

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 108

WEDNESDAY, 4 JUNE 1986

1 The House met, at 10 a.m., pursuant to adjournment. Madam Speaker (the Honourable Joan Child) took the Chair, and read Prayers.

2 **AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL MARITIME MUSEUM BILL 1986:** 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 Connolly 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 condemns the Government for its failure to protect the public interest through its failure to—

- (1) refer the proposed construction of the Australian National Maritime Museum to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works;
- (2) offer a full explanation as to why alternative accommodation suggested in the Pigott Report was not acceptable;
- (3) ensure that there are no significant cost overruns that might arise as a result of union pressure due to the Government’s commitment to complete the project by 1988;
- (4) restrict the open-ended nature of the total cost of the project, which does not include purchase, preservation and exhibition of a collection or administrative, educational and promotional costs of the Museum;
- (5) disclose details of the arrangement with the NSW Government to construct the Museum in the Darling Harbour redevelopment site, and the impact of the Wran Government’s decision to grant the Builders Labourers’ Federation a monopoly over construction jobs in Darling Harbour, and
- (6) utilise the existing facilities, resources and expertise of the Sydney Maritime Museum which have been offered to the Government”.

Debate continued.

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

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

AYES, 74

Mr Baldwin	Mr R. F. Edwards	Mrs Kelly	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Beazley	Ms Fatin	Mr Kent	Mr O'Neil
Mr Beddall	Mr Fitzgibbon	Mr Keogh	Mr Price
Mr Bileyn	Mr Free	Mr Kerin	Mr Punch
Mr Blanchard	Mr Gayler	Dr Klugman	Mr Saunderson
Dr Blewett	Mr Gear	Mr Lamb	Mr Scholes
Mr Bowen	Mr Gorman	Mr Langmore	Mr Scott*
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Griffiths	Mr Lee	Mr Simmons
Mr R. J. Brown	Mr Hand	Mr Lindsay	Mr Snow
Mr Brumby	Mr Hayden	Ms McHugh	Mr Staples
Mr Campbell	Mr Holding	Mr McLeay	Dr Theophanous
Mr Charles	Mr Hollis	Mr Maher	Mr Tickner
Dr Charlesworth	Mr Howe	Mr Martin	Mr Uren
Mr Chynoweth	Mr Hurford	Mrs Mayer	Mr West
Mr Cleeland	Mr Jacobi	Mr Mildren	Mr Willis
Mr Cross	Mrs Jakobsen	Mr Milton	Mr Wright
Mr Cunningham*	Mr Jenkins	Mr A. A. Morris	Mr Young
Mrs Darling	Mr Jones	Mr P. F. Morris	
Mr Dubois	Mr Keating	Mr Mountford	

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Mr Adermann	Mr Conquest	Mr Hodgman	Mr Robinson
Mr Aldred	Mr Dobie	Mr Hunt	Mr Rocher
Mr Andrew*	Mr Downer	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock
Mr Beale	Dr H. R. Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr Shack
Mr Blunt	Mr Everingham	Mr Lloyd	Mr Sharp
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Fife	Mr McArthur	Mr Sinclair
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr T. A. Fischer	Mr McGauran	Mr Smith
Mr Burr	Mr P. S. Fisher	Mr MacKellar	Mr Spender
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Goodluck	Mr Macphee	Mrs Sullivan
Mr I. M. D. Cameron	Mr Hall	Mr Miles	Mr Tuckey
Mr Carlton	Mr Halverson	Mr Millar	Dr Watson
Mr Cobb	Mr Hawker	Mr Moore	Mr Webster
Mr Coleman	Mr Hicks*	Mr Porter	Mr White
Mr Connolly	Mr Hodges	Mr Reith	Mr Wilson

* Tellers

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.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

Mr Holding (Minister for Aboriginal Affairs) moved—That the Bill be now read a third time.

Question—put and passed—Mr Hodgman dissenting.

Bill read a third time.

