



# HOUSE OF KEYS

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# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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**DOUGLAS**  
**TUESDAY 1st APRIL 2003**  
**at 10.00 am**

**PRESENT:** Mr Speaker and 22 Members, there being a vacancy in the constituency of Ramsey.

### **1. ORAL QUESTIONS**

Questions 1-8 were answered orally.

### **2. WRITTEN QUESTIONS**

Questions 1 to 3 were answered in writing.

### **3. ELECTION OF ONE PERSON TO SERVE AS MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL FOR A PERIOD EXPIRING ON 28TH FEBRUARY 2005.**

#### **Nominee**

**Thomas St John Neville Bates**  
**John Raymond Kniveton**

#### **Proposer**

**Hon R P Braidwood MHK**  
**Hon J P Shimmin MHK**

After a ballot neither candidate was elected.

Mr Speaker called for fresh nominations by 5pm on Friday 4th April 2003 and announced that a ballot to elect one person to fill the seat in the Legislative Council would take place at the sitting of the House already arranged for Tuesday 15th April 2003.

**4. BILL FOR FIRST READING**

**Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill** Mr Earnshaw

Bill read a first time.

**5. BILL FOR SECOND READING**

**Constitution (Legislative Council) Bill**

Motion made - that the Bill be now read a second time.

Mr Quine

House divided.

Motion carried.

Motion made - that Standing Orders 37(3) and 155 be suspended to allow amendments to the long title of the Constitution (Legislative Council) Bill 2003 to be moved at this sitting.

Mr Rodan

House divided.

Motion carried.

Motion made - in the long title of the Bill delete the words "the Legislative Council" and substitute "*Tynwald*"; and after "election" insert -

*"to make new provision for the constitution of the House of Keys and the Legislative Council;"*.

Mr Rodan

House divided.

Motion carried.

Motion made - that a committee of three Members be appointed to examine and consider the Constitution (Legislative Council) Bill, to take evidence thereon in public and to report to the House before the Clauses Stage.

Mr Rimington

Amendment moved -

For the term "three" substitute "*five*"

Mrs Hannan

Amendment withdrawn.

Amendment moved -

For the term "three" substitute "*five*" and add at the end -

*"no later than April 2004."*

Mr Rodan

House divided.

Amendment carried.

House divided.  
Motion as amended carried.

Mr Anderson, Mrs Cannell, Mrs Hannan, Mr Quine, Mr Rimington, Mr Rodan and Mr Speaker were nominated and seconded.

After a ballot Mrs Cannell, Mrs Hannan, Mr Rimington, Mr Rodan and Mr Speaker were elected.

## **6. BILL FOR THIRD READING**

### **International Criminal Court Bill**

Motion made - that the Bill be now read a third time.

Mr Gill

Motion carried.

The House rose at 5.35pm.

Malachy Cornwell-Kelly  
Secretary of the House

The House adjourned to the sitting of Tynwald Court commencing on 8th April 2003 and thereafter to the 15th April 2003