NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Meeting Number 35
Thursday 2 December 2021

1. MEETING
The Assembly met at 10.00. The Speaker, the Honourable Ngaree Ah Kit, presided.

2. PRAYERS

3. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY
Ms Lawler delivered the acknowledgement of country on behalf of the Assembly.

4. PAPERS TABLED
Mr Maley (Member of the Committee of Privileges) tabled the following papers and made a statement:

1. Committee of Privileges Report on Referral Regarding a Statement by the Member for Blain (Paper 417)
2. Associated Minutes of Proceedings, Committee of Privileges Report on Referral Regarding a Statement by the Member for Blain (Paper 418).

Mr Gunner (Chief Minister), pursuant to Standing Order 45 moved that the Member for Nelson no longer be heard.

Question put.

The Assembly divided:

Ayes 13	**Noes 8**
Mr Bowden	Ms Boothby
Mr Costa	Mr Burgoyne
Ms Fyles	Mr Edgington
Mr Gunner	Mrs Finocchiaro
Mr Kirby	Mrs Hersey
Ms Lawler	Mrs Lambley
Mrs Manison	Mr Maley
Mr Monaghan	Mr Yan
Ms Moss	
Mr Paech	
Ms Uibo	
Mrs Worden	
Mr Young	

Motion agreed to.

5. JABIRU TOWN DEVELOPMENT REPEAL BILL 2021 (SERIAL 33)

Resumption of debate on the question that Bill be read a second time.

Mr Edgington.

Exclusion from Chamber: The Speaker ordered Mr Maley to leave the Chamber for one hour pursuant to Standing Order 49.

Mrs Manison, Ms Uibo, Ms Purick, Mr Monaghan, Mr Young, Mr Gunner.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

The Assembly resolved to consider the Bill in detail.

Debate suspended.

Suspension of Meeting: The meeting of the Assembly was suspended between 11.58 and 14.04

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6. NOTICE

The following notice was given:

Mr Maley (Member for Nelson) will move on the next General Business Day that:

> The Assembly takes note of the Privileges Committee Report of the Referral Regarding a Statement by the Member for Blain.

7. QUESTIONS

14.05 Mrs Finocchiaro to Mr Gunner
14.10 Mr Monaghan to Mr Gunner
14.13 Mr Maley to Mr Gunner
14.18 Mr Bowden to Mrs Manison
14.21 Mr Yan to Ms Fyles
14.25 Mr Young to Ms Lawler
14.29 Mr Burgoyne to Mrs Worden
14.33 Mr Bowden to Ms Moss
14.37 Mr Edgington to Ms Uibo
14.41 Mr Young to Mr Kirby
14.45 Mr Guyula to Mrs Worden
14.48 Ms Boothby to Mrs Manison

Exclusion from Chamber: The Speaker ordered Ms Boothby to leave the Chamber for one hour pursuant to Standing Order 49.

14.54 Mr Costa to Mrs Worden
14.57 Mrs Hersey to Ms Moss
15.03 Mr Young to Mr Paech

Ms Fyles (Leader of Government Business) asked that further questions be placed on the Written Question Paper.

8. SPEAKER'S STATEMENT

The Speaker made a statement regarding World AIDS Day.

The Speaker made a statement regarding photographs of the remote participation set up in the Chamber.

9. JABIRU TOWN DEVELOPMENT REPEAL BILL 2021 (SERIAL 33): BILL AGREED TO

Resumption of the resolution that the Bill be considered in detail.

Clause 1 to 5 considered.

Clause 1 to 5 stand as printed.

Clause 6 considered.

Clause 6 stands as printed.

Clause 7 considered.

Clause 7 stands as printed.

Clause 8 considered.

Clause 8 stands as printed.

Clause 9 considered.

Clause 9 stands as printed

Clause 10 considered.

Clause 10 stands as printed.

Clause 11 considered.

Clause 11 stands as printed.

Remainder of the Bill taken together.

Remainder of the Bill stands as printed.

Bill as stands agreed to.

On the motion of Mr Gunner (Chief Minister), the Bill was read a third time and passed to be a proposed law.

10. INTERPRETATION AMENDMENT BILL 2021 (SERIAL 32): BILL AGREED TO

Resumption of debate on the question that Bill be read a second time.

Mr Gunner.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

By leave, on the motion of Mr Gunner (Chief Minister), the Bill was read a third time and passed to be a proposed law.

Suspension of Meeting: The meeting of the Assembly was suspended between 15.24 and 15.33.

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11. MINISTERIAL POLICY STATEMENT: SMALL BUSINESS NOTED

Resumption of debate on the question that the Assembly take note of the statement.

Mr Monaghan, Mr Young, Mr Kirby.

Question put and passed.

12. RESPONSE TO PETITION

The Clerk, pursuant to Standing Order 123, tabled a response to Petition Number 8, requesting Palmerston Escarpment maintenance (Paper 470).

13. ADJOURNMENT

Ms Fyles (Leader of Government Business) moved that the Assembly adjourn.

Question put and passed.

Ms Fyles, Mrs Finocchiaro, Mrs Worden, Mr Edgington, Mr Paech, Mrs Hersey, Ms Lawler, Mr Maley, Mr Young, Mr Turner, Ms Uibo, Mr Monaghan, Mr Bowden.

The Assembly adjourned at 18.50 until Tuesday 15 February 2022 at 10.00.

DEEMED PAPERS

Pursuant to Standing Order 239 the following papers were deemed tabled:

Annual Reports 2020–2021

Northern Territory Architects Board (Paper 465)
Development Consent Authority (Paper 466)

Committee Report

Committee of Privileges Report on Referral Regarding a Statement by the Member for Blain (Paper 468) (Ms Fyles)
Associated Minutes of Proceedings, Committee of Privileges Report on Referral Regarding a Statement by the Member for Blain (Paper 469) (Ms Fyles)

Residential Tenancies Act 1999

Residential Tenancies COVID-19 Modification Notice (No.4) 2020 dated 26 November 2021 (Paper 467)

ATTENDANCE

All Members attended the meeting.

MARIANNE CONATY
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly