Anguilla House of Assembly

Minutes of Proceedings

The Tenth Meeting of the First Session of the Twelfth House of Assembly

Date: 18 December 2020

Start Time: 2:01pm

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 Valley South, Ms. Dee-Ann Kentish Rogers

Hon. Member for Single Island Wide Electoral District (SIWED), Mr. Kyle Hodge

Hon. Member for Road South, Mr. Haydn Hughes

Hon. Member for Single Island Wide Electoral District (SIWED), Mrs. Quincia Gumbs-Marie

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. Deputy Governor, Mr. Perin Bradley

Hon. Attorney General, Mr. Dwight Horsford

Member Absent in the Assembly with Reason:

Hon. Member for Valley North, Mr. Evans McNiel Rogers

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

1. Prayers

a) Prayers were said by the Chaplain to the Assembly.

2. Confirmation of Minutes

- a) Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. José Vanterpool moved that the Minutes reflect the apologies by the Member for Valley North. It was seconded by the Hon. Member for Sandy Hill.
- b) Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. Kenneth Hodge moved that the Minutes of Proceedings for the Ninth Meeting of the First Session of the Twelfth Anguilla House of Assembly be accepted as amended. It was seconded by the Hon. Member for Road South.
- c) Minutes of Proceedings for the Ninth Meeting of the First Session of the Twelfth Anguilla House of Assembly was confirmed by the Assembly with amendment.

3. Oaths of Allegiance to New Members

a) None.

4. Announcements by the Direction of the Speaker

a) Apologies were given for the Hon. Member for Valley North and it was noted that the Hon. Attorney General would be late.

5. Papers

a) None.

6. Reports from Committees

a) None.

7. Petitions

a) None.

8. Government Notices

a) None.

9. Unofficial Notices

a) None.

10. Questions

a) None.

11. Motions

a) None.

12. Other Business

12.1 Government Business

12.1.1 A Bill for, Appropriation (2021) Act, 2020

12.1.1.1 A Bill for, Appropriation (2021) Act, 2020 was read a first time.

12.1.1.2 Second Reading and Budget Address:

a) Hon. Member for Island Harbour moved that the Bill have its second reading and gave the Budget Address (2 hr 10 min).

Hon. Attorney General arrived at 2:15pm and left at 3:33pm Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. José Vanterpool left at 2:20pm

- b) Hon. Member for SIWED, Mrs. Quincia Gumbs-Marie seconded the Bill.
- c) It was agreed by the Assembly that the Budget Debate will take place on Tuesday December 29th, 2020 at 9am.

13. Adjournment

- a) Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. Kenneth Hodge gave apologies on behalf of the Hon. Attorney General as he has to travel.
- b) Hon. Speaker gave apologies for the Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. José Vanterpool who had to leave earlier.
- c) Hon. Member for SIWED, Mr. Kenneth Hodge moved that the meeting be adjourned until Tuesday 22nd December 2020 at 10am. It was seconded by the Hon. Member for Road South.
- d) Hon. Speaker put the question that the House stands adjourned until Tuesday 22nd December 2020 at 10am and the Assembly voted in favour.

e) The Assembly was adjourned at 4:15pm.

Barbara Webster-Bourne

Speaker

Confirmed in the House of Assembly on this 22 day of

Lenox J. Proctor

Clerk of the House of Assembly