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The State Records Office of Western Australia (SRO)

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State Archivist's Foreword

Each year the State Records Office of WA (SRO) marks Western Australia Day by publishing online a Guide to State Cabinet records which have been released from their 30-year restriction access period in the previous calendar year. In accordance with the *State Records Act 2000*, State Cabinet records in the care and custody of the SRO are preserved for posterity, the State Archivist having the legislated responsibility of making them accessible to the public after 30 years.

State Cabinet records are historically significant because they reveal the decisions made by the government of the day. These unique records are the primary source documents for information about the issues raised at Cabinet meetings. The online Guide assists the Western Australian community with access to these records. This year the online guide describes the activities and decisions of State Cabinet in 1986, the year Brian Burke's Labor Government was re-elected for a second term.

As well as providing an overview of Western Australian State issues in 1986, the online Guide highlights a few of the more prominent national and international events of that year. Furthermore, a selection of 26 issues considered by State Cabinet in 1986 is presented in the Guide. A list of the subjects discussed at each meeting of State Cabinet in 1986 is also included at the end of this Guide to encourage further research into the records.

Unlike the release of Cabinet papers at the Commonwealth level, where records comprising more sensitive information can be embargoed beyond the restriction access period for the remaining records, all the State Cabinet records for Western Australia are released for public access 30 years after the records are created.

This year (2017) the Guide to the 1986 State Cabinet Records has been produced with the assistance of Mr Trent Bersan, a return to work participant with People Sense. I would like to thank Mr Bersan who researched the 1986 State Cabinet Minutes and Decisions, and who also compiled and drafted the list of Cabinet meeting subjects (see pp.17 – 42) during his placement at the SRO.



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Description of the 1986 State Cabinet Records

The primary set of State Cabinet records referred to in this Guide is called 'Cabinet Minutes and Decisions.' State Cabinet Minutes and Decisions include agendas and submissions to Cabinet and are listed chronologically. They record the meetings of State Cabinet held between 6 January and 16 December 1985 inclusive, and are described on SRO's catalogue as State Cabinet Minutes and Decisions (Series 1228, Consignment 4736). Other State Cabinet records which complement the Minutes and Decisions, include Cabinet Meeting Summaries (Series 1230, Consignment 4823), and submissions, reports and other accompanying documents to the Minutes and Decisions, each of which are described as a "Cabinet Record" (Series 1228, Consignment 6150).

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions

State Cabinet Minutes and Decisions are the primary original source documents that reveal government decisions made at Cabinet meetings. These documents contain the names of the Ministers present and absent at each meeting, supporting reports, copies, summaries or reviews of submissions, and a record of ministerial recommendations, and relevant decisions, approvals, deferrals and rejections by State Cabinet.

Location: State Records Office of Western Australia

Reference: Series 1228, Consignment 4736 (files 1985/42 v2 -1986/620v3).
Quantity: 39 files

Series 1228 – Cons 4736	File Number	Dates
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1985/42 V2	06/01/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1985/42 V3	13/01/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1985/42 V4	20/01/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/90 V1	03/02/1986 – 17/02/1986 – 24/02/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/163 V1	10/03/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/163 V2	17/03/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/163 V3	24/03/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/163 V4	07/04/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/230 V1	14/04/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/230 V2	21/04/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/230 V3	28/04/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/230 V4	05/05/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/319 V1	12/05/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/319 V2	19/05/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/319 V3	26/05/1986 – 04/06/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/319 V4	09/06/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/400 V1	16/06/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/400 V2	23/06/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/400 V3	30/06/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/400 V4	14/07/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/427 V1	21/07/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/427 V2	28/07/1986

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/427 V3	11/08/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/427 V4	18/08/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/475 V1	01/09/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/475 V2	08/09/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/475 V3	15/09/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/475 V4	22/09/1986 – 2/10/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/516 V1	06/10/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/516 V2	13/10/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/516 V3	20/10/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/516 V4	27/10/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/567 V1	03/11/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/567 V2	10/11/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/567 V3	17/11/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/567 V4	24/11/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/620 V1	01/12/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/620 V2	08/12/1986
Cabinet Minutes and Decisions	1986/620 V3	15/12/1986 – 16/12/1986

Events and Issues in WA Politics in 1986(1)

1986 commenced with an election campaign which coincided with the school summer holiday period. The Burke Labor government was returned for a second term at the election on 8 February. The election result saw Dr Carmen Lawrence win the seat of Subiaco from the Liberals, and the National Party, led by Hendy Cowan, won seats in rural areas, one from Labor and several others from former National County Party members who had switched to the Liberal Party.

The new ministry, sworn in on 26 February, for the first time included 2 women (previous Cabinets had never contained more than one) - Hon. Pamela Beggs M.L.A and Hon Kay Hallahan M.L.C. It also saw the appointment of Australia's first ever Aboriginal Cabinet Minister - Hon. Ernie Bridge M.L.A. Initially an Honorary Minister, in July 1986 he became Minister for Water Resources, Aboriginal Affairs and the North West. After the election, former State Labor leader Ron Davies resigned from Parliament to become WA's Agent General in London. Dr Geoff Gallop won Mr Davies former seat of Victoria Park for the Labor Party at a by-election in June. The resignation of Hon. Arthur Tonkin M.L.A. on 12 May 1986 caused a minor reshuffle of State Cabinet portfolios and the elevation of Mr Gavan Troy M.L.A to the ministry.

Some of the issues dealt with by government in 1986 included preparations for staging the America's Cup in Fremantle, the Environmental Protection Authority agreement to proposals by Wesfamers Kleenheat Gas to build a $70 million liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) plant at Kwinana, and approval for the Mindarie Keys project. A government survey about the Old Swan Brewery showed that 75% wanted the buildings retained and renovated although the Kings Park Board and the Conservation Council, which preferred to see the buildings demolished, disputed the survey.

In 1986, the State Electricity Commission purchased the Fremantle Gas and Coke Company, a transaction which in later years came under scrutiny. Goldcorp was also established that year, and in Parliament the State Opposition queried the profit figures of the Western Australian Development Corporation (WADC). The Opposition, also criticised Exim, which sought to create and exploit export markets for WA products, for mismanagement.

(1) 'Events and issues in WA politics' was compiled from the 'Political Chronicles' in *The Australian journal of politics and history*, Volumes 32,3 and 33,2 [1986 & 1987]. Brisbane, Queensland University Press.

World Events that Made the News in 1986 (2)

1986 was the year of the *Challenger* space shuttle disaster and the Chernobyl nuclear meltdown in Ukraine which killed at least 4,000 people and displaced 350,000 more. It was the year the Somalian Civil War commenced and Emperor Hirohito's Diamond Jubilee was marked in Japan. In April 1986 Pope John Paul II made history by visiting the Great Synagogue in Rome, the first time a modern Pope visited a synagogue. Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip visited China for the first time in October of that year and in the same month US President Ronald Reagan and USSR leader Mikhail Gorbachev met in Reykjavik to discuss scaling back missile arsenals in Europe. Although the meeting ended without agreement, this event is seen by many as the beginning of the end of the Cold War. In 1986 the Oprah Winfrey show premiered on television for the first time, and Matt Groening created his most famous and well known characters, the Simpson Family. In 1986, the video game which would become the standard for role playing video games, Dragons Quest, was released in Japan by Enix.

Australian and WA Events that Made the News in 1986 (2)

In February 1986 Joan Child became the first woman Speaker of the House of Representatives. In March the Russell Street bombing occurred in Melbourne, seriously injuring and later causing the death of police constable Angela Taylor who was the first Australian Police woman to be killed in the line of duty. The execution in Malaysia of Australian drug smugglers Kevin Barlow and Brian Chambers occurred in July, causing consternation in Australia. In August, the Picasso painting 'The Weeping Woman' was stolen from the National Gallery of Victoria, only to resurface in a locker in Spencer Street Station in Melbourne two weeks later. WA author Elizabeth Jolley won the Miles Franklin Award in 1986 for her novel 'The Well'.

'Venus' by Bananarama was number 1 on the pop music charts for 7 weeks in 1986, and the release of John Farnham's album 'Whispering Jack' in October 1986 saw it become the highest selling album by an Australian artist. The average home loan interest rate jumped from 13.5% to 15.5% in 1986.

In WA, if you went shopping for specials at Action in 1986 a 1kg block of Brownes fully matured cheese cost $2.99 and 2 litres of Masters orange juice cost $2.09. Charlie Carters had Californian navel oranges at $1.79 a kilo, frying steak at $3.00 a kilo, and pork legs at $2.99 a kilo. At Foodland, a 1 litre carton of Masters chocolate milk cost 69 cents. In 1986 a 5-bedroom Statesman home in Leeming cost $51,820 and a 4-bedroom, 2-bathroom Glenway home in Duncraig cost $44,750. 1986 newspaper job advertisements showed that a Secretary could earn $19,000 per annum.

(2) The information for these sections comes from Wikipedia, The Free Encyclopaedia. *1986*, and *The West Australian* and *The Sunday Times* newspapers for 1986.

State Cabinet Deliberations in 1986 (Selected)

Following is a selection of subjects deliberated by State Cabinet in 1986. The description of the subjects and dates of deliberations are stated as recorded in the 1986 Minutes and Decisions of State Cabinet, and in accompanying Cabinet minute summaries.

Abolition of the Western Australian Wheat Board
20 January, 12 May

Under the Wheat Marketing Act 1984, a Western Australian Wheat Board was established to nominate wheat grower representatives to the Australian Wheat Board. The Commonwealth Government had passed amendments to its own legislation authorising a new structure and method of selection for the Australian Wheat Board, and these changes meant that the WA Board no longer had the sole responsibility for selection of grower representatives. As a consequence, the WA Board no longer had a legislative function and it was recommended to Cabinet that it be disbanded.

America's Cup
6 January, 7 April, 16 June, 14 July, 21 July, 1 September, 2 October, 27 October

Following on from State Cabinet deliberations in 1985, preparations for the America's Cup Race, to be held in Fremantle in January and February 1987, was a major topic for discussion throughout 1986. Related issues considered by Cabinet included Police manpower requirements for the America's Cup (6 January), dealing with spectator craft during the race itself (7 April, 14 July, 27 October), construction of housing to accommodate demand from Homeswest's America's Cup Housing Program (16 June), creating a "People's Day" to encourage public involvement in the event (21 July), and changing and liberalising trading hours to suit the America's Cup participants and visitors (1 September, 2 October).

