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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

No. 162

TUESDAY, 6 FEBRUARY 2001

1 The House met, at 2 p.m., pursuant to adjournment. The Speaker (the Honourable Neil Andrew) took the Chair, and read Prayers.

2 DEATH OF FORMER MEMBER (THE HONOURABLE JOHN ELDEN McLEAY)

Mr Howard (Prime Minister) referred to the death of the Honourable John Elden McLeay, and moved—That the House expresses its deep regret at the death on Tuesday, 26 December 2000, of the Honourable John Elden McLeay, a Member of this House for the Division of Boothby, South Australia, from 1966 to 1981, places on record its appreciation of his long and meritorious service, and tenders its profound sympathy to his family in their bereavement.

Mr Beazley (Leader of the Opposition) having seconded the motion and other Members having addressed the House in support thereof, and all Members present having risen, in silence—

Question—passed.

3 DEATH OF FORMER SENATOR (MR JAMES ANTHONY MULVIHILL)

The Speaker informed the House of the death, on Sunday, 10 December 2000, of Mr James Anthony Mulvihill, a Senator for the State of New South Wales from 1965 to 1983.

As a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased all Members present stood, in silence.

4 RESIGNATION OF MEMBER

The Speaker announced that, on Monday, 5 February 2001, he had received from the Honourable J. C. Moore a letter resigning his seat as Member for the electoral division of Ryan, in the State of Queensland, and that he would be consulting with party leaders and independent Members concerning the date of the by-election.

5 MINISTRY AND MINISTERIAL ARRANGEMENTS—PAPER

Mr Howard (Prime Minister) presented the following paper:

Howard Ministry, 30 January 2001,

and informed the House that, during the absence of Mr Fahey (Minister for Finance and Administration), Senator Rod Kemp (Assistant Treasurer) would be Acting Minister for Finance and Administration and Mr Costello (Treasurer) would answer questions on his behalf.

6 QUESTIONS

Questions without notice were asked.

7 AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL AUDIT OFFICE—PERFORMANCE AUDIT—REPORT

The Speaker presented the following paper:

Auditor-General—Report by Independent Auditor—Performance audit—Australian National Audit Office's planning and resources allocation processes, 22 December 2000.

Ordered to be printed.

8 AUDITOR-GENERAL'S REPORTS

The Speaker presented the following papers:

Auditor-General—Audit reports of 2000-2001—

No. 22—Performance audit—Fraud Control in Defence: Department of Defence.

No. 23—Financial statement audit—Audits of the Financial Statements of Commonwealth Entities for the period ended 30 June 2000: Summary of Results.

No. 24—Performance audit—Family Relationships Services Program: Department of Family and Community Services.

No. 25—Information support services—Benchmarking the Finance Function.

No. 26—Performance audit—Defence Estate Facilities Operations: Department of Defence.

No. 27—Performance audit—Program Administration in Training and Youth Division—Business Process Reengineering: Department of Education, Training and Youth Affairs.

Severally ordered to be printed.

9 PAPERS

The following papers were presented:

Aged Care Act—Report for 1999-2000.

Australian Sports Drug Agency—Report for 1999-2000.

Centrelink and the Data-Matching Agency—Data-matching program—Report on progress for 1999-2000.

Companies Auditors and Liquidators Disciplinary Board—Report for 1999-2000.

Copyright Agency Limited—Report for 1999-2000.

Corporations and Securities Panel—Report for 1999-2000.

Corporations and Securities—Joint Statutory Committee—Company Law Review Act 1998—Report—Government response.

Department of the Environment and Heritage—Report, including the Annual Report of the Supervising Scientist for 1999-2000—Corrigendum.

Federal Magistrates Service—Report for period 23 December 1999 to 30 June 2000.

Foreign Investment Review Board—Report for 1999-2000.

Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority—Report for 1999-2000.

Medibank Private—Report for 1999-2000.

