

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

No. 79

TUESDAY, 5 JUNE 1984

- 1 The House met, at 2 p.m., pursuant to adjournment. Mr Speaker (the Honourable Dr H. A. Jenkins) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2 **QUESTIONS:** Questions without notice were asked.
- 3 **PAPERS:** The following papers were presented:
 Commonwealth Schools Commission Act—Commonwealth Schools Commission—Report for 1983, together with statement by Senator Ryan, Minister for Education and Youth Affairs.
 Parliament Act—Proposals, together with site plans and design sketches, for the construction, within the Parliamentary zone, of—
 Formal seating at the Australian National Gallery Amphitheatre,
 Two-storey prefabricated modular building in the House of Representatives' gardens linked to the existing building by a covered walkway at the 1st floor level.
- 4 **EXPENDITURE—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT ON COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT PURCHASING—REVISED GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—PAPER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Mr J. J. Brown (Minister for Administrative Services) presented the following paper:
 Expenditure—Standing Committee—Report on Commonwealth Government purchasing—Summary of the Government's revised response, dated May 1984.
 Mr Young (Leader of the House) moved—That the House take note of the paper.
 Debate adjourned (Mr Hall), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 5 **AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR WOMEN—PAPERS AND MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS:** Mr Hawke (Prime Minister) presented the following papers:
 Affirmative action for women—Policy discussion paper, dated May 1984—
 Volume 1.
 Volume 2—Appendixes.
 Mr Hawke, by leave, made a statement in connection with the papers and presented the following paper:
 Affirmative action for women—Ministerial statement, 5 June 1984.
 Mr Young (Leader of the House) moved—That the House take note of the papers.
Suspension of standing orders—Extended time for speech: Mr Young, by leave, moved—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent Mr Macphree speaking for a period not exceeding 25 minutes.
 Question—put and passed.
 Debate ensued.
 Debate adjourned (Ms McHugh), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

6 PETITIONS : The Clerk announced that the following Members had each lodged petitions for presentation, viz.:

Mrs Child, Mr R. F. Edwards, Mr Goodluck, Mr Howard, Mr Humphreys, Mr Jones, Mr Kent, Mr Rocher, Mr Simmons, Dr Theophanous and Mr Uren—from certain citizens praying that confectionery be exempt from sales tax.

Mr Cadman, Dr Charlesworth, Mr Groom, Mr Jacobi and Mr Wilson—from certain citizens praying that regulations amending the Customs (Prohibited Imports) Regulations and Customs (Cinematograph Films) Regulations and the ordinance superseding the ACT Objectionable Publications Ordinance be disallowed and certain other action taken in relation to censorship matters.

Mr Cadman, Mr Drummond, Mr Hawker and Mr Rocher—from certain citizens praying that chiropractic services be included in Medicare when it is introduced.

Mr Braithwaite, Mr Ruddock and Mr Spender—from certain citizens praying that no further action be taken in respect of territorial or local government in the Australian Capital Territory until the findings of the inquiry into ACT finances have been made public and a further referendum of electors has been held.

Mr Cadman, Dr Charlesworth and Mr McLeay—from certain citizens praying that the Sex Discrimination Bill be amended to prevent inconsistencies with the principles of justice and equality and that a conscience vote on the Bill be permitted to all Members of Parliament.

Mr Blunt and Mr Groom—from certain citizens praying that the existing national flag remain sacrosanct.

Mrs Child and Mr Kent—from certain citizens praying that the Omega base in Victoria be closed.

Mr Adermann—from certain citizens praying that existing laws concerning censorship classifications be retained.

Mr Adermann—from certain citizens praying that the decision to alter the ACT Classification of Publications Ordinance be abandoned.

Mr McVeigh—from certain citizens in similar terms to the last preceding petition.

Mr Blanchard—from certain citizens praying that certain action be taken in relation to the reporting and recording of adverse drug reactions, the labelling of drugs, drug surveillance and the liability of pharmaceutical companies for their products.

Mr Blunt—from certain citizens praying that proposed assets test legislation be abandoned and that action be taken to institute a retirement income policy which is fair and equitable.

Mr Cadman—from certain citizens praying that the findings of the Major Airport Needs of Sydney Committee be endorsed and proposals for an airport at Scheyville, NSW, be rejected.