Bungle Bungle National Park
14 April, 21 July

In April State Cabinet approved the creation of the Bungle Bungle National Park based on interim boundaries in the Cabinet submission. Later it also approved funding "to immediately institute on the ground management of the newly formed National Park".

Closure of Fremantle Prison
10 March, 24 March, 23 June

Continuing from 1985, discussions within Cabinet about a replacement for Fremantle Prison did not reach a conclusion. However, Cabinet did discuss and countenance that the only real foreseeable option and location for a replacement prison in the future, was for it to be located at Orton Road, Casuarina.

Criminal Code
27 October, 17 November, 24 November

In 1986 State Cabinet drafted and deliberated on amendments to the Criminal Code. These proposed amendments saw quite detailed examination by Cabinet which took place over several meetings. The first of these took place in October, where chapters 1 to 24 were examined. These proposed changes were all approved (27 October). Further amendments to the remaining parts of the Criminal Code were not without scrutiny, and in November these were again examined by Cabinet, resulting in the repeal of some items (17 November). Cabinet reviewed further aspects of the proposed amendments to the Criminal Code at its meeting on 24 November.

Curtin University of Technology (Bill to Establish)
28 July

State Cabinet approved the upgrade of the status of Western Australian Institute of Technology to a University, to be called Curtin University of Technology. The proposal for this change included the reasoning behind the change of status, such as the possibility of increased sponsorship for technological research by the new university.

Domestic Violence
24 March, 18 August, 24 November

Following on from discussions in 1985, Cabinet received a report from the Domestic Violence Task Force, which revealed the scale and depth of domestic violence in the Western Australian community. The report included recommendations on how to effectively combat domestic violence (24 March). Cabinet also approved a request from the Domestic Violence Task Force to improve services to victims, and create an assistance methodology and support networks (18 August).

Electoral Reform
21 April, 4 June, 30 June, 20 October

On several occasions in 1986 State Cabinet discussed a proposed Electoral Reform Bill which included provision for 4 year terms, proportional representation in the Legislative Council, and “one vote, one value” for the Legislative Assembly.

Equal opportunity for disabled people
18 August

In 1985 the State’s first equal opportunity management plan was introduced, which worked towards ensuring equality for women, migrants and Aboriginal people in the workplace. This led to a discussion paper to Cabinet about equal opportunity for disabled people being tabled in August 1986.

Escape Gaps – Rock Lobster Pots
15 September

The Hon. Ian Taylor, Acting Minister for Fisheries, raised the issue of Rock Lobster pots ‘escape gaps’ in Cabinet. The previous Minister had instituted a rule that rock lobster pots were to have three escape gaps, as opposed to one escape gap, which had been mandated previously. The new three escape gap pots had become a concern for many fishermen, who already owned single escape gap pots and who now needed to replace them. The matter itself had become political, and the acting Minister had approached Cabinet for advice on how to resolve the issue. Three escape pot gaps had been the idea of the Rock Lobster Industry Committee, therefore Cabinet resolved in favour of keeping the three escape gap pots in rock lobster pots.

Forrest Place and City Station redevelopment
19 May, 9 June

Early in 1986 State Cabinet discussed a proposed amendment to the Forrest Place and City Station Development Act, to correct an error in the drafting of the Act in 1985, so that any future owner of Forrest Place and City Station would be bound by the obligations in a Development Plan Agreement. After Cabinet approved of the changes to the Act, it also signed a Deed of Covenant so that minor delays and problems would not continue to hold up the redevelopment of the area (9 June).

Investigation of the State Government Tendering System involving a requirement to employ apprentices
9 June

State Cabinet approved the public release of documentation regarding an investigation of the State Government tendering system so that the public would be able to comment on the report. The proposed tendering system involved the requirement to employ apprentices.

Kemerton land transfer and park management
3 February, 10 March, 17 March

Following a 1984 decision regarding large purchases of land by the Industrial Lands Development Authority in the Kemerton area, State Cabinet engaged in regular discussions over the course of 1986 in relation to the use of this land. The area which became known as the Kemerton Industrial Area was to be used by the Department of Conservation and Land Management to create a pine plantation to act as part of a buffer to any future smelter. Cabinet agreed that this would be a suitable use for the land.

Liquor Act – Flexible Trading Hours
21 April, 5 May, 28 July, 3 November, 10 November, 17 November, 24 November

A review of liquor license fees and more flexible trading hours were discussed by State cabinet in 1986. In the longer term these discussions led to the repeal of the *Liquor Act 1970*, and its replacement by the introduction of the *Liquor Control Act 1988* which allowed hotels to apply for additional operating hours under an extended trading permit.

Manjimup Canning Co-operative Company
17 March, 30 June, 6 October

In March State Cabinet approved the appointment of a government nominee as Managing Director of the Manjimup Canning Company and approved funding to enable processing during 1986. In October, an offer by Edgell to purchase the cannery was reported to Cabinet.

Mental Health Nurses
3 February, 21 April, 9 June

Future training needs of mental health nurses and a proposal for a 38-hour working week was discussed by State Cabinet in 1986.

Mines Regulation Act – 1946-1974
3 February, 21 April and 12 May

Changes to the Mines Regulation Act were discussed on several occasions by State Cabinet over the course of 1986. Among the proposed changes to the Act was the establishment of a Mines' Radiation Safety Board.

Perth Theatre Trust
6 January, 20 January, 10 March

The Perth Theatre Trust requested more funds to sustain management of the Perth Concert Hall because higher attendance rates required more maintenance of the building and facilities. After discussion between Treasury and the responsible Minister about a rental increase, State Cabinet accepted the recommendations from the Perth Theatre Trust, granting additional funding (10 March).

Public Access to Cabinet documents
27 October

State Cabinet approved public access to State Cabinet documents "after a 30-year period has elapsed". It was noted that this decision was to formalise "an informal set of arrangements" that existed, and that the need to open Cabinet records older than 30 years was "strongly endorsed by the State Archivist".

Purchase of Lake Clifton Land
13 January, 24 March, 23 June, 14 July, 15 September

State Cabinet discussed the use of Lake Clifton land that was purchased by the State Energy Commission. Initially purchased in the 1970s to allow for the construction of a nuclear power plant, the State Energy Commission no longer desired to construct a nuclear power plant as it did not meet with the policies of the State Government. Cabinet deliberated whether the land would be allocated to the Department of Conservation and Land Management to be used in conjunction with the Yalgorup National Park, or whether it should be reserved for a time in the future when development would be more appropriate.

Redevelopment of the Old Swan Brewery Site
14 April, 8 December, 15 December

There were several discussions within State Cabinet in 1986 about the future of the Old Swan Brewery Site. It was resolved to redevelop this site and a deal was struck with Brewtech which offered to lease the property for 99 years. Cabinet accepted the

proposal and began discussions on how to refurbish and reuse the Old Swan Brewery buildings and site.

Restriction of water supply
18 August, 17 November

Another topic discussed by State Cabinet in 1985 and carried over into the following year was the issue of restricting water access to Homeswest patrons. In May 1985, it was reported that many tenants of Homeswest had accrued excess water charges for their homes, but were refusing to pay the cost. Although regular recovery methods were pursued, repayments were still not being received. Cabinet was advised about the method of restricting water supply to those who had not paid their excess fees. In November 1986 Cabinet rejected the method of restricting the water supply, and suggested that a working party be chaired by multiple parties involved in the issue such as Homeswest and the Water Authority. This working party was to advise State Cabinet with appropriate and effective recovery mechanisms within 3 months**.**

Restructuring of the Water Authority
1December, 8 December, 15 December

State Cabinet received a plan for changes to the Water Authority. The overall changes included the idea of promoting regionalisation of the Water Authority; and a plan to achieve a reduction of 8% in the number of Public Service Act employees it employed and a further 5% reduction in the number of wages employees. This was expected to achieve a saving of $5 million per annum. State Cabinet approved of this proposal with an agreed implementation of the plan commencing 1 February 1987.

Tobacco Packaging Health Warnings
9 June, 30 June, 6 October, 17 November

Tightening up the rules on tobacco business franchises, as well as the placement of health-related warnings on cigarette packaging was discussed by State Cabinet in 1986. These discussions led to Cabinet approving the printing of the Business Franchise (Tobacco) Amendment Bill 1986 in November.

Voluntary Euthanasia
10 March

State Cabinet discussed the issue of voluntary euthanasia and approved a referral of the question of passive voluntary euthanasia to the Law Reform Commission. Cabinet deliberations included reference to a proposed South Australian bill on the

subject, which was seen as a potential future Act on which to base legislation for a Western Australian Euthanasia Bill.

Wittenoom Asbestos Problem
17 November, 16 December

The high risk of contracting mesothelioma due to the high levels of atmospheric asbestos had seen previous State Cabinets approve the process of phasing out the town of Wittenoom. This continued in 1986 and Cabinet was asked to make a decision about the closure of Wittenoom. It was given a list of recommendations about closure which were all accepted, save for releasing a 43-kilometre site to the public, and an extra $100,000 to be allocated to miscellaneous services as part of the extended property purchase scheme. Cabinet requested the Minister for Conservation and Land Management to consult with the National Parks and Nature Conservation Authority on the topic of releasing the 43-kilometre site to the public, and then report back to Cabinet. On 16 December, approval was given for the release of the 43-kilometre site to the public.