- 3 **ABORIGINAL LAND GRANT (JERVIS BAY TERRITORY) BILL 1986:** 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—

Statement by Minister: Mr Holding (Minister for Aboriginal Affairs), by indulgence of the Chair, made a statement relating to proposed Government amendments to the Bill.

Mr Connolly addressing the House—

It being 12.45 p.m., the debate was interrupted in accordance with sessional order 101A, and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for a later hour this day.

- 4 **QUESTIONS:** Questions without notice being asked—

Paper: Mr West (Minister for Housing and Construction) presented the following paper:

First Home Owners Scheme—Tables, showing for each electoral division, details of applications and amounts approved and paid from scheme inception to 2 May 1986.

Questions without notice continued.

5 BROADCASTING OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS—JOINT COMMITTEE—REPORT—STATEMENT BY MADAM SPEAKER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Madam Speaker (Chairman) presented the following report from the Joint Committee on the Broadcasting of Parliamentary Proceedings:

Televising and radio broadcasting of both Houses of Parliament and their committees—Report, dated 3 June 1986, together with a copy of the minutes of proceedings and the transcript of evidence.

Ordered—That the report be printed.

Madam Speaker made a statement in connection with the report.

Mr Young (Leader of the House), by leave, moved—That the House take note of the paper.

Debate adjourned (Mr Sinclair—Leader of the National Party of Australia), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

6 PARLIAMENTARY PRIVILEGES BILL 1986—DRAFT—PAPERS—STATEMENT BY MADAM SPEAKER: Madam Speaker presented the following papers:

Parliamentary Privileges Bill 1986—

Draft.

Explanatory memorandum.

Madam Speaker made a statement in connection with the papers.

7 PAPERS: The following papers were presented:

Australian Plague Locust Commission—Report for 1984–85.

Commonwealth Teaching Service Act—Commonwealth Teaching Service—Report for 1985.

National Water Resources (Financial Assistance) Act—Supplementary agreement relating to financial assistance to Western Australia for the Harding River Dam and the country towns water supply improvement program, dated 20 May 1986.

Overseas Professional Qualifications—Council—Report for 1984–85.

Seat of Government (Administration) Act—Parole Ordinance—Parole Board of the Australian Capital Territory—Report for 1983–84.

UNESCO General Conference 1985—23rd Session, Sofia, 8 October to 9 November 1985—Report of Australian delegation.

8 NUCLEAR ENERGY—AGREEMENT BETWEEN AUSTRALIA AND SWISS CONFEDERATION—PAPERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS: Mr Bowen (Attorney-General) presented the following papers:

Nuclear energy—Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the Swiss Confederation concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy—

Agreement done at Berne, 28 January 1986, together with attachments.

Statement by Mr Hayden, Minister for Foreign Affairs, dated 4 June 1986.

Mr Young (Leader of the House) moved—That the House take note of the papers.

Debate adjourned (Mr N. A. Brown—Deputy Leader of the Opposition), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

9 ENERGY POLICY—DISCUSSION PAPERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS:

Mr Jones (Minister representing the Minister for Resources and Energy) presented the following papers:

Energy 2000—National energy policy review—Discussion papers, dated March 1986—

No. 1—Overview.

No. 2—Petroleum.

No. 3—Electricity.

No. 4—Coal.

- No. 5—Natural gas.
- No. 6—Renewable energy.
- No. 7—Synfuels.
- No. 8—Research and development.
- No. 9—Energy conservation.
- No. 10—Energy demand scenarios: 1985-2000.

Mr Young (Leader of the House) moved—That the House take note of the papers.

Debate adjourned (Mr N. A. Brown—Deputy Leader of the Opposition), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

10 MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL—ASSENT TO BILLS: Messages from His Excellency the Governor-General were announced informing the House that His Excellency, in the name of Her Majesty, had assented to the following Bills:

3 June 1986—Message—

No. 158—

Appropriation (No. 3) 1985-86.

Appropriation (No. 4) 1985-86.

Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) (No. 2) 1985-86.

No. 159—

Social Security Legislation Amendment 1986.

Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment 1986.