Mr E. C. Cameron—from certain residents of the Division of Indi praying that hard core pornographic video-tapes not be permitted for home viewing.

Mr E. C. Cameron—from certain residents of the Division of Indi praying that biological control of Paterson's Curse be implemented.

Mr Carlton—from certain citizens praying that the nation's total dependence on God the Creator in accordance with the Constitution and the standing orders of the House of Representatives be reaffirmed.

Mrs Darling—from certain citizens praying that when the redeveloped Brisbane Airport becomes operative, no jet aircraft use the crosswind runway and the curfew be maintained from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m.

Mrs Darling—from certain residents of Queensland praying that legislation be enacted to ban the advertising of alcohol from commercial television and radio.

Mrs Darling—from certain residents of Queensland praying that no action be taken to change the national flag.

Mr Gear—from certain citizens praying that religious and human rights persecution in the Soviet Union be condemned.

Mr Groom—from certain residents of Tasmania praying that the decision not to upgrade Wynyard Airport be reversed.

Mr Newman—from certain electors of the Division of Bass praying that the liquid petroleum gas subsidy to Tasmania be increased to compensate for Bass Strait freight charges.

Mr O'Neil—from certain citizens praying that the Alice Springs-Darwin railway project be re-addressed in light of the detrimental consequences to the iron triangle cities in terms of the economy, employment prospects, national defence and tourist opportunities.

Mr O'Neil—from certain electors of the Division of Grey praying that an operation for children suffering from Down's Syndrome be covered by Medicare and that travel costs incurred in obtaining this operation be fully recoverable.

Mr Porter—from certain citizens praying that the export of kangaroo products be banned and action be taken to prohibit the commercial killing of kangaroos.

Mr Staples—from certain citizens praying that the establishment of nuclear power plants in Australia and the export of Australian uranium be prohibited and a moratorium on all mining and treatment of uranium be declared.

Mr Tickner—from certain citizens praying that there be no airport in the area of Darkes Forest, NSW.

Mr Tickner—from certain citizens praying that full support be maintained for existing school cadet units.

Petitions received.

7 MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE: Messages from the Senate were reported returning the following Bills without amendment:

4 June 1984—Message—

No. 212—Appropriation (No. 3) 1983-84 (*without requests*).

No. 213—Appropriation (No. 4) 1983-84.

No. 214—Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) (No. 2) 1983-84.

No. 215—Supply (No. 1) 1984-85 (*without requests*).

No. 216—Supply (No. 2) 1984-85.

No. 217—Supply (Parliamentary Departments) 1984-85.

No. 218—Audit Amendment 1984.

8 DISCUSSION OF MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE—DRUG TRADE: The Deputy Speaker informed the House that Mr Hall had proposed that a definite matter of public importance be submitted to the House for discussion, namely, "The failure of the Government to take adequate action to suppress the drug trade".

The proposed discussion having received the necessary support—

Mr Hall addressed the House.

Discussion ensued.

Discussion concluded.

9 SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS MOVED: Mr Cadman moved—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the honourable Member for Mitchell moving the disallowance of the ordinance and regulations specified in notices Nos. 491, 492 and 493, general business, of yesterday's Notice Paper.

Closure of Member: Mr Young (Leader of the House) moved—That the honourable Member be not further heard.

Question—put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mrs Darling, in the Chair)—

AYES, 63

Mr Baldwin	Mr R. F. Edwards	Mr Jones	Mr O'Neil
Mr Beazley	Dr Everingham	Mr Keating	Mr Punch
Mr Beddall	Ms Fatin	Mrs Kelly	Mr Reeves
Mr Bilney	Mr Free	Mr Kent	Mr Saunderson
Mr Blanchard	Mr Fry	Mr Keogh	Mr Scott*
Dr Blewett	Mr Gayler	Mr Kerin	Mr Simmons
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Gear	Dr Klugman	Mr Snow
Mr R. J. Brown	Mr Griffiths	Mr Lindsay	Mr Staples
Mr Brumby	Mr Hand	Ms McHugh	Mr Steedman
Mr Charles	Mr Hayden	Mr McLeay	Dr Theophanous
Dr Charlesworth	Mr Holding	Mr Maher	Mr Tickner
Mrs Child	Mr Hollis	Mrs Mayer	Mr Uren
Mr Cohen	Mr Howe	Mr Milton	Mr Wells
Mr Cross	Mr Humphreys*	Mr A. A. Morris	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Hurford	Mr P. F. Morris	Mr Young
Mr Duffy	Mr Jacobi	Mr Morrison	