Members of State Cabinet in 1986

Burke Ministry from end of 1985 to 26 February 1986

The Hon. Brian Thomas BURKE, M.L.A
Premier; Treasurer; Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Social Development; Women's Interests

The Hon. Malcolm John BRYCE, B.A., M.L.A
Deputy Premier; Minister for Industrial Development; Small Business; Technology; Communication; Defence Liaison

The Hon. Desmond Keith DANS, M.L.C
Minister for Tourism; Racing and Gaming and the Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council

Hon. Joseph Max BERINSON, LL.B., M.L.C
Attorney-General; Minister for Budget Management; Prisons

The Hon. Arthur Raymond TONKIN, B.A., Dip. Ed., J.P., M.L.A
Minister for Water Resources; Parliamentary Electoral Reform; Leader of the House

The Hon. Jeffrey Phillip CARR, B.A., M.L.A
Minister for Police and Emergency Services; Local Government

The Hon. Ronald DAVIES, M.L.A
Minister for Conservation and Land Management; the Environment; Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs; the Arts

The Hon. Hywel David EVANS, M.L.A
Minister for Agriculture; Fisheries; Minister Assisting the Minister for Conservation and Land Management

The Hon. Robert John PEARCE, B.A., Dip. Ed., M.L.A
Minister for Education and Planning

The Hon. Barry James HODGE, M.L.A
Minister for Health

The Hon. Kenneth Finlay McIVER M.L.A
Minister for Works; Lands and Surveys

The Hon. David Charles PARKER, B.A., M.L.A
Minister for Minerals and Energy and Minister Assisting the Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Social Development

The Hon. Julian Fletcher GRILL, LL.B., J.P., M.L.A
Minister for Transport; Regional Development; the North West; Minister with special responsibility for 'Bunbury 2000'

The Hon. Keith James WILSON, M.L.A
Minister for Housing; Youth Affairs; The Aged; Community Services; Sport and Recreation; with special responsibility for Aboriginal Affairs.

The Hon. Peter M'Callum DOWDING, LL.B., M.L.C
Minister for Employment and Training; Industrial Relations; Consumer Affairs

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Parliamentary Secretary of the Cabinet

Burke Ministry from 26 February 1986
(State Election held on 8 February 1986)

The Hon. Brian Thomas BURKE, M.L.A
Premier; Treasurer; Minister Co-Ordinating Economic and Social Development; Women's interests; Minister for Public Sector Management (from 29 October 1986)

The Hon. Malcolm John BRYCE, B.A., M.L.A
Deputy Premier; Minister for Industry and Technology; Defence Liaison; Communications; Parliamentary and Electoral Reform; Small Business (until 12 May 1986)

The Hon. Desmond Keith DANS, M.L.C
Minister for Works and Services; Minister with special responsibility for the America's Cup; Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council; Minister for Water Resources (12 May – 25 July 1986)

The Hon. Joseph Max BERINSON, LL.B., M.L.C
Attorney General; Minister for Budget Management; Prisons; Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council

The Hon. Arthur Raymond TONKIN, B.A., Dip. Ed., J.P., M.L.A
Minister for Police and Emergency Services; Water Resources (until resignation of Ministries on 12 May 1986)

The Hon. Jeffry Phillip CARR, B.A., M.L.A.
Minister for Local Government; Regional Development

The Hon. Robert John PEARCE, B.A., Dip. Ed., M.L.A
Minister for Education; Planning; Leader of the House; Minister for Police and Emergency Services (12 May – 25 July 1986)

The Hon. Barry James HODGE, M.L.A.
Minister for Conservation and Land Management; Environment

The Hon. David Charles PARKER, B.A., M.L.A.
Minister for Minerals and Energy; The Arts; Minister Assisting the Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Social Development

The Hon. Julian Fletcher GRILL, LL. B., J.P., M.L.A
Minister for Agriculture; the South West; Fisheries; the North West (until 25 July 1986); Minister for Transport (12 May – 25 July 1986)

The Hon. Keith James WILSON, M.L.A.
Minister for Housing; Sport and Recreation; Consumer Affairs; Aboriginal Affairs (until 25 July 1986)

The Hon. Peter M'Callum DOWDING, LL.B., M.L.C
Minister for Employment and Training; Industrial Relations; Minister assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management (from 29 October 1986)

The Hon. Ian Frederick TAYLOR, B.Econ. (Hons), J.P., M.L.A
Minister for Health; Lands; Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs (until 25 July 1986); The Aged (until 12 May 1986)

The Hon. Pamela Anne BEGGS, J.P., M.L.A
Minister for Tourism; Racing and Gaming

The Hon. Elsie Kay HALLAHAN, B.S.W., J.P., MLC
Minister for Community Services; The Family; Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Interests; The Aged (from 12 May 1986);

The Hon. Gavan John TROY, B. Bus, AFAIM, J.P., M.L.A
Honorary Minister; Minister for Transport; Small Business (from 12 May 1986)

The Hon. Ernest Francis BRIDGE, M.L.A
Honorary Minister; Minister for Water Resources, the North West, Aboriginal Affairs (from 25 July 1986)

The Hon. Gordon Leslie HILL, J.P., M.L.A
Honorary Minister (from 12 May – 25 July 1986); Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Multicultural Ethnic Affairs (from 25 July 1986)

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Parliamentary Secretary of Cabinet

1986 STATE CABINET MEETING SUBJECTS LIST

This list reveals the issues and subjects discussed at each meeting of State Cabinet throughout 1986. The date of the meeting is shown, and a list of each of the subjects considered by State Cabinet is given in the order in which the agenda items were addressed. The list also uses the original spelling and terminology employed to describe each of the topics in the 1986 State Cabinet Minutes and Decisions.

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 6 January 1986
Primary Products Promotion Unit
W.A.O.P.A Water Resource Survey, Abu Dhabi
DTX – Revised Bunbury proposal
W.A.O.P.A. Geophysical Mapping
Hospice Site for Cancer Foundation of Western Australia
Asbestos in Government Buildings – Dumas House
Biological control legislation
Meat Inspection Service
Amendments to guidelines for variations to approved policy on section 20A reserves
Long service leave for Education Officers
Guidelines for Payment/Budget Advisory Service
Location of schools computing centre in Technology Park
Additional Staff – Commonwealth Quarantine and Export Inspection Services
Police manpower requirements for America's Cup Operation
Bush Fire Control – Kimberly Region
Policy; Boat Harbours and Marinas
Local Government Superannuation Board – Appointment of members
Law Society Public Purposes Trust Fund – Appointment to Allocations Committee
Karratha College Council – Appointment of Member to Karratha College Council
Herd Improvement Service – Reappointment of Member to Herd Improvement Service
Fremantle Port Authority – Reappointment of Member to Chairman
Coal Mines Accident Relief Trust Fund – Reappointment of Member and Chairman to Board of Trustees
Western Australian Post-Secondary Education Commission – Appointment of members
Municipal Clerks and Treasurers, Engineers, Building Surveyors and Town Planners Qualifications Committee – Appointment of members
Town Planning Appeals Tribunal – Appointment
Land Surveyors Licensing Board – Appointment of members
Veterinary Surgeon's Board – Appointment of members
Consumer Products Safety Committee – Appointment of members
Perth Theatre Trust
Poisons Act – Amendments
Fellowship for Visiting Range Scientists
Model Food Standards Regulations
Potential for Forestry as an alternative land use in the Peel-Harvey Estuary Catchment

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 13 January 1986
Purchase of Lake Clifton Land
Proposed staff increase Mining Engineering Division of Mining Department
MTT. Review of Special Hire Charges
Student Residences Geraldton Regional College – Transfer of Funds

Landowner Softwood Share Farming Scheme – Treasury Report
Interest rate relief for Farmers
Drugs. (Penalties)
Review of Education Act and Regulations
Funding of Metal Trades Federation of Unions Research Officer
Likely Increased Apprentice Intake for 1986 – Shortfall in TAFE funding
Perth Institute of Contemporary Art - Discussion of establishment of a Perth Institute of Contemporary Art
Passage of National Highway 1 through Hamersley Range National Park
Coal Mine Workers Pension Tribunal – Appointment of members
W.A. Fire Brigades Board – Appointment of Deputy Chairman
W.A. Water Resources Council – Notice of Appointment of members
Perth Dental Hospital Board –Appointment of Member
Royal Perth Hospital – Appointment of Member

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 20 January, 1986
Impact of Roads on Wetlands in Perth Metropolitan Region
PAN Continental Gold Mining Areas PTY. LTD. – Paddington Gold Mine 1) Endorsement of action to renew Mining Lease 2329W 2) Amendment of Mining Act, 1978 to provide for ministerial discretion
Letters Patent
Veterinary Surgeons' Act 1980-84
Swanbourne/Nedlands Surf Life Saving Club
Extended Pilotage and Channel Maintenance Service at Port Hedland
Development of Rockingham/Kwinana District Hospital
1985 Drought Relief under Natural Disaster Relief Arrangements
Supreme Court Bill 1986
Formation of Abrolhos Islands Consultative Committee
Abolition of the West Australian Wheat Board
Perth Theatre Trust – Schedule of charges
National Agreement of Industry Extension Services
Memorandum of understanding on Industry Extension Services ("Bilateral Agreement")
Companies – Securities Scheme – Amendment of Cooperative Scheme Agreement
Commonwealth-State Scheme for Cooperative Companies and Securities Regulation Third Amending Agreement
Totalisator Agency Board – Appointment of members
Racecourse Development Trust – Appointment of members
W.A. Potato Marketing Board – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 3rd of February, 1986
Establishment of a Plastics Skills Centre in W.A.
Vine Pull Assistance for Dried Vine and Wine Grape Industries
PAN Continental Gold Mining Areas PTY. LTD. – Paddington Gold Mine 1) Endorsement of action to renew Mining Lease 2329W 2) Amendment of Mining Act, 1978 to provide for ministerial discretion
Acts Amendment and Repeal (Unnecessary legislation) Bill, 1986
Working Party on future training of Mental Health Nurses
Kwinana Industrial Area – Government Initiatives
Mines Regulation Act – 1946-1974

Public Trustee Act: Unclaimed money from Trusts
Cultural Centre – Administrative Staff
Kemerton land transfer and park management
Term Appointment, Department of Agriculture, Funded by Wheat Industry Research Committee
Establishment of Peel-Harvey Conservation and Development Committee.
Homeswest – Problem tenancies
Management of Herdsman Lake Regional Park
Architects Board – Appointment of members
Radiological Council – Appointment of members
Rock Lobster Industry Advisory Committee – Appointment of members
W.A.I.T. Council – Appointment of members
Council of the W.A. College of Advanced Education – Appointment of member
Karratha College Council – Appointment of member
Senate of the University of W.A. – Appointment of member
Credit Union Advisory Committee – Reappointment of members
Board of the Art Gallery of W.A. – Appointment of members
Australian Bi-Centennial Authority, W.A. Council – Reappointment of Chairman
Pastoral Board – Reappointment of Chairman
Town Planning Appeal Committee – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 17th of February, 1986
W.A. School of Mines: Board of Management – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 24th of February, 1986
State Public Service – Scheme of Management initiated Retirement for Senior Officers
Kalgoorlie Explosive Reserve – Security Personnel
Amending legislation – Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act
Superannuation entitlements