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

Mr Braithwaite, Mr Fife, Mr Hawker and Mr Hodges—from certain citizens praying that the commitment to the oil import parity pricing policy be honoured.

Mr Hawke and Mr Hawker—from certain citizens praying that the national flag not be changed except by a referendum.

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

Mr Beale—from certain citizens praying that the legislation to tax fringe benefits not proceed.

Mr Beale—from certain citizens praying that the legislation to tax the private use of company cars not proceed.

Mr Blanchard—from certain citizens praying that aid be given to the Karen refugees in Thailand.

Mr Braithwaite—from certain citizens praying that the level of overseas aid funding be increased.

Mr Braithwaite—from certain electors of the Division of Dawson praying that the Australian Bill of Rights Bill not be passed.

Mr I. M. D. Cameron—from certain residents of Queensland praying that the film "Hail Mary" be banned.

Mr Fife—from certain citizens praying that interest rates be reduced and certain other action be taken with respect to the Australian dollar.

Mr Free—from certain residents of New South Wales praying that the Western Sydney State University be established in conjunction with the NSW Government.

Mr Goodluck—from certain citizens praying that family allowance payments be increased and proposed changes to the spouse rebate be rejected.

Mr Halverson—from certain citizens praying that prescription drugs continue to be provided to pensioners without fee.

Mr Halverson—from certain citizens praying that no cutbacks be made to the portfolio of Veterans' Affairs and certain action be taken to assist ex-servicemen and women.

Mr Hawker—from certain citizens praying that the assets test on pensions be repealed.

- Mr Hawker—from certain citizens praying that the Australian Bill of Rights Bill be opposed and certain other action be taken in relation to the Bill.
- Mr Hawker—from certain residents of Victoria praying that the proposed capital gains tax legislation be introduced without delay and that it be rejected.
- Mr Hodges—from certain citizens praying that 1989 be proposed as the International Year for Repairing the Earth and certain other action be taken in support of world peace.
- Mrs Kelly—from certain citizens praying that a public inquiry be held into the immigration of the Chirita family and that the rights of Ion Chirita be recognised.
- Mrs Kelly—from certain residents of the Australian Capital Territory praying that no further action be taken to establish a health centre for women in the ACT.
- Mr Kent—from certain citizens praying that the problems which identification cards are intended to reduce be attacked by other methods.
- Mr Kent—from certain citizens praying that the Government support the stand taken by the New Zealand Government on nuclear vessels and that the policy of developing zones of peace and nuclear free zones in the Indian and Pacific Oceans be implemented.
- Mr Kerin—from certain citizens praying that the Government's commitments to the farming and small business sectors be honoured.
- Mr Langmore—from certain citizens praying that action be taken to ensure all legal barriers to the equality of women workers are removed.
- Mr MacKellar—from certain citizens praying that 1988 be proclaimed the first International Earth Repair Year.
- Mr Scott—from certain citizens praying that importation of cobalt 60 and other radioactive substances be banned and regulations permitting irradiation of food in Australia be disallowed.
- Mr Shack—from certain citizens praying that sub-section 16 (2) of the Broadcasting and Television Act be amended so that the Australian Broadcasting Tribunal shall consult the public when determining television standards and screening hours.
- Mr Slipper—from certain citizens praying that measures be taken to reduce the burden of imposed costs and regulation on Australian horticultural growers.
- Mr Slipper—from certain residents of Queensland praying that the Australian Bill of Rights Bill be repealed.
- Mr Slipper—from certain residents of Queensland praying that the right to work be acknowledged and protected and that certain other action be taken to protect workers.
- Mr Slipper—from certain residents of the Division of Fisher praying that home loan interest rates be tax deductible.
- Mr Slipper—from certain residents of the Division of Fisher praying that the existing national flag remain sacrosanct.
- Mr Tickner—from certain residents of Sutherland Shire, NSW, praying that an additional nuclear reactor not be constructed at Lucas Heights.
- Mr Uren—from certain members of the Coptic community in New South Wales praying that funding of the Coptic Orthodox Church in NSW under the Grant-in-Aid Scheme be restored.
- Mr Willis—from certain citizens praying that the Sex Discrimination Act be amended to enable weight lifting limits for women employees to continue.

