



Speech By
Hon. Yvette D'Ath

MEMBER FOR REDCLIFFE

Record of Proceedings, 12 October 2021

MOTION

Business Program



Hon. YM D'ATH (Redcliffe—ALP) (Leader of the House) (12.18 pm): I move—

1. That the following business will be considered this sitting week, with the nominated maximum periods of time as specified:
 - (a) the Housing and Other Legislation Amendment Bill a maximum of 6½ hours to complete all stages; and
 - (b) the Resources and Other Legislation Amendment Bill a maximum of 3½ hours to complete all stages; and
2. The following time limits for the bill listed in 1. apply:
 - (a) the minister to be called on in reply by 30 minutes before the expiry of the maximum period of time.
3. If all stages of a bill listed in 1. have not been completed within the maximum period of time specified in 1., or any bill listed in 1. has not completed all stages by 5.55 pm on Thursday, 14 October 2021, Mr Speaker:
 - (a) shall call on a minister to table any explanatory notes to their circulated amendments, any statement of compatibility with human rights or any statement relating to an override declaration
 - (b) shall put all remaining questions necessary to pass the bills without further debate
 - (c) may interrupt non-specified business or debate on a bill or motion to complete the requirements of the motion
 - (d) will complete all stages required by this motion notwithstanding anything contained in standing and sessional orders.

Mr Bleijie: This is what I live for!

Mrs D'ATH: I take that interjection. In speaking very briefly to this motion, I have proposed that we have 6½ hours debate on the Housing and Other Legislation Amendment Bill and 3½ hours debate on the Resources and Other Legislation Amendment Bill, allowing 30 minutes on both bills for the minister to be called in reply and also for consideration in detail. In moving this motion, I believe that it is a sensible and efficient way of moving through the work of the parliament but debating important bills before the parliament this week. I ask that members support the motion.