



Speech By  
**Hon. Stirling Hinchliffe**


**MEMBER FOR SANDGATE**

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**WATER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL; ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
(UNDERGROUND WATER MANAGEMENT) AND OTHER LEGISLATION  
AMENDMENT BILL**

**Cognate Debate**

 **Hon. SJ HINCHLIFFE** (Sandgate—ALP) (Leader of the House) (2.43 pm), by leave, without notice: I move—

That:

- in accordance with standing order 172, the Water Legislation Amendment Bill and the Environmental Protection (Underground Water Management) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill be treated as cognate bills for their remaining stages, as follows:
  - (a) second reading debate, with separate questions being put in regard to the second readings;
  - (b) the consideration of the bills in detail together; and
  - (c) separate questions being put for the third readings and long titles.
- notwithstanding anything contained in the standing and sessional orders:
  - (a) the time limits and order for moving the second readings shall be: the Minister for State Development and Minister for Natural Resources and Mines—60 minutes, followed by the Minister for Environment and Heritage Protection and Minister for National Parks and the Great Barrier Reef—60 minutes; followed by the Leader of the Opposition or nominees—60 minutes (each bill); and
  - (b) the time limits and order for reply to the second readings debate shall be: Minister for State Development and Minister for Natural Resources and Mines—30 minutes, followed by the Minister for Environment and Heritage Protection and Minister for National Parks and the Great Barrier Reef—30 minutes.

Question put—That the motion be agreed to.

Motion agreed to.