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 10th of March, 1986
Standard Clauses – Accident Pay
Financial Administration and Audit Act Amendment Bill, 1986
Acts Amendment (Financial Administration and Audit) Bill, 1986
Kemerton land transfer and park management
Perth Theatre Trust – Schedule of charges
Ammonia/Urea Project – Award of exclusive mandate
Appointment of Deputy Commissioner – Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs Commission Amendment Bill, 1986
Administration Act Amendment: Entitlement to grant of letters of administration
Bill of Sales Act
Jurisdiction of Local Court
Machinery Safety Act – Annual Inspection of Classified Machinery
Amendment of Section 174 of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Dog Act – Amendments
Builders Registration Act – Approval of amendments
Government Assistance – Satellite Earth Stations
Formation of Shark Bay Consultative Committee and a Technical Sub-Committee
M.T.T. Deport – Camboon Road, Morley – Progress re land acquisition, planning and construction

stage of the new depot
Computing Funding for Department of Agriculture's Bunbury office
Enforcement of the Misuse of drugs Act
New Department of Pollution Control
New West Perth work release centre
Closure of Fremantle Prison: Replacement of prison site
Acquisition of executive aircraft
Hunts Foods PTY. LTD. 1) To inform Cabinet of the current situation 2) To seek approval for assistance to Southern Processors LTD to allow it to purchase the Albany Vegetable Processing Equipment
Geraldton Recreational Boating Study
W.A. College of Advanced Education – Research and Development Centre at Swanbourne
Upgrading of Eastern Goldfields – Maximum security facilities
Perth Institute of Contemporary Art – Consideration of government commitment
Departure from the recommendations of the System 6 Study: Darling Scarp Regional Park recommendation
Voluntary Euthanasia
Conservation and Environment Council – Appointment of members
Aboriginal Cultural material Committee – Appointment of members
State Planning Commission – Appointment of Member
Motor Vehicle Dealers Licensing Board – Appointment of Chairman
Appointments to the Lands and Forrest Commission
National Parks and Nature Conservation Authority – Appointment of members
Forest Production Council – Appointment of members

Cabinet minutes and Decisions Meeting – 17th of March, 1986
Borrowings for Authorities Act
Flooding of the Fitzroy River
Manjimup Canning Co-operative Company LTD. – Financial assistance and future action
Interest Rate Relief Scheme for Farmers
Administration Act Amendment – Free Assistance with Probate Applications
Industrial Relations Act 1979 – Amendments
Kemerton land transfer and park management
Amendment to the Education Act to allow the Minister to grant a license
Criminal Injuries Compensation – Increase of maximum entitlement
Grain Pool of W.A. – Remuneration of Directors
Mindarie Keys Project – Seeking Cabinet endorsement to release recommendations from EPA
W.A. Meat Industry Authority – Appointment of members
Builders Registration Board – Appointment of members
Dairy Industry Authority of W.A. – Appointment of members
Small Business Development Corporation – Appointment of Managing Director

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 24th of March, 1986
State Public Service – Scheme for management initiated retirement for Senior Officers
Report of Domestic Violence Task Force
Local Government Elections Advertising Campaign
Statutory Framework – Exim Corporation W.A. Overseas Projects Authority
Special carry-on loan scheme

Closure of Fremantle Prison – Replacement of prison site
Chlorine-Caustic Plant in W.A. (Chlor-Alkali)
Proposed Amendment to the Bunbury Port Authority Act
L.P. Gas Regulations – Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act
Town planning and development amendment Bill, 1986
Metropolitan Region Town planning scheme amendment Bill
Abolition of the Office of Commissioner for Declarations
Local Court Pre-Trial Conferences
Stipendiary Magistrates Act: Prescribed Examinations
Fitzgerald River Nation Park – Boundary Amendment
Norman Ngatayi: Parole
Australian Bicentennial Programme: State Funding
Purchase of Lake Clifton Land
Interim Meat Marketing Advisory Committee
State interpreter and translator service for W.A.
Federal Offenders: Commonwealth/State Arrangements
Office Accommodation and Passenger Handling Facilities: No. 4. Barrack Street Jetty
Betting Control Board Membership –Appointment of Member
Podiatrists Registration Board – Appointment of Member
Rural and Allied Industries Council – Appointment of Chairman
Building Societies Advisory Board – Re-appointment of member
Appointment of Director to Western Australian Development Corporation

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 7th of April, 1986
Government Owned Saleyards (Midland Saleyards)
Pastoral Tenure Study Group Report
New Timetable – Regional Cabinet Meetings
Local Courts amendment Bill, 1986
Public Trustee amendment Bill, 1986
America's Cup legislation – Proposed to deal with spectator craft and crowd control problems
Stock (Brands and Movement) Act
Amendments to the Mining Act – Registration of the names of holders of Units in Unit Trusts
Occupational Health, Safety and Welfare amendment Bill
Strata Titles Act, 1985 – Proposal for amendment
Builders Registration Act
Credit (Administration) amendment Bill
Review of Special Hire Charges
Water Police Facility – Provisioning of construction of a Water Police Facility in North Fremantle
Purchasing Access to Education Supplies Branch for Non-Government Schools
Companies and Securities Advisory Committee
Permission to negotiate rentals on leased Pre-Primary Centres
Implementation of the Fisheries Element of the Offshore Constitutional Settlement (OCS)
Official Prosecutions (Defendants' Costs) Act – Proposal to Increase Costs
Senate of the University of W.A. – Appointment of member
Rural Housing Authority – Appointment of Chairman
Appointment of District Court Judge
Carnarvon Banana Industry Compensation Committee – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 14th of April, 1986
Redevelopment of the Old Swan Brewery Site
Administrative Arrangements Regional Development Portfolio
Formation of the Committee to examine the shortage of Country Doctors
Kwinana Industrial Area – Environmental Control
Constitution Amendment Act 1986
Local Government Act Amendments – Approval to Draft
Counselling Services for Distressed Farmers and Other Rural People
Systems Research Institute of Australia (SRIA) – Seeking Cabinet Endorsement to Government providing no further Financial Assistance
General Insurance Brokers and Agents Act – Approval of printing and introduction
Amending legislation – Explosives and dangerous goods Act
Incorporation of Department of Agriculture
Abrolhos Islands Consultative Committee – Formalise Establishment of Committee and consider method of Operation
Justice Act: Appeals
Mindarie Keys Project – Compensation to the Abalone Industry
Legislative Assembly Districts – Election Process
Proposed Training Courses for Enrolled Nurses
Proposed Bungle Bungle National Park
Settlement Agents Supervisory Board – Appointment of Member
Australian Bo-Centennial Authority – Appointment of Director

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 21st of April, 1986
Grants Commission 1988 Review of State Relativities
W.A. Museum: Geraldton Branch Upgrade Opening Hours
Local Government Act Amendments – Approval to Draft
Rural Non-farm Business – Formation of Working Party
Litter Act Amendments – Approval to Print
(Electoral Reform) Acts amendment Bill, 1986
Amending legislation – Mines regulation Act, 1946 – 1974
Proposed Amendments to Mines regulation Act, 1946 – 1974
Review of Liquor License Fees
Repeal: Regulation of Anchorage Act 1871 and Shipwrecked Colonial Seamen's Act, 1880
Amendment to Government Railways Act
Bicycle Policy and Management
Regionalisation of the Public Service
Mental Health Nurses – 38 Hour Week
Proposal to Restructure the W.A. Film Council
Transport Operating Agencies increases in fees and charges for 1986-1987
Redevelopment of Old Geraldton Regional Prison
Membership of the board of the Bunbury Institute of Advanced Education
Committee of the Water Authority of Western Australia Carnarvon Irrigation District Advisory Committee – Appointment of members
Committee of the Water Authority of Western Australia Broome Groundwater Advisory Committee – Appointment of members
W.A. Tourism Commission – Appointment of members
Appointment of District Court Judge

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 28th of April, 1986
Mr. and Mrs. W.A. and A. Hemsley – Claim for compensation
Proposed Administrative Re-Organization of T.A.F.E.
Regulation of the Building and Construction Industry
Pearling Act 1912 – Amendments to fees
Road Traffic Act – Proposed action of Concession on Motor Vehicle Registration fees for certain pensioners
Hairdressers Registration Act – Updating the Act
Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act – Reallocations
Function Review – Department of Lands and Surveys
Relocation of Metropolitan South-East Regional Education Office
Sitting Fees – Mr. F Cocks, Authority for Intellectually Handicapped Persons
Dental Board of Western Australia
Women's Advisory Council – Appointment of Member
Western Australian Industrial Commission – Appointment of Member