Medical Training Review Panel—Report for 1999-2000.

Migration Agents Registration Authority—Report for 1999-2000—Errata.

Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 3) 2000—Replacement explanatory memorandum.

Productivity Commission—Report—No. 12—Review of Australia's general tariff arrangements, 22 July 2000.

Tax expenditures statement 2000—Report of the Department of the Treasury, December 2000.

Wheat Export Authority—Report for 1999-2000.

10 PAPERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPERS

Mr Reith (Leader of the House) moved—That the House take note of the following papers:

Copyright Agency Limited—Report for 1999-2000.

Foreign Investment Review Board—Report for 1999-2000.

Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 3) 2000—Replacement explanatory memorandum.

Tax expenditures statement 2000—Report of the Department of the Treasury, December 2000.

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

11 DISCUSSION OF MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE—FUEL EXCISE INCREASE

The House was informed that Mr Beazley (Leader of the Opposition) had proposed that a definite matter of public importance be submitted to the House for discussion, namely, "The failure of the Government to freeze the February 1 fuel excise increase in order to give struggling Australian motorists relief from higher fuel prices caused by the GST—in direct breach of the Government's promise".

The proposed discussion having received the necessary support—

Mr Beazley addressed the House.

Discussion ensued.

Suspension of standing and sessional orders moved

Mr Crean (Deputy Leader of the Opposition) moved—That so much of the standing and sessional orders be suspended as would prevent:

- (1) the Leader of the Opposition from introducing forthwith a bill to reverse the 1 February excise rate increase for petroleum and a bill to reverse the related customs rate increase, and
- (2) the bills being passed through all stages without delay.

Closure of Member

Mr Williams (Attorney-General) moved—That the Member be not further heard.

Question—put.

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

AYES, 71

Mr Abbott	Mr Entsch	Mr Lloyd	Mr Secker
Mr Anderson	Mr Fischer	Mr McArthur*	Mr Slipper
Mr K. J. Andrews	Mr Forrest*	Mr I. E. Macfarlane	Mr Somlyay
Mr Anthony	Mrs Gallus	Mr McGauran	Dr Southcott
Mr Baird	Ms Gambaro	Mrs May	Dr Stone
Mr Barresi	Mr Georgiou	Mrs Moylan	Mrs Sullivan
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Mr Causley	Mrs D. M. Kelly	Mr Pyne	Mr Wakelin
Mr Charles	Jackie Kelly	Mr Reith	Dr Washer
Mr Costello	Dr Kemp	Mr Ronaldson	Mr Williams
Mr Downer	Mr Lawler	Mr Ruddock	Dr Wooldridge
Mrs Draper	Mr Lieberman	Mr St Clair	Ms Worth
Mrs Elson	Mr Lindsay	Mr Scott	

NOES, 63

Mr Adams	Mr M. J. Evans	Mr Latham	Mr Quick
Mr Albanese	Mr L. D. T. Ferguson	Dr Lawrence	Mr Ripoll
Mr Andren	Mr M. J. Ferguson	Mr Lee	Ms Roxon
Mr Beazley	Mr Fitzgibbon	Ms Livermore	Mr Rudd
Mr Bevis	Ms Gerick	Mr McClelland	Mr Sawford*
Mr Breton	Mr Gibbons	Ms J. S. McFarlane	Mr Sciacca
Ms Burke	Ms Gillard	Ms Macklin	Mr Sercombe*
Mr Byrne	Mr Griffin	Mr McLeay	Mr Sidebottom
Ms Corcoran	Ms Hall	Mr McMullan	Mr Snowdon
Mr Cox	Mr Hatton	Dr Martin	Mr Swan
Mr Crean	Ms Hoare	Mr Melham	Mr Tanner
Mrs Crosio	Mr Hollis	Mr Mossfield	Dr Theophanous
Mr Danby	Mr Horne	Mr Murphy	Mr K. J. Thomson
Mr Edwards	Mrs Irwin	Mr O'Connor	Mr Wilkie
Ms Ellis	Ms Kernot	Mr O'Keefe	Mr Zahra
Mr Emerson	Mr Kerr	Mr Price	

* Tellers

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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr Beazley (seconder) addressing the House—

Closure of Member

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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Closure

Mr Williams moved—That the question be now put.

