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The members of the Legislative Council and the members of the Legislative Assembly having assembled in the Legislative Assembly Chamber in accordance with the resolutions of the two Houses —

- 1 Shaun Leane, President of the Legislative Council, took the Chair at 6.32 pm.
- 2 **PERSON PROPOSED AND CHOSEN TO HOLD THE VACANT PLACE IN THE SENATE** The Chair invited proposals from members of persons to hold the place in the Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator Linda White.

Jacinta Allan proposed Lisa Darmanin as the person to hold the vacant place, stating that she was willing to accept the nomination and that the President had advice from the State Secretary of the Australian Labor Party (Victorian Branch) that the nominee was the selection of the Australian Labor Party, the party previously represented in the Senate by Senator Linda White. John Pesutto seconded the proposal.

The Chair asked if there were any further proposals and, there being no further proposals, declared that Lisa Darmanin had been chosen to hold the place rendered vacant by the death of Senator Linda White.

3 The Chair declared the joint sitting closed at 6.34 pm.

ROBERT McDONALD Clerk of the Legislative Council BRIDGET NOONAN Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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