

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 98

WEDNESDAY, 9 MAY 1979

- 1 The House met, at 2.15 p.m., pursuant to adjournment. Mr Speaker (the Right Honourable Sir Billy Snedden) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2 **DEATH OF FORMER MEMBER (THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR CHARLES ADERMANN):** Mr Anthony (Acting Prime Minister) referred to the death of the Right Honourable Sir Charles Adermann, and moved—That this House expresses its deep regret at the death, on 9 May 1979, of the Right Honourable Sir Charles Frederick Adermann, K.B.E., a Member of this House for the Division of Maranoa from 1943 to 1949 and for the Division of Fisher from 1949 to 1972, Chairman of Committees from 1950 to 1958 and a Minister of the Crown from 1958 to 1967; and that this House places on record its appreciation of his long and meritorious public service and tenders its profound sympathy to his widow and family in their bereavement.
 And Mr Hayden (Leader of the Opposition) having seconded the motion, and Mr Lynch (Deputy Leader of the Liberal Party of Australia), Mr Speaker and other Members having addressed the House in support thereof, and all Members present having risen, in silence—
 Question—passed.
- 3 **DISTINGUISHED VISITORS:** Mr Speaker informed the House that the Honourable Yitzhak Shamir, Speaker of the Knesset of Israel, was within the precincts. With the concurrence of Members, the distinguished visitor was provided with a seat on the floor of the House.
 Mr Speaker then informed the House that Mr Shamir was leader of a delegation from the Knesset of Israel and that members of the delegation were present in the gallery. On behalf of the House, Mr Speaker extended to the visitors a warm welcome.
- 4 **PETITIONS:** The Clerk announced that the following Members had each lodged petitions for presentation, viz.:
 - Mr Bradfield, Mr Burns, Dr Edwards, Mr Falconer, Mr Holding, Mr Johnston, Mr C. K. Jones, Mr Lusher, Mr Lynch, Mr Martin, Mr Morris, Mr O'Keefe and Mr Scholes—from certain citizens praying that pension payments be restored to twice-yearly adjustments and that pensions and unemployment benefits be raised to 30% of average weekly earnings.
 - Mr Braithwaite, Mr N. A. Brown, Mr Haslem and Mr Yates—from certain citizens praying that the Metric Conversion Act be repealed and the traditional and familiar weights and measures be restored.
 - Mr Dobie and Dr Klugman—from certain citizens praying for the appointment of an independent inquiry into the Australian Broadcasting Commission to investigate the qualifications of commissioners and certain other matters.
 - Mr Scholes and Mr Willis—from certain citizens praying for the resignation of Members who have not honoured an election undertaking to retain twice-yearly adjustments of social security pensions in accordance with movements in the consumer price index.
 - Mr Adermann—from certain citizens praying that handcrafted articles be exempted from sales tax and certain other action be taken in relation to the Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Act.

Mr Bradfield—from certain citizens praying for the prohibition of pornographic material involving children.

Mr Cairns—from certain citizens praying that the importation of whale products be banned.

Mr Hodges—from certain citizens praying that pensions be increased twice yearly in line with rises in the consumer price index.

Mr Lusher—from certain citizens praying that an assistance benefit for single parent fathers be introduced.

Mr J. L. McMahon—from certain residents of Newtown, N.S.W., praying that the proposal of the Major Airport Needs of Sydney Study to construct a new runway at Kingsford-Smith Airport be rejected.

Petitions received.

- 5 GRAYNDLER ELECTORAL DIVISION—ISSUE OF WRIT: Mr Speaker informed the House that it was his intention to issue a writ, on Tuesday, 15 May, for the election of a Member to serve for the Electoral Division of Grayndler, in the State of New South Wales, in the place of the Honourable Francis Eugene Stewart, deceased. The dates in connection with the election would be fixed as follows:

Date of nomination	..	..	..	Friday, 1 June 1979.
Date of polling	..	..	..	Saturday, 23 June 1979.
Date of return of writ	..	..	..	On or before Friday, 27 July 1979.

- 6 QUESTIONS: Questions without notice were asked.

- 7 SITTING HOURS AND ARRANGEMENT OF BUSINESS IN THE HOUSE—STATEMENT BY MR SPEAKER: Mr Speaker made a statement concerning suggestions for change in the sitting hours and the arrangement of business in the House.