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

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

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

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And so it was negatived.

Discussion continued.

Discussion concluded.

12 LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MEMBERS

Mr McLeay (Chief Opposition Whip) moved—That leave of absence up to and including 8 March 2001 be given to Ms O’Byrne for maternity purposes, and leave of absence for the Autumn period of sittings be given to Ms Pliberseck for maternity purposes.

Question—put and passed.

13 ELECTORAL MATTERS—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—STATEMENT BY MEMBER

Mr Pyne (Chair), by leave, made a statement concerning a witness summoned to appear before the Joint Standing Committee on Electoral Matters.

14 PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE ON NATIVE TITLE AND THE ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER LAND FUND—STANDING COMMITTEE

The House was informed that the Chief Opposition Whip had nominated Mr McMullan to be a member of the Parliamentary Joint Committee on Native Title and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Land Fund in place of Mr Melham.

Mrs B. K. Bishop (Minister for Aged Care), by leave, moved—That Mr Melham be discharged from the Parliamentary Joint Committee on Native Title and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Land Fund and that, in his place, Mr McMullan be appointed a member of the committee.

Question—put and passed.

15 SELECTION COMMITTEE—REPORT

Mr Nehl (Chair) presented the following paper:

Selection Committee—Report relating to the consideration of committee and delegation reports and private Members’ business on Monday, 26 February 2001.

16 MAIN COMMITTEE—DAY OF NEXT MEETING

The Deputy Speaker reported that Wednesday, 7 February 2001, at 9.40 a.m., had been fixed for the next meeting of the Main Committee.

17 MATTERS REFERRED TO MAIN COMMITTEE

Mr Ronaldson (Chief Government Whip), by leave, moved—That:

- (1) the Communications and the Arts Legislation Amendment (Application of Criminal Code) Bill 2000 be referred to the Main Committee for further consideration; and

- (2) the following order of the day, Government business, be referred to the Main Committee for debate:

Defence 2000—Paper and ministerial statement—Motion to take note of papers: Resumption of debate.

Question—put and passed.

18 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Message No. 539, 8 December 2000, from the Senate was reported returning the Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 8) 2000 and acquainting the House that the Senate does not insist upon its amendment No. 1 disagreed to by the House of Representatives and has agreed to the amendment made by the House in its place.

19 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:

7 December 2000—Message No. 273—

Farm Household Support Amendment 2000.

Wool Services Privatisation 2000.

11 December 2000—Message No. 274—

National Health Amendment (Improved Monitoring of Entitlements to Pharmaceutical Benefits) 2000.

19 December 2000—Message No. 275—

Indigenous Education (Targeted Assistance) 2000.

States Grants (Primary and Secondary Education Assistance) 2000.

21 December 2000—Message—

No. 276—

ACIS Administration Amendment 2000.

Renewable Energy (Electricity) (Charge) Amendment 2000.

Interactive Gambling (Moratorium) 2000.

Telecommunications Legislation Amendment 2000.

Fuel Quality Standards 2000.

No. 277—

Copyright Amendment (Moral Rights) 2000.

Financial Sector Legislation Amendment (No. 1) 2000.

Jurisdiction of Courts (Miscellaneous Amendments) 2000.

Horticulture Marketing and Research and Development Services 2000.

Horticulture Marketing and Research and Development Services (Repeals and Consequential Provisions) 2000.

