

Anguilla House of Assembly

Minutes of Proceedings

The Fourth Meeting of the Third Session of the Twelfth Anguilla House of Assembly

Date: 16 December 2022

Start Time: 2:00p.m.

Presiding Officer:

Hon. Speaker, Mrs. Barbara Webster-Bourne

Members Present in the Assembly:

Hon. Member for Island Harbour, Dr. Ellis Lorenzo Webster
Hon. Member for Single Island Wide Electoral District (SIWED), Mr. Kenneth Hodge
Hon. Member for Single Island Wide Electoral District (SIWED), Mr. Kyle Hodge
Hon. Member for Road South, Mr. Haydn Hughes*
Hon. Member for Road North, Mr. Merrick Richardson
Hon. Member for Sandy Hill, Mrs. Cora Richardson Hodge
Hon. Member for West End, Mr. Cardigan Connor
Hon. Member for Single Island Wide Electoral District (SIWED), Mr. José Vanterpool
Hon. Member for Valley South, Ms. Dee-Ann Kentish Rogers*
Hon. Member for Valley North, Mrs. Shellya Rogers-Webster
Hon. Member for Single Island Wide Electoral District (SIWED), Mrs. Quincia Gumbs-Marie
Hon. Deputy Governor, Mr. Perin Bradley
Hon. Attorney General, Mr. Dwight Horsford

*Denotes a Member arriving after the meeting has been called to Order.

In Attendance:

Clerk to the House of Assembly, Mr. Lenox Proctor
Sergeant at Arms, Mr. Carl Ruan
Chaplain, Pastor Victor Hugo Brooks

Order of Business

a) Prayers

- i) Prayers were said by the Chaplain to the Assembly.

b) Confirmation of Minutes

- i) Hon. Member for Road North, Mr. Merrick Richardson moved that the Minutes of Proceedings for the Third Meeting of the Third Session of the Twelfth Anguilla House of Assembly be accepted as circulated. The motion was seconded by the Hon. Member for SIWED, Mrs. Quincia Gumbs-Marie.
- ii) Hon. Speaker put the question that the Minutes be accepted as circulated.
- iii) Minutes of Proceedings for the Third Meeting of the Third Session of the Twelfth Anguilla House of Assembly was voted in favour by the Assembly without amendment.

Hon. Member for Valley South arrived at 2:07p.m.

Hon. Member for Road South arrived at 2:08p.m.

Hon. Speaker allowed a five (5) minute recess for DITES to resolve technical issues at 2:09p.m.

House resumed at 2:15p.m.

c) Oaths of Allegiance to New Members

- i) None.

d) Announcements by the Direction of the Speaker

- i) None.

e) Questions

- i) None.

f) Government Statements on Recent Developments

- i) None.

g) Papers

- i) None.

h) Reports from Committees

- i) None.

i) Petitions

- i) None.

j) Government Notices

- i) None.

k) Private Members' Notices

- i) None.

l) Personal Explanations

- i) None.

m) Other Business

I) Government Business

a) A Bill for Appropriation (2023) Act, 2022

i) First Reading:

- Hon. Member for Island Harbour moved that the Bill has its first reading.
- Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. Kenneth Hodge seconded the motion.
- Hon. Speaker put the question that the Bill be read a first time and the Assembly voted in favour.
- A Bill for, Appropriation (2023) Act, 2022 was read a first time.

ii) Second Reading:

- Hon. Member for Island Harbour moved the Bill has its second reading and gave the Budget Address.
- Hon. Member for SIWED, Mrs. Quincia Gumbs-Marie seconded the motion.

II) Private Members' Bills

- i) None.

III) Private Bills

- i) None.

IV) Other Orders of the Day

- i) None.

n) Adjournment

- i) Hon. Member for Island Harbour moved that the meeting be adjourned until Wednesday, 21st December, 2022 at 1:00p.m. It was seconded by the Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. Kenneth Hodge.
- ii) Hon. Speaker put the question that the House stands adjourned until Wednesday, 21st December, 2022 at 1:00p.m. and the Assembly voted in favour.
- iii) The Assembly was adjourned at 4:29p.m.



Barbara Webster-Bourne
Speaker

Confirmed in the House of Assembly on this 21st day of *December*, 2022



Lenox J. Proctor
Clerk of the House of Assembly