- 8 PAPERS: The following papers were presented:

By command of His Excellency the Governor-General:

United Nations—Commission on Human Rights—35th Session, Geneva, 5 February to 16 March 1979—Report of Australian Delegation.

Pursuant to statute:

Egg Export Control Act—Australian Egg Board—31st Annual Report, for year 1977–78.

- 9 CUSTOMS AMENDMENT BILL 1979—LEGISLATION COMMITTEE: Mr Speaker informed the House that Mr Shipton had been discharged from the legislation committee considering the Customs Amendment Bill 1979 and that Mr D. M. Cameron had been nominated in his place.

- 10 DISCUSSION OF MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE—BROADCASTING: Mr Speaker informed the House that Mr Hayden (Leader of the Opposition) had proposed that a definite matter of public importance be submitted to the House for discussion, namely, "The Government's failure to honour promises, protect the public interest and maintain a coherent set of policies in the field of broadcasting".

The proposed discussion having received the necessary support—

Mr Hayden addressed the House.

Discussion ensued.

Discussion concluded.

- 11 CUSTOMS AMENDMENT BILL 1979—LEGISLATION COMMITTEE: Mr Peacock (Minister for Foreign Affairs), for Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House), pursuant to notice, moved—That the legislation committee to consider the Customs Amendment Bill 1979 have power to meet during the sitting of the House on Wednesday, 9 May 1979.

Question—put and passed.

12 BOUNTY (ROTARY CULTIVATORS) BILL 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—*And on the amendment moved thereto by Mr Hurford, viz.*—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “the House declines to give the Bill a second reading until the Government gives the House a satisfactory explanation, *inter alia*, as to—

- (a) why the Government considered that the level of short-term assistance on the production and sale in Australia of pedestrian operated rotary cultivators which was recommended by the Industries Assistance Commission might not be adequate;
- (b) why the House was not informed that the Government had rejected the recommendations of the Commission relating to this matter; and
- (c) why the Minister in his second reading speech did not explain the reasons for deciding on a bounty which is double the rate recommended by the Commission”—

Debate resumed.

Amendment negatived.

Question—That the Bill be now read a second time—put and passed—Bill read a second time.

Message from the Governor-General: Message No. 144, dated 5 April 1979, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.

The House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

In the committee

Bill, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

Bill to be reported without amendment.

The House resumed; Mr Millar reported accordingly.

On the motion of Mr Fife (Minister for Business and Consumer Affairs), the House adopted the report, and, by leave, the Bill was read a third time.

13 ATOMIC ENERGY AMENDMENT BILL 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed by Mr Keating who moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “the House declines to give the Bill a second reading as it is of opinion that—

- (1) the Australian Atomic Energy Commission should not be empowered to raise funds on the commercial market for uranium mining until such time as the unresolved problems associated with the nuclear industry have been satisfactorily resolved; and
- (2) the Atomic Energy Act is an inappropriate legislative basis for nuclear energy research and development and for commercial activities and should be repealed and replaced by legislation to establish—
 - (a) an independent regulatory authority responsible for nuclear-related environmental protection, health, safety, security, safeguards and other non-proliferation activities;
 - (b) a government corporation to conduct the present commercial activities of the Australian Atomic Energy Commission, such as the production and marketing of radioisotopes; and
 - (c) a Nuclear Science Authority to perform, as appropriate, the other functions currently undertaken by the Commission”.

Debate continued.

Mr Holding addressing the House—

Closure: Mr Bourchier moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mr Drummond, in the Chair)—

AYES, 69

Mr Aldred	Mr Corbett*	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Nixon
Mr Baume	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Birney	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr Porter
Mr Bourchier	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr E. L. Robinson
Mr Bradfield	Mr Falconer	Mr Killen	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Fife	Mr Lloyd	Mr Ruddock
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Fisher	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bungey	Mr Giles	Mr Lynch	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Gillard	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Graham	Mr McLeay	Mr Staley
Mr Cairns	Mr Groom	Sir William McMahon	Mr Street
Mr Calder	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	Mr Viner
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee	Mr Wilson
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodgman	Mr Martyr	Mr Yates
Mr Carlton	Mr Howard	Mr Millar	
Mr Chapman	Mr Hyde	Mr Moore	
Mr Connolly	Mr Jarman	Mr Neil	