No. 278—

Education Services for Overseas Students 2000.
 Education Services for Overseas Students (Assurance Fund Contributions) 2000.
 Education Services for Overseas Students (Consequential and Transitional) 2000.
 Education Services for Overseas Students (Registration Charges) Amendment 2000.
 Migration Legislation Amendment (Overseas Students) 2000.
 No. 279—
 Gene Technology 2000.
 Gene Technology (Consequential Amendments) 2000.
 Gene Technology (Licence Charges) 2000.
 Broadcasting Services Amendment 2000.
 Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 7) 2000.
 Renewable Energy (Electricity) 2000.
 No. 280—
 Roads to Recovery 2000.
 Privacy Amendment (Private Sector) 2000.
 Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 8) 2000.
 Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment (Budget Measures) 2000.
 Aged Care Amendment 2000.

20 MIGRATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL (NO. 2) 2000

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 Emerson 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, at the beginning of the new millennium and during the Centenary of Federation:

- (1) acknowledges the invaluable role of migrants in building a fairer and more prosperous Australian nation; and
- (2) urges the government, in its pursuit of cost reductions in migration administration, to look at migration issues in a comprehensive manner and not to lose sight of the need to provide migrant families with equality of opportunity, especially educational opportunity, so that they have the best chance of contributing to the achievement of a fair cohesive society”.

Debate continued.

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

21 **ADJOURNMENT**

It being approximately 10.30 p.m.—The question was proposed—That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at 10.59 p.m., adjourned until tomorrow at 9.30 a.m.

PAPERS

The following papers were deemed to have been presented on 6 February 2001:

A New Tax System (Family Assistance) Act—Determinations—2000—
Child Care Benefit (Absence from Care—Permitted Circumstances)
Amendment No. 1.

Child Care Benefit (Eligible Hours of Care) Amendment—No. 1.

Child Care Benefit (Recognised Work or Work Related Commitments)
Amendment No. 1.

A New Tax System (Family Assistance) (Administration) Act—
Determinations—2000—

Child Care Benefit (Allocation of Child Care Places) Amendment No. 1.

Child Care Benefit (Eligibility of Child Care Services for Approval and
Continued Approval) Amendment No. 1.

Rules—2000 Child Care Benefit (Record Keeping) Amendment No. 1.

A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act—Regulations—Statutory
Rules 2000 No. 363.

A New Tax System (Wine Equalisation Tax) Act—Regulations—Statutory
Rules 2000 No. 364.

Air Navigation Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 360, 361.

Airports Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 340.

Australian Communications Authority Act—Determination—2000
Radiocommunications (Charges) (No. 1).

Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act—

Order—2000 Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry (Sheepmeat and
Goatmeat Export to the European Union).

Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 341.

Australian National University Act—Statute No. 268.

Australian Prudential Regulation Authority Act—Instrument fixing charges to
be paid to APRA, 14 December 2000.

Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act—Regulations—
Statutory Rules 2000 No. 330.

Broadcasting Services Act—

Broadcasting Services (Events) Notice No. 1 of 1994—Amendment—2000 No.
4.

- Guidelines—Broadcasting Services (International Broadcasting) 2000.
Variations—
Commercial Television Conversion Scheme 2000 No. 1.
National Television Conversion Scheme 2000 No. 1.
- Civil Aviation Act—Civil Aviation Regulations—
Airworthiness Directives—
Part 39-105—
2000 5(2), 6(4), 7, 8(2), 11(4), 13, 19, 22 December.
2001 4, 10, 11(5), 12(4), 16(4), 17, 18, 23(4), 31 January.
Part 39-106—
2000 11 December.
2001 12, 16 January.
Part 39-107—2000 11(3) December.
Civil Aviation Amendment Orders 2000 Nos 21, 22, 23.
Exemptions—
2000 Nos CASA EX49, CASA EX50, CASA EX51, CASA EX53.
2001 Nos CASA EX03, CASA EX04.
- Instruments—
2000 Nos CASA 524, CASA 540, CASA 554, CASA 555, CASA 556, CASA
557, CASA 558, CASA 560, CASA 561.
2001 Nos CASA 10, CASA 20, CASA 35, CASA 41, CASA 47.
Statutory Rules 2000 No. 362.
- Commonwealth Authorities and Companies Act—Notice under section 45—
Formation of a company by the Commonwealth—
Beyond Blue Limited.
National Institute of Clinical Studies Australia Ltd.
- Commonwealth Electoral Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 354,
355.
- Corporations Act—Accounting Standards—AASB 1043, December 2000.
- Currency Act—Determination—2000 Currency (Royal Australian Mint) No. 9.
- Customs Act—
Instruments of approval—2000 Nos CEO 57, CEO 58.
Notice under Subsection 164(5A)—2001 No. 1.
Notice under Subsection 164(5AAC)—2001 No. 1.
Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 349, 350, 352.
- Customs Administration Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 351.
- Defence Act—
Determination under section 58B—2000 No. 40.
Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 327.
- Environment Protection (Nuclear Codes) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules
2000 No. 331.
- Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act—Management
Plan—