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 5th of May, 1986
1989 Iula World Congress – Sponsorship
Department for the Arts – Proposal to Establish, review major cultural institutions and absorb activities of current Western Australian Arts Council
Rural Aid – Interest rate relief scheme for Farmers
Occupational Health, Safety and Welfare Act
Proposed amendments to the Industrial Relations Act 1979
Implementation of Albany tomorrow – Great Southern development authority
Review of Liquor License fees
Fair Trading Bill – Approval of Drafting
S.E.C. electricity and gas traffic changes 1986-1987
Local courts – Venues for hearings
State Road Revenue – Overview of funds
Geographe Bay boat harbour project
Fees and Charges –Increase charges under Construction, Machine Safety and Factories and Shops Acts.
Nerrima Station – Foreign ownership of land – Policy
Transfer of library board land to the Crown
Abolition of apprentice sub-committee for Government contracts
Lane-Poole Reserve – Clarification of Cabinet decisions
Board of the Solar Energy Research Institute of W.A. – Appointment of members
Karratha College Council – Appointment of members
Magistracy of W.A. – Appointment of Stipendiary Magistrate
Board of the Art Gallery of Western Australia – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 12th of May, 1986
Government employees housing rents Standardisation Policy
Ross Payne and Company – Financial assistance
Proposed Rental Housing Trust
Potential loss of part of Fuel Franchise Levy
Australian Medical Association – Claim to increased remuneration for medical specialists and general practitioners in the Public Hospitals
'Sitting dates – Winter session 1986'
Mr. and Mrs. W.A. and A. Hemsley – Compensation
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. and A Hemsley – Claim for compensation – Solicitor's recommendation
Marmion Avenue-West Coast Highway road link
Acts Amendment Port Headland – Extension of pilotage area and channel maintenance
Abolition of Western Australian Wheat Board
Metropolitan region town planning scheme Amendment Bill
Amendments to Mining Act 1978
Amendments to State Energy Commission Act 1979 – Updates to Act
Bills of Sale Amendment Bill 1986 – Seeking of Cabinets approval for draft bill
Review of Land Tax
U.N. Convention on contracts for the international sale of goods
Mines Regulation Act – Amending of legislation
Fuel Franchise Levy – Seeking Cabinet approval to changes of Levy
Tenants Advice Service – Funding
National Food Standards Agreement – Model food standards regulations
Report into Retail Trading Hours in W.A.
Pre-School Education – Provision of places for all 4 year olds
Dairy Industry Authority – Quota Appeals Committee – Appointment of members
Poultry Industry Trust Fund Advisory Committee – Appointment of Chairman
Aboriginal Housing Board of W.A. – Appointment of members
Land Values Licensing Board – Appointment of members
Prison Officers Appeal Tribunal – Appointment of Member
Dairy Industry Authority of W.A. – Appointment of Member
Western Australian Meat Commission – Appointment of members
Western Australian Meat Marketing Commission – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 19th of May, 1986
Future of State Engineering Works
Managing Change in the Public Sector
State Government Insurance Commission
Co-Ordination of Human Services and Community Development in non-metropolitan Western Australia
Report of Inter-Departmental Committee on Liquor License fees assessment procedures
Promotions of Acts Amendment (Electoral Reform) Bill 1986
Town Planning and Development Amendment Bill
Payroll Tax Assessment Amendment Bill
Future Industry (Application of laws) Bill
Forrest Place and City Station Redevelopment Project – Amendment to Act
Proposed closure of right-of-way adjourning Caporn Street, Mosman Park
Amendment to Agriculture Protection Board Act 1950
Rice Mill: Kununurra – Sale of Rice and Peanut Mill Complex to Ord River District Co-operative
Financial support for W.A.I.T. – Key centre for resource exploration
Horticultural Export Development Council – Appointment of members
Law Reform Commission – Appointment of Commissioner
Rural Adjustment and Finance Corporation of Western Australia – Appointment of member
Builders Registration Board - Appointment of members
Taxi Control Board - Appointment of member
Bush Fires Board - Appointment of members
Poisons Advisory Board - Appointment of members
Land Valuation Tribunal - Appointment of Chairman
Appeal Costs Board – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 26th of May, 1986
Standard Clause – Notification of change
Transport Agencies – Increase in fees and charges for 1986-87
Water Police Facility – Selection of Site for proposed facility
Acts Amendment (Financial Administration and Audit) Bill 1986
Financial Administration and Audit Act Amendment Bill, 1986 – Approval of printing
Proposed amendments to the Salaries and Allowances Act and the Parliamentary Superannuation Act in respect of the Parliamentary Superannuation Fund
Aboriginal Land Tenure – Special funding arrangements with The Commonwealth Government
Secondary Student Allowance Scheme
Builders Registration Act – Amendment Bill
Local Government Act Amendment – Parking control / Disabled parking enforcement
Report of the Functional Review Committee – Rural Youth Movement Council
Regulation of Building and Construction IND. Access to directions issues by the Inspectorate
Leave of Absence from prison – Seeking Cabinet approval to amend Act
Review of Port Authority Administration
Y.E.S. Cabinet sub-committee formation
Use of surplus Government housing
Leeuwin – Naturaliste land use study

Special Cabinet Meeting – 4th of June, 1986
Transport Co-ordination Amendment Bill 1986
Electoral Commission - Approval of principles for establishment

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 9th of June, 1986
Policy concerning the over-all management of redundancy
Government advertising master contract
Forrest Place and City Station redevelopment
Transport Trust Fund – Seeks Cabinet approval to draft, print and introduce legislative amendments
Parliamentary Superannuation Fund – Proposed amendments
Amendment to Section 170(1) of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Parliamentary Commissioner Amendment Bill
Land Act Amendment – Boundary fencing of conditional purchase leases as a requirement for freehold
Approval to print – Reserves and Land Revestment Bill
Local Government Amendment Act and valuation of Land Amendment Act – Approval to print
Pearling Act 1912 – Amendment
Building Industry (Code of Conduct) Act 1986 – Cabinet approval for printing
Fremantle Port Authority Act – Amendment
Members of Parliament (Financial Interests) Bill 1986 – Approval of drafting and printing
Soil and Land Conservation Act, 1945 – Administrative amendments
Cement Works (Cockburn Cement LTD.) Agreement
Transitional Parliamentary Superannuation – Establishment of rights
Payroll Tax – Increased revenue and grouping provisions
Tobacco – Business Franchise
Fees – Department of Occupational Health, Safety and Welfare
Regulation of the Building and Construction Industry
Report – Community justice systems and alcohol control
Land Information System
Investigation of the State Government Tendering System involving a requirement to employ apprentices
“Rylington Park” – Funding for farm manager
International symposium of applied ovine sciences Perth, February, 1987
Mental Health Nurses – 38 Hour Week – Consideration of Budget Cabinet Committee
Travel Agents Act – Approval of Western Australia becoming a party to Participation Agreement
School Cleaning Service – Implementation of Pilot Scheme
Shortage of high security prisoner accommodation
Long Service Leave – Approval of Ex Gratia payment
License Fees for limited entry Fisheries
Rural adjustment and finance corporation – Computerisation
Queen Bee Market Establishment – Financial support for Technical Officer employment
Special carry-on loan scheme – Funding
Proposal for Western Australia to host work skill Australia national skill competitions in Perth 1987 and request for appropriate funding
Industrial and commercial employees housing authority - Appointment of members
Conservation and Environmental Council - Appointment of members
Animal Resources Authority - Appointment of members
Keep Australia Beautiful Council - Appointment of members
Local Government Superannuation Board – Appointment of First deputy member

Nurses Board of Western Australia - Appointment of members
Honey Pool of Western Australia – Appointment of Chairman
Occupational Health, Safety, and Welfare Commission – Appointment of a replacement member
Commercial Tribunal – Appointment of Temporary Additional Chairman
Royal Perth Hospital Board - Appointment of members
Legal Aid Commission - Appointment of members
State Engineering Works - Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 16th of June, 1986
Kimberly pastoral leases – Sherwin group of companies
Regionalization of the public service
Additional Assistance – Electorate Offices
Strata Titles Act 1985 – Amendments
Port Headland Port Authority "Amendment Act"
Draft, print and introduce legislation to repeal W.A. Arts Council Act of 1973
Proposed Warnbro Clearance Area (Unexploded ordnance) Act.
Settlement Agents Act – Recommending amendments
Bunbury Golden Classic – To allow licensed bookmakers to field on proposed Bunbury Golden Classic
Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act 1983 – Approval of Amendment
Foreign Judgements: Submission to jurisdiction
Water Authority of W.A. Income, rates and charges and Government grants for 1986/1987
Homeswest America's Cup projects
Leschenault Inlet Management Authority – Appointment of members
Peel Inlet Management Authority – Appointment of members
Appointments – Western Australian Greyhound Racing Association
Pastoral Board – Appointment of Chairman

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 23rd of June, 1986
R. and I. Bank – Salaries of Commissioners
Phasing out of marriage allowance
Enquiry into child sexual abuse
Amendment to Section 26 of the Motor Vehicle (Third Party Insurance) Act
Iron Ore (McCamey's Monster) Agreement
Establishment of a Transport trust fund
Inheritance Act: Defacto Husbands
Local Government Act Amendment – Disabled Parking Enforcement
Land Tax Assessment Act Amendment
Transfer control of mine machinery from Machinery Safety Act to the Mines Regulation Act
Amendment to Section 151(A) of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Closure of Fremantle Prison: Replacement of Prison Site
Business Migration – Western Australia
Purchase of Lake Clifton Land
McCabe St. Development study (Old C.S.B.P. Site)
Financial Support for W.A.I.T. Key Resource centre for exploration
Development of the Hillary's Boat Harbour Complex
Official Prosecutions (Defendant's Costs) Act – Review of scale of costs: Criminal Injuries Compensation Act – Increase of maximum entitlement
Recommendations for Bush Fire Control in W.A.
Removal of State Government purchasing references
Report by the Functional Review Committee on the Urban Lands Council
Southern Sea Farm Mariculture study
Hairdressers Registration Board – Appointment of Deputy member
Swan River Management Authority – Appointment of members
Builders Registration Board – Appointment of Deputy member
Nomenclature Advisory Committee – Appointment of member
Rural Housing Authority – Appointment of member

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 30th of June, 1986
Australian Insurance Exchange – Establishment of Australian Insurance Exchange in Perth
Implementation of Election Policy – Utility Rebates
Proposed Amendment to the Salaries and Allowances Act in respect of the entitlements of the Leader of the Opposition of the Minor Party
Government Guarantee – Phoenix Engineering PTY. LTD.
Stipendiary Magistrates Amendment Bill – Approval of printing and amendments to Bill
Acts Amendment (Electoral Reform) Bill 1986 – Approval of printing
Amendments, Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act 1981-1985 – Approval to print and Introduce a Bill
Construction Safety Amendment Act – 1986
East Perth Project – Advisory and Seeking of Approval of Cabinet in regards to recommendations of Committee for East Perth Land Use
Business Migration – Western Australia
Tobacco Packaging – Health Warnings
Ammonia/Urea Project – Site Selection
Manjimup Cannery Debt Clearance
N.O.A.A. Satellite Tracking Station – Securing of special funds
Potential Coal Exports – Demonstration of Suitability of Collie Coal
Poultry Industry Trust Fund Committee – Appointment of members