NOES, 28

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bryant	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Dr Cass	Mr Hurford	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—being accordingly put—

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mr Drummond, in the Chair)—

AYES, 65

Mr Aldred	Mr Chapman	Mr Hyde	Mr Millar
Mr Baillieu	Mr Connolly	Mr Jarman	Mr Moore
Mr Baume	Mr Corbett*	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Neil
Mr Birney	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Bourchier	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr Porter
Mr Bradfield	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Falconer	Mr Killen	Mr Ruddock
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Fife	Mr Lloyd	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bungey	Mr Fisher	Mr Lucock	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Giles	Mr Lusher	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Gillard	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLean	Mr Street
Mr Cairns	Mr Graham	Mr McLeay	Mr Wilson
Mr Calder	Mr Groom	Sir William McMahon	Mr Yates
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee	
Mr Carlton	Mr Hodgman	Mr Martyr	

NOES, 28

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bryant	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Dr Cass	Mr Hurford	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the Bill be now read a second time—put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mr Drummond, in the Chair)—

AYES, 64			
Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hodgman	Mr Martyr
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Hyde	Mr Millar
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jarman	Mr Moore
Mr Bourchier	Mr Cotter	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Neil
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Johnston	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Jull	Mr Porter
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Falconer	Mr Katter	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bungey	Mr Fife	Mr Lloyd	Mr Ruddock
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Burr	Mr Giles	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Cadman	Mr Gillard	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Cairns	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Calder	Mr Graham	Mr McLeay	Mr Street
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Groom	Sir William McMahon	Mr Wilson
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates

NOES, 28			
Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bryant	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Dr Cass	Mr Hurford	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative—Bill read a second time.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

Mr McLeay (Acting Minister for National Development) moved—That the Bill be now read a third time.

Mr Holding rising to address the House—

Closure: Mr Bourchier moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mr Drummond, in the Chair)—

AYES, 62			
Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodgman	Mr Millar
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hyde	Mr Moore
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Jarman	Mr Neil
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Bourchier	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr Ruddock
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Falconer	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bungey	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Giles	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Gillard	Mr McLeay	Mr Street
Mr Cairns	Mr Goodluck	Sir William McMahon	Mr Wilson
Mr Calder	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr Macphee	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Martyr	

NOES, 28			
Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bryant	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Dr Cass	Mr Hurford	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the Bill be now read a third time—being accordingly put—
The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mr Drummond, in the Chair)—

AYES, 62

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodgman	Mr Millar
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hyde	Mr Moore
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Jarman	Mr Neil
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr Ruddock
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Falconer	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bungey	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Giles	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Gillard	Mr McLeay	Mr Street
Mr Cairns	Mr Goodluck	Sir William McMahon	Mr Wilson
Mr Calder	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr Macphee	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Martyr	

NOES, 28

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bryant	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Dr Cass	Mr Hurford	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative—Bill read a third time.

- 14 SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS MOVED: Mr Bryant moved—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the moving of a motion to establish a House Procedure Committee in accordance with general business notice No. 45. *Closure of Member:* Mr Bouchier moved—That the honourable Member be not further heard.

Question—put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mr Drummond, in the Chair)—

AYES, 63

Mr Aldred	Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Martyr
Mr Anthony	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodgman	Mr Millar
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hyde	Mr Moore
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Jarman	Mr Neil
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr Ruddock
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Falconer	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bungey	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Giles	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Gillard	Mr McLeay	Mr Street
Mr Cairns	Mr Goodluck	Sir William McMahon	Mr Wilson
Mr Calder	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr Macphee	

NOES, 29

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Dr Jenkins	Mr Scholes
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Wallis
Mr Bryant	Mr Howe	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr West
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Humphreys	Mr Keating	Mr Willis
Dr Cass	Mr Hurford	Mr Kerin	
Mr Cohen	Mr Jacobi	Dr Klugman	
Mr Dawkins	Mr James	Mr Morris	

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr Holding (seconded) addressing the House—

Closure of Member: Mr Bouchier moved—That the honourable Member be not further heard.

