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MOTION

Progressive Coal Royalties

 **Mr POWELL** (Glass House—LNP) (12.21 pm): Let's see if those opposite are genuine about getting an answer on coal royalties in this House today. If they are, they will support the amendment moved by the member for Toowoomba South because it maintains all of the substantial components of the Treasurer's motion around coal royalties. If they do not support our amendment, it shows the people of Queensland that this is nothing more than politics. I repeat: this is nothing more than politics. This is about condemning members of the LNP for things that have not even occurred. If they are genuine about getting an answer out of this House yet again, they will support the LNP's amendment. I suspect that they will not.

I remind those opposite that we did not support yesterday's business program motion because we knew that those opposite would pull stunts like this. Yet again we have been proven right and, therefore, we will continue to not support business program motions.