Comments on Representations on the Management Plan for the Solitary Islands Marine Reserve (Commonwealth Waters)—February 2001.

Solitary Islands Marine Reserve (Commonwealth Waters)—January 2001.

Excise Act—

Notice under Subsection 78A(5A)—2001 No. 1

Notice under Subsection 78A(5AAC)—2001 No. 1

Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 365, 366.

Excise Amendment (Compliance Improvement) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 367.

Export Control Act—Export Control (Orders) Regulations—Export Control (Fees) Amendment Orders 2000 No. 3.

Export Inspection (Establishment Registration Charges) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 343.

Export Inspection and Meat Charges Collection Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 342.

Family Law Act—Rules of Court—Statutory Rules 2001 No. 1.

Farm Household Support Act—Schemes—2000—

Dairy Exit Program Scheme—Amendment (No. 3).

Restart Advice Scheme—Amendment (No. 1).

Restart Re-establishment Grant Scheme—Amendment (No. 3).

Federal Court of Australia Act—Rules of Court—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 333, 372.

Financial Management and Accountability Act—Determination—2000
Financial Management and Accountability (Comcover Special Account)
Amendment No. 14.

Fisheries Management Act—

Northern Prawn Fishery Management Plan 1995—Direction No. NPFD 46.

Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 337, 338, 339.

Southern Bluefin Tuna Fishery Management Plan 1995—Determination 2000
SBT Provisional National Catch Allocation 2000/2001 Season.

Fisheries Management Act and Fishing Levy Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 336.

Fuel Sales Grants Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 368.

Health Insurance Act—

Approval—2000 Health Insurance (Diagnostic Imaging—Continuing Medical Education and Quality Assurance Programs).

Declarations—2000 No. QAA 4.

Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 356.

Higher Education Funding Act—

Determinations—2001 Nos T1, T2, T3, T4, T5, T6, T7, T8.

Guidelines—2000 Allocation of Units of Study to Differential Higher Education Contribution Scheme Contribution Bands.

Home and Community Care Act—Home and Community Care Amending Agreement with Western Australia—30 November 2000.

Horticultural Marketing and Research and Development Services Act—Declarations—2000—

Industry Services Body.

Industry Export Control Body.

International Monetary Agreements Act—Australian Government Loan to Papua New Guinea—14 December 2000—National Interest Statement.

Migration Act—

Direction under s 499—No. 22.

Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 335.

Statements, 1 July to 31 December 2000 under section—

48B(12).

345(12).

351(36).

417(184).

Military Superannuation and Benefits Act—Instrument—2000 Military Superannuation and Benefits Amendment Trust Deed No. 1.

Murray-Darling Basin Act—Schedule to Murray-Darling Basin Agreement—Cap on Diversions.

National Health Act—

Declaration under Subsection 85(2)—2001 No. PB 2.

Declaration under Subsection 85(2AA)—2001 No. PB 1.

