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Council: 1r. and *2r.*, 1396; *Com.*,
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Assembly: Int., 398; *1r.*, 431; *2r.*, 542;
Com. and *ad. rep.*, 543; *3r.*, 595; as-
 sent reported, 972.

Council: 1r., 635; *2r.*, 803; *Com.* and
ad. rep., 804; *3r.*, 883; assent re-
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Assembly: m., 1628; *int.*, *1r.* and *2r.*,
 1656; *Com.*, 1666; *ad. rep.* and *3r.*,
 1668; assent reported, 1710.

Council: 1r., and *2r.*, 1613; *Com.*,
ad. rep., and *3r.*, 1616; assent reported,
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Assembly: Int., 541; *1r.*, 542; *2r.*, 599;
Com. and *ad. rep.*, 602; *3r.*, 640; as-
 sent reported, 972.

Council: 1r., 635; *2r.*, 804; *Com.*, 805;
ad. rep., 806; *3r.*, 883; assent reported,
 1190.

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Assembly: Int., 595; *1r.*, 599; *2r.*, 2059;
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Council: 1r., 2101; *2r.*, 2289; *Com.*,
 2292; *ad. rep.*, 2293; *3r.*, 2378; assent
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Assembly: Int., 1801; *1r.*, 1802; *2r.*,
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 2220; assent reported, 2694.

Council: 1r., 2198; *2r.*, 2297; *Com.* and
ad. rep., 2300; *3r.*, 2378; assent re-
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Assembly: Int., 1484; *1r.*, 1485; *2r.*,
 1530; *Com.*, *ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1531;
 assent reported, 1710.

Council: 1r., 1516; *2r.*, *Com.*, *ad. rep.*
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Assembly: Int., and *1r.*, 1484; *2r.*,
 1531; *Com.*, *ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1544;
 assent reported, 1710.

Council: 1r., 1516; *m.s.o.* and *2r.*, 1580;
Com., *ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1588; assent
 reported, 1785.

**FISH RIVER WATER SUPPLY ADMINISTRA-
TION BILL:**

Assembly: Int., 2332; *1r.*, 2333; *2r.*,
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Council: 1r., 2558; *2r.*, 2780; *Com.*, and
ad. rep., 2782; *3r.*, 2802.

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ABLING BILL:**

Assembly: Int., 2665; *1r.*, 2666; *2r.*,
 2719; *Com.*, *ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 2734;
cons. amds., 2891; *ad. rep.*, 2895;
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Council: 1r., 2759; *2r.*, 2827; *Com.*,
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Assembly: m., 1264; all stages, 1691;
 assent reported, 2332.

Council: 1r., 1785; *2r.*, 2034; *Com.* and
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Council: 1r., and *2r.*, 1609; *ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1610; assent reported, 1785.

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Assembly: Int., 2664; *1r.*, 2665; *2r.*, 2712; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 2719;

Council: 1r., 2672; *2r.*, 2816; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 2819.

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Assembly: Int., 546, *1r.*, 549; *2r.*, 602; *Com.*, 626, 849; *ad. rep.* and *3r.*, 853; assent reported, 1256.

Council: 1r., 806; *2r.*, 883; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 890; assent reported, 1190.

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Assembly: Int., 1800; *1r.*, 1801; *2r.*, 2180; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 2182; *3r.*, 2220; assent reported, 2694.

Council: 1r., 2198; *2r.*, 2296; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 2297; *3r.*, 2378; assent reported, 2672.

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Assembly: Int., 399, *1r.*, 431; *2r.*, 519; *Com.*, 529; *ad. rep.*, 530; *3r.*, 540; *mes.*, 1655; *cons. amdts.*, and *ad. rep.*, 1672; assent reported, 1710.

Council: 1r., 565; *2r.*, 826, 1487; *Com.*, 1488; *ad. rep.*, 1491; *3r.*, 1579; assent reported, 1785.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 1710; *1r.*, 1719; *2r.*, 1833, 1856, 1933, 1939, 2000; *Com.*, 2018, 2225; *ad. rep.*, 2288; *3r.*, 2332; *mess.*, 2734; *cons. amdts.*, 2881; *ad. rep.*, 2886.

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Assembly: m. urgency, 640; *m.*, 641; *int.*, 641; *1r.*, 652; *2r.*, 652, 669; *Com.*, 695; *3r.*, 698.

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Assembly: Int., 406; *1r.*, 411; *2r.*, 431; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 435; *3r.*, 494; assent reported, 757.

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Assembly: m. urgency, 698; *m.s.o.* and *int.*, 699; *1r.*, 703; *2r.*, 703, 764, 841; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 849.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT (TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING) AMENDMENT BILL:

Assembly: Int., 1719; *1r.*, 1724; *2r.*, 1767, 2357, 2415; *Com.*, 2477, 2503; *ad. rep.*, 2528; *3r.*, 2534; *cons. amdts.*, 2886; *ad. rep.*, 2889.

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LOTTERIES AND ART UNIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 972; *1r.*, 978; *2r.*, 1639; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1640; assent reported, 1710.

Council: All stages, 1616; assent reported, 1785.

