

**NORFOLK ISLAND
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
TENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
7 DECEMBER 2001**

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7 DISEMBA 2001**

1 The Legislative Assembly met at 2.05 pm. The Speaker (Hon D.E. Buffett) took the Chair and read the Prayer

2 **NOMINATION BY SPEAKER OF JOHN TERENCE BROWN TO ACT AS DEPUTY SPEAKER**

The Speaker informed the House that he had by warrant nominated Mr Brown to act as Deputy Speaker

3 **SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS**

Mr Gardner (Chief Minister) moved –

THAT so much of Standing Orders be suspended as would prevent the House from only dealing with the matters listed on the Programme

Question put and agreed to on the voices

4 **PUBLIC SECTOR MANAGEMENT ACT 2000 – APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ENVIRONMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE**

Mr Smith (Minister for Community Services and Tourism) moved -

THAT, notwithstanding the motion of this House passed on 15 August 2001, this House, pursuant to section 39(1) of the Public Sector Management Act 2000, and as a consequence of the report made by the Chief Executive Officer to members of the Legislative Assembly at their informal meeting of 6 December 2001, recommends that the Chief Executive Officer appoint as the Executive Director Environment and Infrastructure the person selected as the preferred applicant for the position under Section 39(2)(b) of the Act and that the Chief Executive Officer proceed to negotiate a performance-based contract in accordance with her responsibilities under Section 40(2) of the Act and relevant immigration provisions

Debate ensued

**Acting Deputy Speaker Brown took the Chair at 2.24 pm
The Speaker took the Chair at 2.43 pm**

Question put
The House voted –

**AYES, 8
Mr Gardner
Mr Donaldson
Mrs Jack
Mr Ivens Buffett
Mr Nobbs
Ms Nicholas
Mr Smith
Mr Brown**

**NOES, 1
Mr Buffett**

5 6TH SOUTH PACIFIC MINI GAMES - STATEMENT BY SPEAKER

The Speaker on behalf of the Legislative Assembly of Norfolk Island formally welcomed all athletes and officials visiting Norfolk Island for the South Pacific Mini Games

6 FIXING OF NEXT SITTING DAY

Mr Brown moved –

THAT the House at its rising adjourn until Wednesday 19 December 2001 at 10 am

7 ADJOURNMENT

Ms Nicholas moved –

THAT the House do now adjourn

Debate ensued with Mr Gardner participating
Question put and agreed to on the voices

AND THEN the House at 2.52 pm adjourned until Wednesday 19 December 2001

Robin-Eleanor Adams
Clerk to the Legislative Assembly

Members Present: All Members were present