LAZY LABOR DOES IT AGAIN

Barely an hour into the new Parliamentary sittings, and the abject laziness and dysfunction of the Henderson Government has reared its ugly head.

“There are 17 items on the Parliamentary agenda – a mixture of legislation and motions – and these should take precedent over this Government’s shameless self promotion,” says Manager of Opposition Business, John Elferink.

“But after a motion of support to those involved in the TIO bombing and some cursory discussion on the Payroll Tax Amendment Bill, by 11am the Government had launched into a Ministerial Statement on its 2030 plan.

“In so doing, Labor has bypassed consideration of the Teacher Registration Amendment Bill; Supreme Court Amendment Bill; the Residential Tenancies Amendment Bill or examination of the Treasurer’s mid-year report.

“And there’s 13 other items of business awaiting Parliamentary scrutiny that the Government is disregarding to promote its 2030 vision.

“This is further evidence that the Henderson Government’s priorities are not about reforming the Northern Territory but naval gazing and self promotion that does nobody any good.”

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