Petitions received.

- 12 DISCUSSION OF MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE—SMALL BUSINESS—REGULATION AND TAXATION:** The House was informed that Mr Tuckey had proposed that a definite matter of public importance be submitted to the House for discussion, namely, "The need to remove the excessive burden of Government

regulation and taxation from small business, so as to encourage investment and job growth”.

The proposed discussion having received the necessary support—

Mr Tuckey addressed the House.

Discussion ensued.

Discussion concluded.

- 13 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE—INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT (RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT) BILL 1986: Message No. 266, dated 3 June 1986, from the Senate was reported transmitting for the concurrence of the House a Bill for “*An Act to provide income tax concessions for expenditure on research and development, and for related purposes*”.

Bill read a first time.

Mr Hurford (Minister Assisting the Treasurer) moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.

Paper: Mr Hurford presented an explanatory memorandum to the Bill.

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

- 14 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE—INDUSTRY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT BILL 1986: Message No. 265, dated 3 June 1986, from the Senate was reported transmitting for the concurrence of the House a Bill for “*An Act relating to financial assistance by the Commonwealth for certain research and development*”.

Bill read a first time.

Mr Jones (Minister representing the Minister for Industry, Technology and Commerce) moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.

Paper: Mr Jones presented an explanatory memorandum to the Bill.

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

- 15 POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES: Ordered—That notices Nos. 1 to 3, government business, be postponed until a later hour this day.

- 16 IMPROVEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL TERMINAL FACILITIES, SYDNEY (KINGSFORD-SMITH) AIRPORT—APPROVAL OF WORK: Mr West (Minister for Housing and Construction), pursuant to notice, moved—That, in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Works Committee Act 1969*, it is expedient to carry out the following proposed work which was referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works and on which the committee has duly reported to Parliament: Improvement of international terminal facilities, Sydney (Kingsford-Smith) Airport.

Debate ensued.

Question—put.

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

AYES, 71

Mr Baldwin	Mr Duncan	Mr Jones	Mr P. F. Morris
Mr Beazley	Mr R. F. Edwards	Mrs Kelly	Mr Mountford
Mr Beddall	Ms Fatin	Mr Kent	Mr O’Keefe
Mr Bilney	Mr Fitzgibbon	Mr Keogh	Mr O’Neil
Mr Blanchard	Mr Free	Mr Kerin	Mr Price
Mr Bowen	Mr Gayler	Dr Klugman	Mr Punch
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Gear	Mr Lamb	Mr Sanderson
Mr R. J. Brown	Mr Gorman	Mr Langmore	Mr Scott*
Mr Brumby	Mr Griffiths	Mr Lee	Mr Simmons
Mr Campbell	Mr Hand	Mr Lindsay	Mr Snow
Mr Charles	Mr Hayden	Ms McHugh	Mr Staples
Dr Charlesworth	Mr Holding	Mr McLeay	Dr Theophanous
Mr Chynoweth	Mr Hollis	Mr Maher	Mr Tickner
Mr Cleeland	Mr Howe	Mr Martin	Mr West
Mr Cross	Mr Hurford	Mrs Mayer	Mr Willis
Mr Cunningham*	Mr Jacobi	Mr Mildren	Mr Wright
Mrs Darling	Mrs Jakobsen	Mr Milton	Mr Young
Mr Dubois	Mr Jenkins	Mr A. A. Morris	

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Mr Adermann	Mr Downer	Mr Lloyd	Mr Sharp
Mr Aldred	Dr H. R. Edwards	Mr McArthur	Mr Shipton
Mr Andrew*	Mr Everingham	Mr McGauran	Mr Sinclair
Mr Beale	Mr Fife	Mr MacKellar	Mr Slipper
Mr Blunt	Mr T. A. Fischer	Mr McVeigh	Mr Smith
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Goodluck	Mr Macphee	Mr Spender
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Hall	Mr Miles	Mrs Sullivan
Mr Cadman	Mr Halverson	Mr Millar	Mr Tuckey
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Hawker	Mr Moore	Dr Watson
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hicks*	Mr Porter	Mr Webster
Mr I. M. D. Cameron	Mr Hodges	Mr Reith	Mr White
Mr Carlton	Mr Hodgman	Mr Robinson	Mr Wilson
Mr Cobb	Mr Hunt	Mr Rocher	
Mr Coleman	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock	
Mr Conquest	Mr Katter	Mr Shack	

