Hayward, Mr Horan, Ms Lee Long, Mr Lawlor, Mr Seeney and Mrs Sullivan

Ministerial Portfolios
- Minister for Natural Resources, Mines and Water
- Minister for Primary Industries and Fisheries

Hearing Date
Thursday, 20 July 2006

Report
Report 2006 (Tabled 7 August 2006)
PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

The following are the committees appointed by the 51st Parliament, their membership, current inquiries and reports and papers tabled. For further details, please visit www.parliament.qld.gov.au/committees

LEGAL, CONSTITUTIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW COMMITTEE

Members
Dr L Clark (Chair), Mr McNamara, Mr Lee, Mr Hoolihan, Mr Hopper, Miss Simpson, Mr McArdle

Current Inquiries
- Voices and Votes – An Inquiry into young people engaging in democracy in Queensland
- Accessibility of Administrative Justice
- Inquiry into certain contemporary electoral issues, including—
  - Proportional representation and/or mixed member electorates for state and local government elections;
  - Electronic voting, with regard to improving access to democracy for rural and regional Queenslanders and Queenslanders with disabilities; and
  - Certain reforms, including amendments to the Electoral Act 1992 (Qld), arising out of the Electoral Commission Queensland’s Evaluation of the 2004 State General Election.

Discussion Papers
- The accessibility of administrative justice (Tabled 1 December 2005)

Issues Paper
- A preamble for the Queensland Constitution? (Tabled 17 June 2004)

Reports
- Report No. 44 - Meeting with the Queensland Ombudsman - 11 May 2004 (Tabled 17 June 2004)
- Report No. 48 – Publication of Committee Proceedings (Tabled 10 March 2005)
- Report No. 49 – Meeting with the Queensland Ombudsman (24 May 2005); meeting with the Queensland Information Commissioner (24 May 2005); and report on matters raised in a Ministerial Statement by the Premier and Minister for Trade on 23 March 2005 (Tabled 9 June 2005)
- Report No. 50 – Constitutional and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2005 (Qld) (Tabled 28 September 2005)
- Report No. 52 – Meeting with the Queensland Ombudsman; Meeting with the Queensland Information Commissioner – 29 November 2005 (Tabled 21 December 2005)
- Report No. 53 – Meeting with the Queensland Ombudsman; Meeting with the Queensland Information Commissioner on 23 May 2006 (Tabled 14 June 2006)

MEMBERS’ ETHICS AND PARLIAMENTARY PRIVILEGES COMMITTEE

Members
Mrs Atwood (Chair), Mr Wells, Mrs Scott, Mr Finn, Mr Horan, Mr Messenger, Ms Lee Long

Current Inquiries
- A review of the Legislative Assembly’s power to deal with contempt arising from section 39 of the Parliament of Queensland Act 2001
- Matter referred on 16 February 2006 relating to matters of privilege arising from a report of the Crime and Misconduct Commission

Code of Ethical Standards

Information Notices
- Notice No. 1A of 2004 : Standing Order No. 262 (Tabled 4 October 2004)
- Notice No. 1 of 2005 : Standing Order No. 260 (Tabled 8 June 2005)
- Notice No. 2 of 2005 : Reflections on the Chair (Tabled 6 December 2005)
- Notice No. 1 of 2006 : Reflections on the Chair (Tabled 9 May 2006)

Information Paper

Reports
- Report No. 64 – Report on an examination of the appropriate scope of provisions on members transacting business with an entity of the State, and related matters (Tabled 9 July 2004)
PARLIAMENTARY CRIME AND MISCONDUCT COMMITTEE

Members
Mr Wilson (Chair), Mr Choi, Mr English, Ms Molloy, Mr Hobbs, Mr Copeland, Mrs E Cunningham

Reports
- Report No. 66 — A report on a review by the Parliamentary Crime and Misconduct Commissioner of the actions of the Crime and Misconduct Commission in its investigation of the theft of money from a safe at the Maroochydore Police Station (Tabled 23 March 2005)
- Report No. 67 — A report on an examination by the Parliamentary Crime and Misconduct Commissioner of the Crime and Misconduct Commission’s investigation into an offer made by the Premier of Queensland to the Palm Island Aboriginal Council (Tabled 28 May 2005)
- Report No. 70 — A report on a complaint by the Honourable Gordon Nuttall MP (Tabled 9 May 2006)

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

Members
Mr Fenlon (Chair), Mr Nuttall, Ms Jarratt, Mr Wallace, Mr Rowell, Mrs Menkens, Mr Langbroek

Current Inquiry
- Government Financial Reporting

Discussion Paper

Reports
- Report No. 71 — Reports of the Auditor-General, 1 July - 31 December 2005 (Tabled 25 May 2006)

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Members
Mr Livingstone (Chair), Ms Stone, Ms Male, Mr Lingard, Mr Malone, Mr O’Brien, Miss E Roberts

Current Inquiries
- The Sir David Longland Correctional Centre project
- The Roma Street Fire and Ambulance Station project

Reports
- Report No. 84 — Construction of a new government office building at 33 Charlotte Street, Brisbane (Tabled 20 May 2004)
- Report No. 85 — The Upper Coomera State College (Stage One) (Tabled 19 August 2004)
- Report No. 86 — The Great Walks of Queensland Project (Tabled 29 September 2004)
- Report No. 87 — Queensland Rail Coal Electric Locomotives Upgrade Project (Stage 1) (Tabled 10 March 2005)
- Report No. 88 — Ayr Hospital Redevelopment (Tabled 9 June 2005)
- Report No. 89 — Redevelopment of the Mabuiag Island Primary Health Care Centre (Tabled 24 November 2005)
• Report No. 90 – Redevelopment of the Iama (Yam) Island Primary Health Care Centre (Tabled 24 November 2005)
• Report No. 91 – Redevelopment of the Moa Island (Kubin Community) Primary Health Care Centre (Tabled 24 November 2005)
• Report No. 92 – Erub (Darnley) Island Primary Health Care Centre (Tabled 1 December 2005)
• Report No. 93 – Warraber (Sue) Island Primary Health Care Centre (Tabled 1 December 2005)
• Report No. 94 – The Weipa Health Precinct (Tabled 1 December 2005)

SCRUTINY OF LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Members
Mr Hayward (Chair), Ms Barry, Mrs Sullivan, Mr Lawlor, Mr Johnson, Mrs Stuckey, Mr Wellington

Current Inquiry
• Consideration of the application of fundamental legislative principles to the Transport Infrastructure Amendment Bill

Alert Digests 2004
• No. 1 of 2004 (Tabled 20 April 2004)
• No. 2 of 2004 (Tabled 11 May 2004)
• No. 3 of 2004 (Tabled 16 June 2004)
• No. 4 of 2004 (Tabled 17 August 2004)
• No. 5 of 2004 (Tabled 31 August 2004)
• No. 6 of 2004 (Tabled 28 September 2004)
• No. 7 of 2004 (Tabled 19 October 2004)
• No. 8 of 2004 (Tabled 9 November 2004)
• No. 9 of 2004 (Tabled 23 November 2004)

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