Taxi Control Board – Appointment of members
Government School Teachers Tribunal – Appointment of members
Traffic Board – Appointment of members
Hedland College Council – Appointment of member
Fremantle Hospital Board – Appointment of members
Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs Commission – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 14th of July, 1986
Retention of lodging allowance – Police Department
Purchase of Lake Clifton land
Construction Submarine Project – W.A. Submission
Development of a marine support facility at Jervoise Bay
Western Australian Overseas Projects Authority Land Information System Services for the Government of Sarawak
America's Cup legislation – Printing and introduction of Bill
Valuation of Land Act
Miscellaneous Repeals Act 1986
Foreign Judgements: Submission to jurisdiction
Uniform Door to Door (Sales) Act – Approval of drafting
Schools Cleaning Service: Implementation of new cleaning system
Stateships Papua New Guinea proposal
Establishment of skills training centre for the plastics and associated industries in W.A.
S.C.M. Effluent Disposal – Proposed chloride process
Ammonia/Urea Project – Site Selection
Amanda Jenny Wilbraham
Abolition of the Legislative Review and Advisory Committee
Reform of the Legislative Assembly standing orders – Referral to Standing Orders Committee
Termination of Potato Board's marketing agreement with Alex Murray P/L.
Proposed Beeliar Regional Park
A scheme to facilitate the supply of new private rental housing by private developers utilising Homeswest land housing
Stateships M.V. "Irene Greenwood" Charter proposal
Establishment of Children's advisory council
Southern Sea Farm Mariculture Study
Sitting Dates – Spring session
Construction Industry long service leave payments board.
Karratha College Council – Appointment of member
Kalgoorlie College Council – Appointment of members
Bunbury Port Authority – Appointment of Members
Board of the Water Authority of Western Australia – Appointment of member
Land Drainage rating objection Committee- Appointment of Regional Manager
Commercial Tribunal – Appointment of members
Parole Board – Appointment of members
Medical Board of Western Australia - Appointment of members
Workers Compensation Board – Appointment of Chairman

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 21st of July, 1986
Premier's economic statement – Review of Government employment practices
A scheme for financial assistance for remote area television reception
Financial assistance for television reception in Kununurra subdivisions
Fitzroy Crossing Television and Radio Station – Recommendation of financial assistance
W.A. Educational Satellite network (Wesnet)
Fremantle foreshore – Pedestrian crossings
America's Cup "People's day"
Third party insurance surcharge
Environmental Protection Bill – Approval to print (Incorporating, Acts Amendment and Repeal) (Environmental Protection Bill, 1986)
Criminal Law Amendment Bill 1986 – Seeking Cabinet approval to print
Acts Amendment (Recording of Depositions) Bill 1986 - Seeking Cabinet approval to print
Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Amendment Bill
Government policy initiative relative to mining in national parks and nature reserves
Amendment to Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act, 1976
Amendment to Section 112 (14) of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Pre-Trial Discovery - Seeking Cabinet approval to draft a bill
Amendment to Rural Housing (Assistance) Act
Office of Energy Policy and Planning – Motion to Establish
Kwinana Freeway A.M. Peak contra flow bus lane
Reallocation of non-nursing duties and development of hospital attendant traineeships
Computer aided design and drafting systems
Coogee coastal area study
Kununurra Light Industrial Area – Redevelopment
Report on the implications of the closure of the meatworks on the Wyndam Community
Amendments to the Argyle Social Impact Group
Carnarvon flood mitigation
Public involvement in the America's Cup
Funding for proposed Bungle Bungle National Park
Appointment of Executive Director/Under-secretary for lands, Department of Land Administration
Metropolitan Planning Council – Appointment of members
Western Australian Egg Marketing Board – Appointment of member

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 28th of July, 1986
Fremantle foreshore – Pedestrian crossing
Relocation of Alcoa Mining operations away from Dwellingup and Land Poole Reserve
Flexible trading hours – Liquor industry
Penalty provisions – Potato marketing legislation
Bill to establish Curtin University of Technology
Marine pollution control
Bunbury Golden Classic - To allow licensed bookmakers to field on proposed Bunbury Golden Classic
Subsidy rate for off-road usage of motor spirit in agricultural production
Establishment of ministerial office in Geraldton
Lotteries Commission: Funding of Non-Government welfare organization
Busselton Water Board – Appointment of members
Nomenclature Advisory Committee – Appointment of member
Coal Miners Welfare Board of W.A. – Appointment of members
*Perth Dental Hospital Board – Appointment of member
Kings Park Board – Appointment of member

*Swan River Management Authority – Appointment of member
*Deputy Commissioner of Police – Appointment of Deputy Commissioner
*Headland College Council – Appointment of members
Western Australian Potato Marketing Board – Appointment of member

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 11th of August, 1986
Meat Marketing Corporation – To advise Cabinet of recommendations of the Chairman and seeking of funding and legislative approval for these recommendations
Timber Royalty Increase
Orbital Engine Company – Financial assistance package
Residential tenancy legislation – Approval of Drafting
Commercial Tribunal – Abolition of occupational licensing boards
Stamp Duty on marketable securities: Two-day exemption period for stockbrokers
Establishment of the W.A. Sports Centre trust
Rate of levy per tonne of coal paid to the Coal Miners Welfare Board
Amendments to section 122 and clause of 17 of Schedule 1 of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Fisheries Act – Amendments
Leases of Crown Land for the use and benefit of Aboriginal Inhabitants
Restraining orders: Justices act amendment
Amendments to the Small Business Guarantees Act
Payment of fees to Chairman of W.A. Sports Council and Chairman of the W.A. Institute of Sport
Government guarantee – Phoenix Engineering PTY. LTD. – Withdrawal
On farm water supplies
Provision of car parking bays
Provision of canteen or cafeteria facilities in government offices
Coal Miners Welfare Board – Appointment of members
Geraldton Port Authority – Appointment of member
Traffic Board – Appointment of members
Local Government Superannuation Board – Appointment of members
Committees of Water Authority of Western Australia – Appointment of members
Zoological Gardens Board – Reappointment of member
*Land Valuation Tribunal – Appointment of members
Bush Fires Board – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 18th of August, 1986
Equal opportunity for disabled people – Discussion paper
Revised port safety scheme
Sale of Goods (Vienna Convention) Act 1986
Control of Vehicles (Off-road areas) Act
Restriction of water supply 1) Homeswest's tenants 2) Other residential properties
Multicultural access plans for State Government
Corporate Affairs Department: Information retailing by the private sector
Interest subsidies to private hospitals
Use of helicopters by arrangement with the National Safety Council of Australia
Acquisition of computing equipment – Centre 4

Purchase of Boathaugh property – Margret River
Liquid waste disposal – Licensing
Australian Bicentennial Authority – State bicentennial programme and funding
Senior citizens week
D.C.S. Procedures for giving financial and travel assistance to victims of domestic violence
Youth representation on Government boards and committees
Wanneroo groundwater area – Variation of boundary
Country High School Hostel Authority – Appointment of members
*Board of Management: South West Development Authority – Appointment of member
*Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital – Appointment of members
Esperance Port Authority – Appointment of member
Dental Board of Western Australia – Appointment of member
Peel Inlet Management Authority – Appointment of member
*Secondary Education Authority – Appointment of Chairman

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 1st of September, 1986
Government Employee Housing – Air-conditioning policy
Premier's economic statement Government/TLC Negotiation Committee
Leave of absence from prison
Parliamentary Commissioner Amendment Bill 1986
Amendments to Section 122 and schedule 1 of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Comprehensive occupational health, safety and welfare legislation
Associated Banks in W.A. – Amendments to Settlement Agents Act, 1981
Pawnbrokers Act – Approval for drafting of new Act
Land Tax Amendment – Metropolitan Regional Improvement Tax (M.R.I.T.)
Sports betting and bingo at the W.A.C.A Ground
Evidence on Commission
Willis: Substantial Compliance – Seeking Cabinet to approval to draft a bill and make amendments
Amendment to Friendly Societies Act, 1894
Amendment to Co-operative and Provident Societies Act
America's Cup Trading – Trading Hours
Demarcation Dispute – Construction sites requiring gas installations
Relocation of school children from Carson Street School
Kartenup Hostel Disposal – Katanning
Relocation of school children from Carson St. School
Public hospital fees
Strata Titling – Caravan Parks
Costal planning and management in W.A.
Homeswest Loan Schemes – Housing interest rates
Rural Adjustment and Finance Corporation – Appointment for Chairman
Nomenclature Advisory Committee – Appointment of member
Government Domain Reserve Board – Appointment of member
Chiropractors Registration Board – Appointment of members
Western Australian Post-Secondary Education Commission – Appointment of member
*Committees of the Water Authority – Appointments of members
Local Government Grants Commission – Appointment of deputy member

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 8th of September, 1986
Department of Premier and Cabinet as Employer of Electorate Secretaries
Royal Agricultural Society
Acquisition of computing equipment – Centre 4
Legislation for a Fishery Adjustment Scheme
Censorship of Films Act Amendment – Drive-in theatres
Incentives package to attract new construction submarine assembly in W.A.
Regional Cultural Facilities Fund
Perth Institute of Contemporary Art – Consideration of Government commitment
Builders Registration Board – Appointment of member
Parole Board – Appointment of member
*Law reform commission of Western Australia – Appointment of member
Totalisator Agency Board – Appointment of Deputy
Authority for the Intellectually Handicapped –Appointment of Chairman

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 15th of September, 1986
Escape Gaps – Rock lobster pots
Subsidy for GWN remote commercial television service (RCTS)
Education Act Amendment Bill
Motor Vehicle Dealers Act
Closed circuit television in Children's Courts
Administrative Decisions – Judicial review appeals
Rate of levy per tonne of coal paid to the Coal Miners Welfare Board
Great Southern Development Authority – Proposal to establish Board and Director
Basis of Valuation – High valued land
Government Guarantee Farmers Tractors Australia PTY. LTD. – Application for financial assistance
Alumina royalties
Ratification of I.L.O. Convention 145.
Purchase of Lake Clifton land
Nurses Board of Western Australia – Appointment of members
Appointment of Valuer General

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 22nd of September, 1986
Police officers – 38 Hour Week
Western Australia – Zhenjiang Province, China sister state relationship
Majestic Hotel site – Cabinet direction on development proposal
G.E.H.A. Recomposition and other amendments to G.E.H.A. Act 1964
Inheritance (Family and dependants provision) Amendment Bill 1986
Legislative review and advisory committee
Blood Donation (Limitation of Liability) Act 1985
Coal Mine Workers (Pension) Act
R. and I. Bank – Stamp duty exemption status
Residential tenancy legislation – Seeking Cabinets approval for drafting Bill
Report and recommendations of the Rural Non-Farm Business Committee
Mural in New International Airport
Proposed Visit to South Africa on Lupin Growing
Patenting public centre innovations
Rural industry research funds – New term appointment to staff positions
Carnarvon flood mitigation

Proposal to vary the provisions of appointment of the main roads board
State Government Insurance Commission