NOES, 42

Mr Adermann	Mr Cowan	Mr Hunt	Mr Porter
Mr Andrew	Mr Drummond	Mr Lloyd	Mr Robinson
Mr Blunt	Dr H. R. Edwards	Mr Lusher	Mr Rocher
Mr Burr	Mr Fife	Mr McArthur	Mr Ruddock
Mr Cadman	Mr Fisher	Mr McGauran	Mr Shipton
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Groom	Mr MacKellar	Mr Spender
Mr E. C. Cameron*	Mr Hall	Mr Macphee	Mr Tuckey
Mr I. M. D. Cameron	Mr Hawker	Mr Millar	Mr White
Mr Carlton	Mr Hicks*	Mr Moore	Mr Wilson
Mr Coleman	Mr Hodgman	Mr Newman	
Mr Connolly	Mr Howard	Mr O'Keefe	

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr McGauran (seconder) addressing the House—

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

Question—put.

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Mr Blanchard	Mr Fry	Mr Keogh	Mr Scott*
Dr Blewett	Mr Gayler	Mr Kerin	Mr Simmons
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Gear	Dr Klugman	Mr Snow
Mr R. J. Brown	Mr Griffiths	Mr Lindsay	Mr Staples
Mr Brumby	Mr Hand	Ms McHugh	Mr Steedman
Mr Charles	Mr Hayden	Mr McLeay	Dr Theophanous
Dr Charlesworth	Mr Holding	Mr Maher	Mr Tickner
Mrs Child	Mr Hollis	Mrs Mayer	Mr Uren
Mr Cohen	Mr Howe	Mr Milton	Mr Wells
Mr Cross	Mr Humphreys*	Mr A. A. Morris	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Hurford	Mr P. F. Morris	Mr Young
Mr Duffy	Mr Jacobi	Mr Morrison	

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Mr Andrew	Mr Drummond	Mr Hunt	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Blunt	Dr H. R. Edwards	Mr Lloyd	Mr Porter
Mr Burr	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Robinson
Mr Cadman	Mr Fisher	Mr McArthur	Mr Rocher
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Goodluck	Mr McGauran	Mr Ruddock
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Mr I. M. D. Cameron	Mr Hall	Mr McVeigh	Mr Spender
Mr Carlton	Mr Hawker	Mr Macphee	Mr Tuckey
Mr Coleman	Mr Hicks*	Mr Millar	Mr White
Mr Connolly	Mr Hodgman	Mr Moore	Mr Wilson

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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Several Members rising to address the House—

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

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mrs Darling, in the Chair)—

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Mr Baldwin	Mr R. F. Edwards	Mr Jones	Mr O'Neil
Mr Beazley	Dr Everingham	Mr Keating	Mr Punch
Mr Beppard	Ms Fatin	Mrs Kelly	Mr Reeves
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Mr Blanchard	Mr Fry	Mr Keogh	Mr Scott*
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Mr Blunt	Dr H. R. Edwards	Mr Lloyd	Mr Porter
Mr Burr	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Robinson
Mr Cadman	Mr Fisher	Mr McArthur	Mr Rocher
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Goodluck	Mr McGauran	Mr Ruddock
Mr E. C. Cameron*	Mr Groom	Mr MacKellar	Mr Shipton
Mr I. M. D. Cameron	Mr Hall	Mr McVeigh	Mr Spender
Mr Carlton	Mr Hawker	Mr Macphee	Mr Tuckey
Mr Coleman	Mr Hicks*	Mr Millar	Mr White
Mr Connolly	Mr Hodgman	Mr Moore	Mr Wilson

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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mrs Darling, in the Chair)—

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Mr Adermann	Mr Cowan	Mr Howard	Mr Newman
Mr Andrew	Mr Drummond	Mr Hunt	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Blunt	Dr H. R. Edwards	Mr Lloyd	Mr Porter
Mr Burr	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Robinson
Mr Cadman	Mr Fisher	Mr McArthur	Mr Rocher
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Goodluck	Mr McGauran	Mr Ruddock
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Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Gear	Dr Klugman	Mr Snow
Mr R. J. Brown	Mr Griffiths	Mr Lindsay	Mr Staples
Mr Brumby	Mr Hand	Ms McHugh	Mr Steedman
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Dr Charlesworth	Mr Holding	Mr Maher	Mr Tickner
Mrs Child	Mr Hollis	Mrs Mayer	Mr Uren
Mr Cohen	Mr Howe	Mr Milton	Mr Wells
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And so it was negatived.