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

- 17 TELECOMMUNICATIONS (INTERCEPTION) AMENDMENT BILL 1986: Mr Bowen (Attorney-General), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Telecommunications (Interception) Act 1979*, and for other purposes.

Bill read a first time.

Mr Bowen moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.

Paper: Mr Bowen presented an explanatory memorandum to the Bill.

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

- 18 SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS—TELECOMMUNICATIONS (INTERCEPTION) AMENDMENT BILL 1986—REFERRAL TO JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE: Mr Bowen (Attorney-General), pursuant to notice, moved—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the *Telecommunications (Interception) Amendment Bill 1986*, prior to its second reading, being referred to a joint select committee appointed for the purpose of examining and reporting on the Bill.

Question—put and passed.

- 19 TELECOMMUNICATIONS INTERCEPTION—PROPOSED JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE: Mr Bowen (Attorney-General), pursuant to notice, moved—

- (1) That a joint select committee be appointed:
 - (a) to examine and report upon the Telecommunications (Interception) Amendment Bill 1986 and, in particular, the appropriateness of the mechanism for conducting interceptions and the safeguards for their authorisation, recording, transcribing, dissemination and retention, and
 - (b) to examine and report upon the recommendation contained in Mr Justice Stewart's report of the Royal Commission of Inquiry into Alleged Telephone Interceptions to the effect that the power of interception be extended to cover all serious offences.
- (2) That the committee consist of 9 members, 3 Members of the House of Representatives to be nominated by either the Prime Minister, the Leader of the House or the Government Whip, 1 Member of the House of Representatives to be nominated by either the Leader of the Opposition, the Deputy Leader of the Opposition or the Opposition Whip, 1 Member of the House of Representatives to be nominated by either the Leader of the National Party, the Deputy Leader of the National Party or the National Party Whip, 2 Senators to be nominated by the Leader of the Government in the Senate, 1 Senator to be nominated by the Leader of the Opposition in the Senate and 1 Senator to be nominated by any minority group or groups or independent Senator or independent Senators.

- (3) That every nomination of a member of the committee be forthwith notified in writing to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- (4) That the committee elect a Government member as its chairman.
- (5) That the committee elect a deputy chairman who shall perform the duties of the chairman of the committee at any time when the chairman is not present at a meeting of the committee, and at any time when the chairman and deputy chairman are not present at a meeting of the committee, the members present shall elect another member to perform the duties of the chairman at that meeting.
- (6) That 4 members of the committee constitute a quorum of the committee.
- (7) That the committee have power to send for persons, papers and records, and to move from place to place.
- (8) That the committee have leave to report from time to time.
- (9) That the committee present its final report as soon as possible.
- (10) That the foregoing provisions of this resolution, so far as they are inconsistent with standing orders, have effect notwithstanding anything contained in the standing orders.
- (11) That a message be sent to the Senate acquainting it of this resolution and requesting that it concur and take action accordingly.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

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

4 June 1986—Message—

No. 268—Fringe Benefits Tax 1986 (*without requests*).

No. 269—Fringe Benefits Tax (Application to the Commonwealth) 1986.

No. 270—Fringe Benefits Tax (Miscellaneous Provisions) 1986.

No. 272—Taxation (Interest on Underpayments) 1986 (*without requests*).