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 2nd of October, 1986
Amendment to Rural Housing (Assistance) Act
America's cup yacht race (Shopping hours) Bill, 1986
Control of Vehicles (Off-road areas) Amendment Bill
Proposal to vary the provisions of appointment of the Main Roads Board
Amendment to Co-operative and Provident Societies Act
Amendment to Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act 1976-1986 – Approval to print

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 6th of October, 1986
Sitting Dates – Autumn Session 1987
Manjimup Canning Co-operative Company LTD. – Offer to purchase
Consolidated revenue fund budget, 1986/87
Legislative Program – Budget Session 1986
Perth Mint – Appointment of Board of Directors
Approval to print – Reserves and Land Revestment Bill (No.2) 1986
Proposed amendments to the Parliamentary Superannuation Act and the Salaries and Allowances Act in respect of Parliamentary Superannuation Fund
Cemeteries Bill and Cremation Amendment Bill – Approval
Crimes (State Powers) Bill
Consolidation of water legislation
Proposed amendments to the Road Traffic Act
Miscellaneous Amendments and Repeals Bill
Companies (Consequential Amendments) Bill, 1986
Abolition of Industry and Commercial Employees Housing Authority
Health Act Amendments
Abolition of Office of Commissioner for Declarations
Amendments – Bush Fires Act, 1954-84
A competitive Westrail
Residential tenancy legislation
Amendment to the Town Planning and Development Act
Report and recommendations of the Rural Non-Farm Business Committee
Mural in new International Airport
Patenting public sector innovations
Rural industry research funds – New term appointment staff positions
Carnarvon flood mitigation
Sir Charles Gairdner hospital – 'A' Block redevelopment
Exclusive mandate for a petrochemical project
Tobacco packaging health warnings
Relocation of School Children from Carson Street School
W.A.C.A.E. Council – Appointment of member
State Government Insurance Commission – Appointment of members
Swan River Management Authority – Appointment to Executive Council
Committees of the Water Authority – Appointment of members
Real Estate and Business Agents Supervisory Board – Appointment of members
Chicken Meat Industry Committee – Appointment of members
Lotteries Commission – Reappointment and Appointment of members

Small Claims Tribunal – Part-Time Referees – Appointment of members
Chiropractors Registration Board – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 13th of October, 1986
Boards and Committees – Review of Fees
Managing Change in the public sector – Implementation
Department of the Premier and Cabinet as employer of Electorate Secretaries
Examination of work and management practices of the Building Management Authority
Amendment to Section 26 of the Motor Vehicle (Third Party) Insurance Act
Legislative amendments to affecting the old state superannuation scheme
Port Authorities – Appointment of Board members
Application by Atlantis Marine Park to capture seals from the wild
Reef Blasting
Parliament House
Betting Control Act, 1954
Valuation of Land Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1986
Legislation – Land Tax
Amendment to Friendly Societies Act, 1894
Legal aid Commission Amendment Bill 1986
Amendments, Section 5 of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment, Section 10a of the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment, Section 19 of the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment, Section 109 of the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment, Section 158 of the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment to Section 160 of the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment, Employers' indemnity supplementation fund
Repeal of the Bread Act 1982-85
Amendments to the Mining Act
Dog Act amendments
Proposed: 1) Amendments to the Security Agents Act; and 2) Repeal of the Inquiry Agents Licensing Board
Review and Re-organization of Government Purchasing Systems
Rental increase – Industrial and Commercial Employees' Housing Authority
Prisons Department: Review of prison officer utilisation
Transfer of nurse education to tertiary institutions
Aboriginal lands trust
Local Government Auditors Board – Appointment of members
Mining Industry Advisory Council – Appointment of members
*Companies Auditors and Liquid Disciplinary Board – Re-appointment of member
State Government Insurance Commission – Appointment of members
Department of Arts – Appointment of Executive Director

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 20th of October, 1986
Proposed pigment factory (Australind) agreement
Northern Jarrah Forest Reserves – Tenure and Vesting
Lane-Poole Reserve – Water
Proposed amendments to the Road Traffic Act
Bennet brook – Natural gas pipeline

Specific enabling legislation to permit the merger of Perth Building Society and Hotham Permanent Building Society
Acts Amendment (Electoral reform) Bill, 1986
Parliamentary Superannuation Act
Betting Control Act, 1954
Amendment, Section 5 of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment, Section 10A of the Workers Compensation and Assistance Act
Repeal of the Bread Act, 1982-85
Control of crossbows – Proposed legislation
Dog Act amendments
Review and reorganization of Government purchasing systems
Examination of work practices of the B.M.A
Referral of proposals for disposition of Crown land to Minister for minerals and energy
Consumer Products Safety Committee – Remuneration of members
Clearance of Department of Mines W.A.M.E.X. backlog
North Fremantle – Formation of Cabinet Sub-Committee to co-ordinate development
Recruitment and employment of apprentices in the Public Sector
W.A.C.A.E. Council – Appointment of member
*Swan Ground Water/Advisory and Stony Brook Irrigation Committee – Appointment of members
Workers Assistance Commission (Member) – Appointment of Deputies
*Betting Control Board – Appointment of Deputy
*Appointment to the position of Secretary, Western Australian Fire Brigades Board
*State Government Insurance Commission (Interim) – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 27th of October, 1986
Public access to Cabinet documents
Establishment of one-stop shop in Bunbury
Betting Control Act 1954
Marine pollution control: New and amending legislation
Rate of levy per tonne of coal paid to the Coal Miners Welfare Board
Betting Control (Bunbury Golden Classic) Bill 1986
America's Cup amending legislation
Amendment, Section 5 of the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act
Amendment, Section 10A of the Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act
Dog Act amendments
Small Claims Tribunal
Health Act, 1911 – Amendments
Fire Prevention – Public Safety
Repeal of Convicted Inebriates Rehabilitation Act, 1963
Chapter 1 of the criminal code
Chapter 3 of the criminal code
Chapter 6 of the criminal code
Chapter 7 of the criminal code
Chapter 10 of the criminal code
Chapter 11 of the criminal code
Chapter 15 of the criminal code
Chapter 18 and 19 of the criminal code
Chapter 21 of the criminal code
Chapter 24 of the criminal code
Examination of the work practices of the B.M.A.

S.W.D.A – South West promotion
Use of Westrail, Stateships and Total West by Government departments and statutory authorities
Utilizing Commonwealth Government training fee for traineeships
Takeover of employee housing by the G.E.H.A.
The "Ocean Freeway" coastal ferry services
Alcohol Education – Development of a public education program
Commercial Tribunal Panel of Experts – Appointment of member
Appointment – Licensing post

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 3rd of November, 1986
State Government Insurance Commission – Regulations
Stamp Duty avoidance practices
Closure of Heathcore hospital
Appointment of Secretary – W.A. Fire Brigades Board
W.A.I.T. Amendment Bill
Fisheries Amendment Act Bill, 1986
Town Planning and Development Amendment Bill (No. 2)
Biological control legislation
Amendment to Agriculture Protection Board
Port Authorities – Appointment of Board members
Approval to print a Bill to provide for a 50% concession on motor vehicle registration fees for aged pensioners
Liquor Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1986
Health Act, 1911 – Amendments
Fire Prevention – Public Safety
S.E.C. Act, 1979 – Amendments
Release on licence for deportation
Evidence on commission
National industry extension service
Proposed S.P.C. Improvement Plan No. 22 – The spectacles
Granting of a reference to parallel N.C.A. Reference No. 7
Cadastral survey costs
*M.T.T. Board – Appointment of member
*Honey Pool of Western Australia – Re-appointment of Director
*Herd improvement service – Re-appointment of member
*Beekeepers' compensation fund committee – Appointment of member
*The West Australian Potato Marketing Board – Appointment of member
*State Government Insurance Commission – Appointment of Managing Director
*Commissioner for Aboriginal Planning, Aboriginal Affairs Planning Authority
*The West Australian Potato Marketing Board – Appointment of members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 10th of November, 1986
Demarcation Dispute – Construction sites requiring gas installations
Provision of Canteen or Cafeteria facilities in Government offices
Farmers Tractors Australia PTY. LTD. Government Guarantee
RANF claim for a Clinical Career Structure. Wage increase and improvements in employment conditions
Meat Inspection Services – Seeking Cabinet approval for arrangement negotiated with Commonwealth that Commonwealth becomes solely responsible for on-line meat inspection

Government Foundries – Seeking approval from Cabinet for 1) Rationalisation of S.E.W and Westrail Foundry 2) Obtaining private sector interest in new Government/Private Sector Foundry
Superannuation – Exiting the old scheme
Mechanisms to enhance protection of the Swan and Canning Rivers and to streamline Government decision making in regard to these waters
Western Australian Sports Centre Trust Bill 1986 – 1) Enactment of WA Sports Centre Trust Bill 1986 2) Establishment of a trust to inter align development and maintain the WA Sports Centre
Legislation to standardise long service leave for employees in Public Sector employment
Amendments to Mining Act 1978
Boxing Control Bill 1986 – 1) Enactment of Boxing Control Bill 1986 2) Leading to Establishment of the Western Australian Boxing Commission
Specific enabling legislation to permit the merger of Perth Building Society and Hotham permanent building society (Merger) Bill 1986
Amalgamation of EXIM and WAOPA – Seeking approval for printing and introduction of new legislation
Liquor Act – Flexible Trading Hours
Bush Fires Act – Review of Penalties
The use of South-West Timber branch lines for tourist railways
Sheltered Workshops and Prison industries – Unfair Commercial Competition
Upper secondary mixed mode provision in district High Schools
Additional Staff – Project 'Chemical PP450 Fungicide to control take-all disease in wheat'
Ratification of I.L.O. Convention 146
Pre-Trial Discovery – To seek cabinet approval to have Cabinet decision of 21st of July, 1986, on this matter, rescinded
Brentwood Police Station – Replacement Complex
Supplementary funds for additional drug squad equipment
Proposal to use metropolitan collecting agencies for Licensing Transactions
Proposal for Establishment of a Police Employees Welfare Unit
Town Planning Appeal Tribunal – Appointment of Deputy Member