10 PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE—REPORT—STATEMENT BY MEMBER: Mr Fife (Vice-Chairman) presented the following report from the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works:

Report relating to the construction of accommodation for the Australian Broadcasting Corporation (Stage 1), Hobart (13th report of 1984).

Mr Hodgman, by leave, made a statement in connection with the report.

11 INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT BILL (NO. 3) 1984: 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—

Suspension of standing orders—Extended time for speech: Mr Young (Leader of the House), by leave, moved—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent Mr Howard (Deputy Leader of the Opposition) speaking for a period not exceeding 42 minutes.

Question—put and passed.

Debate resumed.

Debate adjourned (Dr H. R. Edwards), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for a later hour this day.

12 PAPER: The following paper was presented:

Parliament Act—Proposal, together with plan showing location and design of work, for temporary enclosure of the verandahs at the main floor level of the Provisional Parliament House on the northern facade of the building.

13 DISCHARGE OF TARIFF PROPOSALS: Mr Jones (Minister for Science and Technology), by leave, moved—That Customs Tariff Proposals Nos. 15 to 19 (1983) and Customs Tariff Proposals Nos. 1 to 4 (1984), constituting part of order of the day No. 62, government business, be discharged.

Question—put and passed.

14 INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT BILL (NO. 3) 1984: 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.

Mr Wilson moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “whilst not declining to give the Bill a second reading, this House—

- (1) deplores the Bill’s attack on the retirement aspirations of hundreds of thousands of ordinary Australians;
- (2) notes the blatant breach of pre and post-election commitments of the Prime Minister involved in the introduction of the Bill;
- (3) condemns the privileged status conferred upon trade unions in relation to deposit funds, and
- (4) regrets the Government’s failure to produce a coherent approach to retirement security policy”.

Debate continued.

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put.

The House divided (the Deputy Speaker, Mrs Darling, in the Chair)—

AYES, 63

Mr Baldwin	Mr R. F. Edwards	Mr Keating	Mr Punch
Mr Beazley	Dr Everingham	Mrs Kelly	Mr Reeves
Mr Beddall	Ms Fatin	Mr Kent	Mr Saunderson
Mr Bilney	Mr Free	Mr Keogh	Mr Scholes
Mr Blanchard	Mr Fry	Mr Kerin	Mr Scott*
Dr Blewett	Mr Gayler	Dr Klugman	Mr Simmons
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Gear	Mr Lindsay	Mr Snow
Mr R. J. Brown	Mr Griffiths	Ms McHugh	Mr Staples
Mr Brumby	Mr Hand	Mr McLeay	Dr Theophanus
Mr Charles	Mr Holding	Mr Maher	Mr Tickner
Dr Charlesworth	Mr Hollis	Mrs Mayer	Mr Uren
Mrs Child	Mr Howe	Mr Milton	Mr Wells
Mr Cohen	Mr Humphreys*	Mr A. A. Morris	Mr West
Mr Cross	Mr Hurford	Mr P. F. Morris	Mr Willis
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Morrison	Mr Young
Mr Duffy	Mr Jones	Mr O’Neil	

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Mr Adermann	Mr Cowan	Mr Lloyd	Mr Porter
Mr Andrew	Mr Drummond	Mr Lusher	Mr Robinson
Mr Blunt	Dr H. R. Edwards	Mr McArthur	Mr Rocher
Mr Burr	Mr Fife	Mr McGauran	Mr Ruddock
Mr Cadman	Mr Fisher	Mr MacKellar	Mr Shipton
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Sinclair
Mr E. C. Cameron*	Mr Hawker	Mr Macphee	Mr Spender
Mr I. M. D. Cameron	Mr Hicks*	Mr Millar	Mr White
Mr Carlton	Mr Hodgman	Mr Moore	Mr Wilson
Mr Coleman	Mr Howard	Mr Newman	
Mr Connolly	Mr Hunt	Mr O’Keefe	

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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

The House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

In the committee

Bill, by leave, taken as a whole.