21 **MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE—FRINGE BENEFITS TAX ASSESSMENT BILL 1986:**

The following message from the Senate was reported:

Message No. 267

Madam Speaker,

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for "*An Act relating to the assessment and collection of the tax imposed by the 'Fringe Benefits Tax Act 1986', and for related purposes*", and acquaints the House that the Senate has agreed to the Bill with the Amendments indicated by the annexed Schedule, in which Amendments the Senate requests the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

D. MCCLELLAND

President

The Senate,

Canberra, 4 June 1986

Ordered—That the amendments be taken into consideration, in committee of the whole House, forthwith.

In the committee

SCHEDULE OF THE AMENDMENTS MADE BY THE SENATE

No. 1—Page 7, paragraph 9 (2) (c), lines 15 to 31, leave out the paragraph, insert the following paragraph:

“(c) the statutory fraction is—

(i) in the case of the transitional year of tax—

(A) where the annualised number of whole kilometres travelled by the car during the year of tax was more than 30,000—0.045;

- (B) where the annualised number of whole kilometres travelled by the car during the year of tax was not less than 18,750 and not more than 30,000—0.075;
- (C) where the annualised number of whole kilometres travelled by the car during the year of tax was not less than 11,250 and not more than 18,749—0.135; or
- (D) in any other case—0.18; and
- (ii) in relation to a standard year of tax—
 - (A) where the annualised number of whole kilometres travelled by the car during the year of tax was more than 40,000—0.06;
 - (B) where the annualised number of whole kilometres travelled by the car during the year of tax was not less than 25,000 and not more than 40,000—0.1;
 - (C) where the annualised number of whole kilometres travelled by the car during the year of tax was not less than 15,000 and not more than 24,999—0.18; or
 - (D) in any other case—0.24.”

No. 2—Page 46, after clause 57, insert the following new clause:

Provision of benefits to employees of public benevolent institutions to be exempt

“57A. Where a public benevolent institution provides a benefit to an employee of the institution, the benefit is an exempt benefit.”

No. 3—Page 130, paragraph 143 (k), lines 4 and 5, leave out the paragraph, insert the following paragraph:

“(k) either of the following conditions is satisfied:

- (i) the benefit is provided pursuant to the provisions of an industrial instrument relating to the employment of the employee;
- (ii) it is customary for employers in the industry in which the employee is employed to provide benefits of the same kind as the benefit provided to the recipient and to provide such benefits in similar circumstances to those that applied in relation to the provision of the benefit to the recipient.”

On the motion of Mr Hurford (Minister Assisting the Treasurer), the amendments were agreed to, after debate.

Resolution to be reported.

The House resumed; Mr Drummond reported accordingly.

On the motion of Mr Hurford, the House adopted the report.

22 **ABORIGINAL LAND GRANT (JERVIS BAY TERRITORY) BILL 1986:** 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 Connolly 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 redrafted to provide for the land described in the Schedule to be granted as a lease in perpetuity to the Wreck Bay Aboriginal Community Council”.

Mr Langmore addressing the House—

23 **ADJOURNMENT:** It being 7.15 p.m.—The question was proposed—That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

The House continuing to sit until 8 p.m.—Madam Speaker adjourned the House until tomorrow at 10 a.m.

PAPERS: The following papers were deemed to have been presented on 4 June 1986:

- Defence Act—Determination—1986—No. 29—Airconditioning Allowance and Recreation Leave.
- Fisheries Act—
 - Notice, No. 161.
 - Plan of Management—No. 7—Northern Prawn Fishery (Amendment).
- Navigation Act—Navigation (Orders) Regulations—Orders—1986—No. 3—Marine, Part 50.
- Proclamations by His Excellency the Governor-General fixing the dates on which the following Acts and sections of Acts shall come into operation—
 - Trade Practices Revision Act 1986*—Provisions other than sections 1, 2, 31 and 35, sub-sections 49 (1), 51 (1) and 64 (1) and Part III—1 June 1986.
 - Trade Practices (Transfer of Market Dominance) Amendment Act 1986*—1 June 1986.

MEMBERS PRESENT: All Members were present (at some some time during the sitting) except Mr Cohen, Mr Cowan, Mr Dawkins, Mr Duffy, Mr Grace, Mr Humphreys and Mr Peacock.

A. R. BROWNING
Clerk of the House of Representatives