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 17th of November, 1986
Acquisition of Compute Site
Wittenoom Asbestos Problem
Coal Mine Workers (Pensions) Act – Seeking Cabinet approval to print and introduce Coal Mine Workers (Pensions) Amendment Bill 1986
Part-Time special magistrates appointments to Children's Courts
Metropolitan Markets – Relocation
Wesply (Dardanup) Agreement Authorisation Act 1975 – Stumpage Rates
Stock (Brands and Movement) Amendment Act 1986 – Removal of Requirement for Pigs to be branded where the pigs are consigned directly from the property to meatworks for slaughter
Video Tapes Classification and Control Bill 1986 – Approval of Printing a Bill to control classification and distribution of video tapes in Western Australia
Amendments, Employers' Indemnity Supplementation Fund Act and Workers' Compensation and Assistance Act – Approval to print and introduce a Bill
Health Amendment Act 1986 – Approval of Printing
Business Franchise (Tobacco) Amendment Bill 1986 – Seeking Cabinets approval to print
Liquor Act – Flexible Trading Hours

Non-Government School Funding – Amendments to Education Act
Review of the Criminal Code: Corroboration
Review of the Criminal Code: Chapter 25 Section 220 and 221, Miscellaneous Offences
Review of the Criminal Code: Chapter 8 Section 54 – 61, Offences against the Executive and Legislative Power
Review of the Criminal Code: Section 188 and 189, "Idiot or Imbecile"
Review of the Criminal Code: Section 236, Examination of accused persons in Custody
Review of the Criminal Code: Chapter 23, Nuisances; Misconduct relating to Corpses
Sheltered Workshop and Prison Industries – Uniform Commercial Competition
Demarcation Dispute – Construction Sites requiring Gas installations
Takeover of Employee Housing by the G.E.H.A.
Boddington Housing – I.C.E.H.A.
Bunbury Tower – Rent increase
Payment of Fees to Members of W.A. Greyhound Racing Association
Moratorium on Applications for Liquor Licences
Rural Water Supplies
Marketing of Secondary Education Programmes – South East Asia
Recovery of outstanding water charges and restriction of water supply 1) Homeswest's Tenants 2) Other Properties
Hedland College Council – Appointment of Member
Library Board of Western Australia – Appointment of Members
Eastern Goldfields Transport Board – Appointment of Chairman

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 24th of November, 1986
Government House Foundation/Trust. Friends of Government House. Maintenance and Restoration
Domestic Violence Task Force: Report of co-ordinating and collating committee
Standardisation of long service leave for Public Sector employees
Stamp Duty on international classes of Insurance
Wesply (Dardanup) Agreement Authorisation Act 1975 – Variation Agreement
Mechanisms to enhance protection of the Swan and Canning Rivers and to streamline Government Decision making in regard to these waters – Reviewal of Legislation
Meat Marketing Corporation/Meat Commission – Advice to Cabinet of proposals
Marketing of Eggs Amendment Bill 1986
Penalties for Contempt of Court – Seeking of Cabinet approval to print and introduce attached draft Bill
Censorship of Films Amendment Bill 1986
Liquor Act – Flexible Trading Hours
Review of the Criminal Code – Corroboration
Legislation for a Fishery Adjustment Scheme
Acquisition of a computer site
Metropolitan Markets – Relocation
Sheltered Workshop and Prison Industries – Unfair Commercial Competition
Takeover of Employee Housing by G.E.H.A.
Rural Water Supplies – Seeking approval for 1) A Revised Farm Water Supply Loan Scheme 2) Revised arrangements for the provision of emergency stock water
Marketing of Secondary Education Programmes – South East Asia
Socio-economic survey of New Land Farmers
Additional Staff – Mapping of Prime Agricultural land

Additional Staff – Biochemical changes
Sitting Dates – Autumn and Spring Sessions, 1987 and 1988
Legislative review and Advisory Committee, Repeal Bill 1986
Regionalization of Local Court Registries
W.A. Police Union of Workers: Ex-Gratia Payments
Coal Miners' Accident Relief Fund Trust – Appointment of Member and Chairman
Karratha College Council – Appointment of Members
Land Surveyors Licensing Board – Reappointment of Members
*Strata Titles Referee – Appointment of Strata Titles Referee
Homeswest – Appointment of Chairman and Deputy Chairman
*Control of Vehicles (Off-Road Areas) Act, Advisory Committee – Appointment of Member
*Occupational Therapists Registration Board – Appointment of Members
Salaries and Allowances Tribunal – Appointment of member
*Land Purchase Board – Appointment of Members

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 1st of December, 1986
Mechanisms to enhance protection of the Swan and Canning Rivers to streamline Government decision making in regard to these waters – Reviewal of present conflicting/competing legislation
Restructuring of the Water Authority
1986-87 Grain Freight Rates
Funding for the construction of the southern stand at the W.A.C.A. Ground
Hillarys Boat Harbour – Limestone pinnacles
Hillarys Boat Harbour – Boat launching ramp and car/trailer parking fees
Censorship of Film Amendments Bill
Amendment to Stamp Duty Act
Drafting of a Bill to establish The Great Southern Development Authority
Metropolitan Markets – Relocation
Takeover of Employee Housing by G.E.H.A.
Regionalization of Local Court Registries
Road Traffic Code Amendment. Proposed Right-of-way for omnibuses leaving bus embayment's
Amendment to Fee Sharing Agreement (Co-operative Companies and Securities Scheme)
Mt. Newman (3rd Party Iron Ore) Transportation Agreement
Smoking Ban on New Australind Train Service
Chairman, Homeswest – Continuation of involvement of Chairman in policy review and establish appropriate remuneration
Implementation of the Functional Review Committee recommendations on the Government Chemical Laboratories
Planning Decisions: Appeals
Committee of Water Authority in W.A. – Appointment of Members
*Soil Conservation Advisory Committee – Appointment of Members
*Homeswest – Appointment of Chairman and Deputy Chairperson
*Appointment of Director, Art Gallery of Western Australia
*Totalisator Agency Board – Appointment of Members and Deputy Members
Rural Housing Authority – Appointment of Member
*Builders Registration Board – Appointment of Members
*Painters Registration Board – Appointment of Members
*Town Planning Appeal Tribunal – Appointment of Chairman
*Woman's Advisory Council – Appointment of Members
*Western Australian Coastal Shipping Commission (Stateships) – Reappointment of Commissioner and Chairman

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 8th of December, 1986
Redevelopment of the Old Swan Brewery Site
Rolls-Royce Company – Financial Assistance Package
South West Foundry – Application for a Government Guarantee
Amalgamation of Certain Agencies Within Industry and Technology Portfolio
Hon. Premier's economic statement – Moratorium on reclassifications
Poisons Act – Amendments
Guardianship and Administration Bill 1986 – Seeking Cabinet's reaffirmation towards Bill
Reduction in the rate of imprisonment: Abolition of Drunkenness as an offense
Licensing of Hovercraft and Ferries
Restructuring of the Water Authority
Regionalization of Local Court Registries – Seeking Cabinet approval
Quarrying of Limestone – West Cape Howe National Park
Patients' Assisted Travel Scheme
Proposal to use Metropolitan collecting agencies for Licensing Transactions
Main Roads Department, 1986/87 Programme of Works
Alcohol Education – Development of a public education programme on Alcohol Abuse
Private boat registration fees
Computer facilities for Bunbury Institute of Advanced Education
Development of the Old Geraldton Regional Prison
Builders Registration Board Annual Fees
Review of Gas Strategy Committee
Hillarys Boat Harbour: Lombardo Commercial Wharf development leases
East Perth Project: - City Northern Bypass Revitalization - Main Development Area Marketing
*Board of the Bunbury Institute of Advanced Education – Reappointment of Members and Chairman
*Western Australian Tourism Commission – Appointment of Members
*Betting Control Board – Appointment of Member
*Racecourse Development Trust – Appointment of Member
*Appointment of Judge – Liquor Licensing Court

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 15th of December, 1986
Redevelopment of the Old Swan Brewery Site
Shark Bay Planning Strategy – Purchase Nanga Pastoral Lease
Swan Valley Policy – Heritage Programme
Transfer of Vesting – Derby Leprosarium
Acts Amendment and Repeal Bill 1987
ICI Zirconia Plant – Commercial Agreement
ICI Zirconia Plant – Provision of Financial Assistance Package
Pastoral Leases – General rental re-appraisement
Appointment of Chief Executive Officer – Ministry of Education
Guardianship and Administration Bill, 1986
Amendment of the Grain Marketing Act, 1975
Stamp Duty Avoidance Practices
Reduction in the rate of Imprisonment – Seeking Cabinet approval of a package to reduce the rate of imprisonment
Restructuring of the Water Authority
Regionalization of Local Court Registries
Quarrying of Limestone – West Cape Howe National Park
Proposal to use Metropolitan collecting agencies for Licensing transactions

Alcohol Education
Builders Registration Board Annual Fees
Proposal for the establishment of Gallium and Rare Earth Plant at Pinjarra
Relocation of Westrail marshalling yards, Geraldton
Report of Committee on exploration and Mining in National Parks and Nature reserves (Bailey Report)
Family Support Programme. A joint Commonwealth/State Agreement
Reorganization of the National Safety Council
*Local Government Superannuation Board – Appointment of Deputy
*Law Reform Commission of Western Australia – Appointment of Member
*Country High School Hostels Authority – Reappointment of Members
*W.A. School of Mines Board and Management – Appointment of Members
*Nurses Board of Western Australia – Appointment of Member
*Traffic Board – Appointment of Deputy Chairman
*Keep Australia Beautiful Council (W.A.) – Appointment of Members and Deputies
*Land Valuation Tribunal – Appointment of Members, Deputy Members and Deputy to Chairman
*Esperance Port Authority – Reappointment of Chairman and Members
*Geraldton Port Authority – Reappointment of Chairman and Members
*Fremantle Port Authority – Reappointment of Chairman and Members
*Small Business Development Corporation – Reappointment of Chairman and Member
*EXIM Corporation – Appointment of Directors
*State Government Insurance Commission – Appointment of Treasurer

Cabinet Minutes and Decisions Meeting – 16th of December, 1986
Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital – 'A' Block Redevelopment
Meat Inspection Services – Report on the outcome of correspondence with the Minister for Primary Industry and to recommend a review of Cabinet's previous decision
McCabe Street Development Study (Old CSBP Site)
Wittenoom Asbestos Problem
Closure of the Home Garden Inquiries Centre
Great Southern Development Authority – Westrail Consultancy Study
Appointment of Judge – Liquor Licencing Court