Shining the spotlight on CLP incompetence

The failure of the CLP to have weighty legislation to debate this Sittings of Parliament highlights continued incompetence, Opposition Leader Delia Lawrie said today.

“For the first time since before the 1990s the CLP has only one single piece of legislation to debate,” Ms Lawrie said.

“It is rank incompetence and a complete failing of the CLP Government to enter two weeks of Sittings with just one debate of legislation.

“No attempts by the Attorney General to find obscure legislation to introduce will deflect from the reality that the CLP are in chaos.

“Reneging on their Gas to Gove deal has plunged an entire township into crisis and threatens the prosperity of a region.

“Former Chief Minister, Terry Mills, at least had the decency to visit Gove when it was in crisis. That’s the adult thing to do.”

This Sittings of Parliament will also highlight the mounting evidence indicating the experts were right that the CLP grog laws were doomed to fail.

“The Mandatory Rehabilitation system is a massive failure. Precious Police resources are wasted chasing repeat absconders while our towns are still tackling drunken anti-social behaviour and unacceptable crime rates,” Ms Lawrie said.

Ms Lawrie said given that the fortnight of Sittings was being held in the final weeks of a Federal election campaign there would be no doubt the major parties would focus on federal issues.

“Tony Abbott is the CLP on steroids - he has $70billion in cuts coming and we’ve already suffered the pain from the CLP slashing jobs and hiking up the cost of living,” Ms Lawrie said.

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