On the motion of Mr Hurford (Minister Assisting the Treasurer), by leave, the following amendments were made together:

Clause 15, page 21, lines 43 and 44, and page 22, lines 1-5, omit paragraph (a) of the definition of "relevant service period", substitute the following paragraph:

"(a) where—

(i) the eligible termination payment accrued in whole or in part during a period or periods during which the taxpayer was in employment; and

(ii) during the whole or a part of the period, or of any of the periods, referred to in sub-paragraph (i), the taxpayer was a member of a superannuation fund in relation to that employment,

the period, or the aggregate of the periods, of the employment to which the eligible termination payment relates;"

Clause 60, page 57, lines 38-40, omit sub-clause (12), substitute the following sub-clauses:

"(12) The amendments made by sections 9 and 27 apply to eligible termination payments made on or after 1 July 1983.

"(12A) The amendment made by section 15, insofar as it relates to eligible termination payments and annuities, applies to eligible termination payments made, and annuities derived, on or after 1 July 1983.

"(12B) The amendment made by section 15, insofar as it relates to payments of a supplement to an annuity (not being payments of an annuity), applies to payments made after 30 May 1984."

Clause 61—

Page 58, line 10, after "annuity and" insert ", subject to sub-section (2) of this section,".

Page 58, at the end of the clause add the following sub-clause:

"(2) Nothing in sub-section (1) affects the application of section 27H of the Principal Act as amended by this Act to a payment of a supplement to an annuity, being a payment that is not a payment of an annuity."

Bill, as amended, debated and agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

The House resumed; Mrs Child reported accordingly.

On the motion of Mr Hurford, by leave, the House adopted the report, and, by leave, the Bill was read a third time.

15 INCOME TAX (COMPANIES, CORPORATE UNIT TRUSTS AND SUPERANNUATION FUNDS) AMENDMENT BILL 1984: 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—

Question—put and passed—Bill read a second time.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

On the motion of Mr Hurford (Minister Assisting the Treasurer), the Bill was read a third time.

16 SOCIAL SECURITY AND REPATRIATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 1984: 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 Carlton who moved, as an amendment—That all words after "That" be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: "whilst not declining to give the Bill a second reading, the House expresses its concern at the plight of pensioners and beneficiaries whose incomes will be reduced as a consequence of the artificial reduction in the Consumer Price Index caused by the introduction of Medicare".

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

17 **ADJOURNMENT:** Dr Blewett (Minister for Health) moved—That the House do now adjourn.

Mr Rocher rising to address the House—

Closure: Dr Blewett moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put and passed.

And the question—That the House do now adjourn—was put accordingly, and passed.

And then the House, at 11.06 p.m., adjourned until tomorrow at 10 a.m.

PAPERS: The following papers were deemed to have been presented on 5 June 1984:

Archives Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1984, No. 100.

Conciliation and Arbitration Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1984, No. 101.

Customs Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1984, Nos. 102, 103.

Remuneration Tribunals Act—Remuneration Tribunal—Determination—1984/12—Holders of public office on the Panel of Review of Proposed Income Assets Test.

Seat of Government (Administration) Act—

Ordinance—1984—No. 16—Court of Petty Sessions (Amendment) (No. 3).

Regulation—1984—No. 11 (Classification of Publications Ordinance).

Telecommunications Act—Australian Telecommunications Commission—By-laws—

Telecommunications (Charging Zones and Charging Districts)—Amendment No. 45.

Telecommunications (Community Calls)—Amendment No. 37.

Telecommunications (Digital Data Charging)—Amendment No. 2.

Telecommunications (General)—Amendment No. 40.

MEMBERS PRESENT: All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr Aldred, Mr Bowen, Mr Braithwaite, Mr Campbell, Mr Chynoweth, Mr Cunningham, Mr Gorman, Mr Katter, Mr Mildren and Mr Mountford.

D. M. BLAKE
Clerk of the House of Representatives