LUNACY (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int. and *1r.*, 1487; *2r.*, 1575; *Com.*, 1577; *ad. rep.* and *3r.*, 1578; assent reported, 1710.

Council: 1r., 1516; *m.s.o.* and *2r.*, 1592; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1593; assent reported, 1785.

MAIN ROADS (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 2335; *1r.*, 2339; *2r.*, 2528, 2590; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 2595.

Council: 1r., 2558; *2r.*, 2782; *Com.*, 2792; *ad. rep.*, 2793; *3r.*, 2802.

METROPOLITAN WATER, SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int. and *1r.*, 1485; *2r.*, 1528; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1530; assent reported, 1710.

Council: 1r., 1516; *m.s.o.* and *2r.*, 1580; *Com., ad. rep.*, and *3r.*, 1592; assent reported, 1785.

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Council: 1R., 1785; 2R., 2039; *Com.*, 2043; *ad. rep.*, 2044; 3R., 2101; assent reported, 2672.

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Assembly: 1R., 2377; 2R., 2661; *Com.*, *ad. rep.*, and 3R., 2664.

Council: Int., 1785; *Select Cttee.*, 2034; *rep.*, 2198; 2R., 2300; *Com.*, *ad. rep.*, and 3R., 2301.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 405; 1R., 406; 2R., *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 436; 3R., 494; assent reported, 972.

Council: 1R., 565; 2R., *Com.*, and *ad. rep.*, 826; 3R., 883; assent reported, 1190.

PEST DESTROYERS BILL:

Assembly: Int., 1799; 1R., 1800; 2R., 2089, 2151; *Com.*, 2151; *ad. rep.*, 2156; 3R., 2220; *mess.*, 2477; *cons. amdts.*, and *ad. rep.*, 2636; assent reported, 2872.

Council: 1R., 2198; 2R., 2293; *Com.*, 2295; *ad. rep.*, 2296; 3R., 2378; assent reported, 2868.

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Assembly: Int., 549; 1R., 552; 2R., 910, 979, 2156; *Com.*, 2162; *ad. rep.*, 2182; 3R., 2220; *mess.*, 2534; *cons. amdts.*, 2630; *ad. rep.*, 2635; assent reported, 2872.

Council: 1R., 2198; 2R., 2308; *Com.*, 2320, 2378; *ad. rep.*, 2383; 3R., 2479; assent reported, 2868.

POLICE OFFENCES (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 909; 1R., 910; 2R., 1778; *Com.*, and *ad. rep.*, 1780; 3R., 1798; assent reported, 2415.

Council: 1R., 1785; 2R., 2038; *Com.*, and *ad. rep.*, 2039; 3R., 2101; assent reported, 2378.

POLICE REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 397; 1R., 398; 2R., 518; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 519; 3R., 540; assent reported, 972.

Council: 1R., 565; 2R., *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 740; 3R., 802; assent reported, 1190.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS REGISTRATION BILL:

Assembly: Int., 854; 1R., 859; 2R., 1724; *Com.*, 1740, 1750, 1806, 1894; 3R., 1939; *cons. amdts.*, 2895; *ad. rep.*, 2897.

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Council: 1R., *m.s.o.*, and 2R., 1616; *Com.*, *ad. rep.*, and 3R., 1617; assent reported, 1785.

PUBLIC SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 429; 1R., 431; 2R., 494; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 504; 3R., 518; assent reported, 972.

Council: 1R., 565; 2R., 740; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 746; 3R., 803; assent reported, 1190.

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (AMENDMENT) BILL:

Assembly: Int., 428; 1R., 429; 2R., 544; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 545; assent reported, 972.

Council: 1R., 635; 2R., 746; *Com.* and *ad. rep.*, 747; 3R., 802.

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Assembly: Int., 853; 1R., 854; 2R., 1668; *Com.*, *ad. rep.*, and 3R., 1670; assent reported, 1939.

Council: 1R., 1617; 2R., 1785; remaining stages, 1789; assent reported, 2034.

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Assembly: Int., 2220; 1R., 2224; 2R., 2339; *Com.*, and *ad. rep.*, 2357; 3R., 2415, *cons. amdts.*, 2890; *ad. rep.*, 2891.

Council: 1R., 2378; 2R., 2772; *Com.*, 2780, 2802; *ad. rep.*, 2805; 3R., 2868.

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Assembly: Int., 2567; 1R., 2572; 2R., 2638; *Com.*, 2658; *ad. rep.*, and 3R., 2661; *cons. amdts.*, 2890; *ad. rep.*, 2890.

Council: 1R., 2597; 2R., 2793; *Com.*, 2799; *ad. rep.*, 2800; 3R., 2802.

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Assembly: Int., 1802; 1R., 1806; 2R., 2184; *Com.*, 2197; *ad. rep.*, 2198; 3R., 2220; assent reported, 2694.

Council: 1R., 2198; 2R., 2301; *Com.*, 2304; *ad. rep.*, 2308; 3R., 2378; assent reported, 2672.

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Assembly: m., 1628; int., 1641; 1R. and 2R., 1645; Com., 1654; ad. rep. and 3R., 1655; assent reported, 1710.

Council: 1R., m.s.o. and 2R., 1611; ad. rep., and 3R., 1613; assent reported, 1785.

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