Determination under Paragraph 98C—2001 No. PB 3.

Determinations—2000 Nos PIB 30, PIB 31.

Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 357, 369.

Rules under Subsection 99AAA—2000 No. PB 17.

National Museum of Australia Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 326.

Native Title Act—Recognition of Representative Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander Body—

2000 No. 14.

2001 Nos 1, 2.

Navigation Act—Marine Orders—2001 Nos 1, 2.

Parliament Act—Parliamentary Zone—Proposal to construct a permanent crowd safety to replace existing temporary arrangements.

Parliamentary Service Act—Determinations—2000 Nos 2, 3, 4, 5.

Primary Industries and Energy Research and Development Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 324.

Primary Industries (Customs) Charges Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 344.

Primary Industries (Customs) Charges Act, Primary Industries (Excise) Levies Act and Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 322.

Primary Industries (Excise) Levies Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 320, 345.

Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 321, 346.

Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Act, National Residue Survey (Customs) Levy Act, National Residue Survey (Excise) Levy Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 323.

Product Stewardship (Oil) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 353.

Public Employment (Consequential and Transitional) Amendment Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 332.

Public Service Act—

Public Service Commissioner's Directions—2000 Amendment No. 1
Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 359.

Radiocommunications Act—

Determinations 2000—

Radiocommunications (Limitation of Authorisation of Third Party Users).

Radiocommunications (Transfer of Apparatus Licences).

Variation 2000—Citizen Band Radio Stations Class Licence No. 1.

Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Act—Determination 2000—
Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) (No. 1).

Remuneration Tribunal Act—

Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 329, 334.

Remuneration Tribunal Determinations—2000 Nos 14, 15, 16, 17.

Renewable Energy (Electricity) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2001 No. 2.

Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Act—Notice—2000 No. 4

Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Act—Notice 2000 No. 2.

Social Security Act—

Determinations—2000—

Social Security (Fares Allowance for Private Transport Transport).

Social Security (Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholarship).

Principles—2000—Social Security (Attributable Stakeholders and Attribution Percentages).

Superannuation Act 1976—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 370, 371.

Sydney Airport Curfew Act—Dispensations—

2000 Nos 20, 21, 22, 23, 24.

2001 Nos 1, 2, 3, 4.

Taxation Administration Act—

Determinations—

1998 No. TD 22 (Addendum).

2000 Nos GSTD 12, TD 53, TD 54, TD 54 (Addendum).

2001 Nos GSTD 1, TD 1.

Rulings—

2000 Nos PR 112 (Addendum), PR 115, PR 116, PR 117, PR 118, PR 119, GSTR 37, ST 2454, TR 17, TR 18, TR 18 (Addendum), List.

2001 Nos PR 1, PR 2, PR 3, PR 4, PR 5, PR 6, PR 7, PR 8, PR 9, PR 10, GSTR 1.

Telecommunications Act 1997—

Determinations under subsection—

51(1)—2000 No. 2.

95(1)—2000 No. 2.

Notice—2000 Telecommunications Labelling (Customer Equipment and Customer Cabling) (No. 2).

Telecommunications (Carrier Licence Charges) Act—

Determinations under paragraph 15(1)(b)—2000 No. 3.

Determinations under paragraph 15(1)(e)—2000 No. 1.

Telecommunications (Interception) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 325.

Therapeutic Goods Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 358.

Trade Practices Act—

Instrument of Declaration of Inland Terminals—9 December 2000.

Declaration—2000 Designated Inwards Peak Shipper Body No. 1.

Veterans' Entitlements Act—

Instruments—2000 Nos 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30.

Instruments under section 196B—2001 Nos 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

Wool Services Privatisation Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 Nos 347, 348.

Workplace Relations Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 2000 No. 328.

ATTENDANCE

All Members attended (at some time during the sitting) except Mr Fahey, Mr Morris, Ms O'Byrne* and Ms Plibersek*.

* On leave

I. C. HARRIS

Clerk of the House of Representatives