Question—put.

The House divided (the Speaker, Sir Billy Snedden, in the Chair)—

AYES, 64

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hodgman	Mr Martyr
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Hyde	Mr Millar
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jarman	Mr Moore
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Neil
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Johnston	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Drummond	Mr Jull	Mr Porter
Mr N. A. Brown	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bungey	Mr Falconer	Mr Lloyd	Mr Ruddock
Mr Burns	Mr Fife	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Burr	Mr Fisher	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Cadman	Mr Giles	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Cairns	Mr Gillard	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Calder	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLeay	Mr Street
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Groom	Sir William McMahon	Mr Wilson
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates

NOES, 27

Mr Armitage	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris
Dr Blewett	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bowen	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr Bryant	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Mr Cohen	Mr Hurford	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis
Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman	

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr Uren rising to address the House—

Closure: Mr Bouchier moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (the Speaker, Sir Billy Snedden, in the Chair)—

AYES, 64

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hodgman	Mr Martyr
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Hyde	Mr Millar
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jarman	Mr Moore
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Neil
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Johnston	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Drummond	Mr Jull	Mr Porter
Mr N. A. Brown	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bungey	Mr Falconer	Mr Lloyd	Mr Ruddock
Mr Burns	Mr Fife	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Burr	Mr Fisher	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Cadman	Mr Giles	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Cairns	Mr Gillard	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Calder	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLeay	Mr Street
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Groom	Sir William McMahon	Mr Wilson
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates

NOES, 29

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Dr Jenkins	Mr Scholes
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Wallis
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Howe	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr West
Mr Bryant	Mr Humphreys	Mr Keating	Mr Willis
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Hurford	Mr Kerin	
Mr Cohen	Mr Jacobi	Dr Klugman	
Mr Dawkins	Mr James	Mr Morris	

*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the motion for the suspension of the standing orders be agreed to—being accordingly put—

The House divided (the Speaker, Sir Billy Snedden, in the Chair)—

AYES, 29

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Dr Jenkins	Mr Scholes
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr Bowen	Mr Holding	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Wallis
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Howe	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr West
Mr Bryant	Mr Humphreys	Mr Keating	Mr Willis
Mr C. R. Cameron	Mr Hurford	Mr Kerin	
Mr Cohen	Mr Jacobi	Dr Klugman	
Mr Dawkins	Mr James	Mr Morris	

NOES, 64

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hodgman	Mr Martyr
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Hyde	Mr Millar
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jarman	Mr Moore
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Neil
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Johnston	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Drummond	Mr Jull	Mr Porter
Mr N. A. Brown	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bungey	Mr Falconer	Mr Lloyd	Mr Ruddock
Mr Burns	Mr Fife	Mr Lucock	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Burr	Mr Fisher	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Cadman	Mr Giles	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Cairns	Mr Gillard	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Calder	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLeay	Mr Street
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Groom	Sir William McMahon	Mr Wilson
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates

*Tellers

And so it was negatived.

15 ADJOURNMENT NEGATIVED: It being past 10.30 p.m.—The question was proposed—That the House do now adjourn.

Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House) requiring the question to be put forthwith without debate—

Question—put and negatived.

16 INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT BILL (No. 2) 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed by Dr Everingham who moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “the Bill be withdrawn and re-drafted to remove all reference to taxation on mineral royalties for Aboriginal organisations”.

Debate adjourned (Mr Braithwaite), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

17 ADJOURNMENT: Mr McLeay (Minister for Administrative Services) moved—That the House do now adjourn.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at 11.06 p.m., adjourned until tomorrow at 10.30 a.m.

PAPERS: The following papers were deemed to have been presented on 9 May 1979, pursuant to statute:

Commonwealth Banks Act—Appointment certificate—S. Ford.

Lands Acquisition Act—Statement of lands acquired by agreement authorised under sub-section 7 (1).

MEMBERS PRESENT: All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr Dean, Mr Ellicott, Mr Fraser, Mr Garland, Mr Hunt, Mr Innes, Mr B. O. Jones*, Mr MacKellar, Mr Martin, Mr Newman, Mr Shack, Mr Thomson and Mr Young.

*On leave

J. A. PETTIFER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives