



Speech by

# Hon. Robert Swarten

MEMBER FOR ROCKHAMPTON

Hansard Wednesday, 11 October 2006

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## PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

### Appointments

**Hon. RE SCHWARTEN** (Rockhampton—ALP) (Leader of the House) (9.40 am), by leave, without notice: I move—

That for this session unless otherwise ordered, and notwithstanding anything contained in the standing orders, the appointment of members to parliamentary committees and the appointment of the Select Committee on Travelsafe circulated in my name be adopted.

#### PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES FOR THE 52nd PARLIAMENT—APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS

That members be appointed to parliamentary committees as follows—

Legal, Constitutional and Administrative Review Committee—

Mrs Reilly (Chair), Mr Cripps, Ms Darling, Mrs Kiernan, Ms Lee Long, Mr Nicholls, Mr Wettenhall

Members' Ethics and Parliamentary Privileges Committee—

Mr Hinchliffe (Chair), Mr Gray, Mr Horan, Mrs Miller, Mrs Pratt, Mr Springborg, Mr Wells

Parliamentary Crime and Misconduct Committee—

Mr Hoolihan (Chair), Mrs Cunningham, Mr Dempsey, Mr Finn, Mr Hobbs, Mrs Smith, Mr Weightman

Public Accounts Committee—

Mr Hayward (Chair), Mr English, Mr Gibson, Mr Langbroek, Mr Lawlor, Ms Male, Mr Johnson

Public Works Committee—

Ms Stone (Chair), Mr Copeland, Mr Hopper, Mr O'Brien, Mr Lingard, Ms Palaszczuk, Mr Wendt

Scrutiny of Legislation Committee—

Mrs Sullivan (Chair), Ms Croft, Ms Jones, Mr Moorhead, Mr Stevens, Mrs Stuckey, Mr Wellington

Standing Orders Committee—

Mr Speaker (ex officio) (Chair), Mr Beattie, Ms Bligh, Mr Swarten, Mr Seeney, Miss Simpson, Mr Lingard

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#### SELECT COMMITTEE ON TRAVELSAFE FOR THE 52ND PARLIAMENT—APPOINTMENT AND MEMBERSHIP

That—

- (1) A select committee, to be known as the Select Committee on Travelsafe, be appointed to inquire into and report on all aspects of road safety and public transport in Queensland. In particular the Committee shall monitor, investigate and report on-
  - (a) issues affecting road safety including the causes of road crashes and measures aimed at reducing deaths, injuries and economic costs to the community;
  - (b) the safety of passenger transport services, and measures aimed at reducing the incidence of related deaths and injuries; and
  - (c) measures for the enhancement of public transport in Queensland and reducing dependence on private motor vehicles as the predominant mode of transport.

- (2) The committee consist of Mr Pearce (Chair), Mr Bombolas, Mr Elmes, Mr Foley, Ms van Litsenburg, Mr Malone, Mrs Scott.
- (3) The committee have power to call for persons, documents and other things notwithstanding any prorogation of the Parliament.
- (4) The committee may examine witnesses on oath or affirmation.
- (5) A quorum consists of four members of the committee.
- (6) The Chair of the committee, or the Deputy Chair when acting as Chair, shall have a deliberative vote and in the event of an equality of votes shall also have a casting vote.
- (7) As soon as practicable after the end of each year ending 30 June the committee shall prepare a report on the operations of the committee during that year.
- (8) The foregoing provisions of this resolution, so far as they may be inconsistent with the standing orders, have effect notwithstanding anything contained in the standing orders.

Motion agreed to.