BILLS LIST AS AT 23 JANUARY 1990

TITLE AND CONSIDERATION OF BILL

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission Bill 1988
To establish a Commission to ensure maximum participation of Aboriginal persons and Torres Strait Islanders in the formulation and implementation of Government policies which affect them.
Reps: Intro. 24/8/88; Passed 1/9/88
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 1/9/88
Senate: Intro. 27/9/88; 2nd reading adjourned 27/9/88
Discharged from Notice Paper 6/10/89

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission Bill 1989
To establish a Commission to ensure maximum participation of Aboriginal persons and Torres Strait Islanders in the formulation and implementation of Government policies which affect them.
Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
Committee amendments: 17 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 17/10/89
Committee amendments: 33 Govt/passed; 1 Govt amended/passed; 1 Govt/withdrawn; 46 Opp/passed; 4 Opp/withdrawn; 3 Opp amended/passed; 55 Opp/negatived; 4 Dem/passed; 6 clauses negatived; 1 Resolution agreed to
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 2/11/89]
Assent: 27/11/89; Act No. 150 of 1989

Aboriginal Development Commission Amendment Bill 1989
To ensure that the Aboriginal Development Commission, during its remaining life, operates in a similar basis to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission.
Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 17/10/89
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed; 9 Opp/passed;
2 Opp amended/passed; 1 Opp/withdrawn; 1 Opp/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 2/11/89]
Assent: 27/11/89; Act No. 148 of 1989
Aboriginal Education (Supplementary Assistance) Bill 1989
To enable the Minister for Employment, Education and Training to enter into bilateral agreements with State and Territory governments, higher education institutions, non-government school systems and other institutions over objectives, strategies, resources and joint monitoring arrangements.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 13/12/89
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 1 of 1990

Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the grant of secure title of land to Aboriginal People in the pastoral areas of the Northern Territory.
Reps: Intro. 31/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 22/11/89; Passed 18/12/89
Committee amendments: 1 clause negated; 3 Govt/passed; 3 Opp/negated
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 2 of 1990

PM Abortion Funding Abolition Bill 1989
(Introduced by Mr Webster)
To prevent payment of medicare benefits relating to the procuring of an abortion.
Reps: Intro. 17/8/89; 2nd reading adjourned 2/11/89, 30/11/89

PS Acts Interpretation (Ministerial Undertakings) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Sanders)
To give the Senate a second opportunity to disallow delegated legislation where an undertaking to amend an instrument has not been honoured within a specified period of time.
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 24/11/89

S Administrative Decisions (Judicial Review) Amendment Bill 1987
To amend the Administrative Decisions (Judicial Review) Act 1977.
Senate: Intro. 15/9/87
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Reference: Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs: 24/9/87; report 29/10/87; restored to Notice Paper 18/2/88
2nd reading negatived 20/4/88

Administrative Services Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
(Previously entitled Administrative Services Legislation Amendment Bill 1988)
To amend various Acts relating to matters dealt with by the Department of Administrative Services.
Reps: Intro. 12/10/88; Passed 28/2/89
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 3/3/89; Passed 6/3/89
Assent: 13/3/89; Act No. 5 of 1989

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To achieve a uniform reporting date of 1 January for affirmative action program reports by higher education institutions; and to ensure that where institutions amalgamate the continuity of program development and reporting requirements will be preserved.
Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 9/3/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 4/4/89; Passed 11/5/89
Assent: 24/5/89; Act No. 30 of 1989

Aged or Disabled Persons Homes Amendment Bill 1988
To amend the Aged or Disabled Persons Homes Act 1954, to repeal the Aged or Disabled Persons Hostels Act 1972, and for related purposes.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/88; Passed 7/3/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 15/6/89
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 87 of 1989

Air Navigation Amendment Bill 1989
To enable the variation of licences of international airlines which fly to and from Australia.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 26/5/89
Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 45 of 1989

Appropriation Bill (No. 1) 1989-90
To appropriate certain sums out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending 30 June 1990.
Reps: Intro. 15/8/89; Passed 4/10/89
Senate: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 30/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 1 Resolution agreed to 24/11/89
Reference to Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs 24/11/89;
Reference to Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration 24/11/89
Assent: 5/12/89; Act No. 155 of 1989

Appropriation Bill (No. 2) 1989-90
To appropriate a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure in respect of the year ending 30 June 1990.
Reps: Intro. 15/8/89; Passed 4/10/89
Senate: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 30/11/89
Assent: 5/12/89; Act No. 156 of 1989
Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 1988-89
Particulars of proposed additional expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending 30 June 1989.
   Reps: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 12/4/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed
   Senate: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 29/5/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed
   Assent: 2/6/89; Act No. 43 of 1989

Appropriation Bill (No. 4) 1988-89
Particulars of certain proposed additional expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue fund in respect of the year ending on 30 June 1989.
   Reps: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 12/4/89
   Senate: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 29/5/89
   Assent: 2/6/89; Act No. 44 of 1989

Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill 1989-90
To appropriate certain funds out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure, in relation to the Parliamentary Departments, in respect of the year ending 30 June 1990.
   Reps: Intro. 15/8/89; Passed 4/10/89
   Senate: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 29/11/89
   Committee amendments: 2 Resolutions agreed to
   Assent: 5/12/89; Act No. 154 of 1989

Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No. 2) 1988-89
Particulars of proposed additional expenditure for Parliamentary departments from the Consolidated Revenue fund in respect of the year ending on 30 June 1989.
   Reps: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 12/4/89
   Senate: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 25/5/89
   Assent: 2/6/89; Act No. 40 of 1989

Arts, Territories and Environment Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend the law administered within the Arts, Territories and the Environment portfolio.
   Senate: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 5/5/89
   Reps: Intro. 8/5/89; Passed 30/5/89
   Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 60 of 1989

Audit Amendment Bill 1989
To improve administrative arrangements followed by Departments, make arrangements for signing audit reports, and to enable the Minister of Finance to direct moneys appropriated to one Parliamentary department to another on the transfer of functions.
   Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 3/5/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed
   Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed
   Senate: Intro. 8/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
   Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed
   [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 15/6/89]
   Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 82 of 1989
Australia Card Bill 1986 (No. 3)
To provide for a national identification system.
Reps: Intro. 15/9/87; Passed 16/9/87
Committee amendments: 1 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 17/9/87;
2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp amendment, amended by Opp
and 3 Dem/passed; 3 Dem to proposed amendment/withdrawn;
1 Govt to proposed amendment/negativated
Reference: Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional
Affairs 23/9/87; report 9/10/87; Bill laid aside
9/10/87

Australia Card Referendum Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Chaney)
Relating to the submission to the electors of a question
relating to the introduction of the Australia Card.
Senate: Intro. 15/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 15/9/87

Australia Council Amendment Bill 1988
To implement the Government’s decision in response to the
House of Representatives Standing Committee on Expenditure’s
Report on the Inquiry into Commonwealth Assistance to the
Arts.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 31/8/88
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 27/9/88; 2nd reading adjourned 27/9/88

Australian Bureau of Statistics Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Sheil)
To amend the Australian Bureau of Statistics Act 1975
to provide for Parliamentary supervision of the collection of
information for statistical purposes.
Senate: Intro. 6/12/88; Passed 6/4/89

Australian Capital Territory (Establishment and Amendment of
new Constitution) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Jenkins)
To permit the establishment and amendment of a new
Constitution for the Australian Capital Territory.
Senate: Intro. 8/11/88; 2nd reading negativated 24/11/88

Australian Capital Territory (Open Government, Probity and
Citizens’ Rights) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Jenkins)
To provide for open government in the Australian Capital
Territory to protect the probity of that government and to
establish fundamental rights of persons in the Australian
Capital Territory.
Senate: Intro. 8/11/88; 2nd reading negativated 24/11/88

Australian Capital Territory (Protection of the National
Interest) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Jenkins)
To provide for autonomous self-government for the Australian
Capital Territory.
Senate: Intro. 8/11/88; 2nd reading negativated 24/11/88
Australian Capital Territory (Tobacco - Sale to Young Persons and Promotion) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Mr Tickner)
To prohibit the advertising, promotion and certain sales of tobacco products to under 16 year olds in the Australian Capital Territory.
Reps: Intro. 26/5/88; Read a 1st time 26/5/88
Removed from Notice Paper 1/12/88

Australian Federal Police Amendment Bill 1989
To facilitate the recovery of Commonwealth funded superannuation benefits already paid to convicted corrupt members of the Australian Federal Police and enable the Director of Public Prosecutions to obtain restraining orders against property.
Reps: Intro. 17/8/89; Passed 4/10/89
Committee amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Senate: Intro. 6/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 27/11/89; Act No. 147 of 1989

Australian Federal Police Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for existing and former members of the Australian Federal Police to lose certain superannuation rights and benefits if convicted of an offence involving corruption or found guilty of a relevant disciplinary offence and dismissed.
Reps: Intro 4/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negativied
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 71 of 1989

Australian Federal Police Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To provide for the employment of AFP staff under the Australian Federal Police Act rather than the Public Service Act, to broaden the powers of the AFP Commissioner in relation to the terms and conditions of service of AFP staff, to change the AFP rank structure and to replace tenure with a fixed term appointment system.
Senate: Intro. 4/10/89; Passed 27/10/89
Reps: Intro. 30/10/89; Passed 28/11/89
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed
[Senate agreed to Reps amendments 29/11/89]
Assent: 17/12/89; Act No. 153 of 1989

Australian Heritage Commission Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the Commission to administer the National Estate Grants Program, to omit a subsection relating to Aboriginal sites, to exempt several bodies from the requirements of the Act and other administrative changes.
Reps: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 23/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativied
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negativied
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 24/11/89
(Introduced by Senator Dunn)
To allow for regulations to be made to control certain actions by corporations within the National Estate.
Senate: Intro. 22/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 22/11/89

PS  Australian Heritage Commission (Notification of Owners) Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Walters)
To permit the owners access to documents held by the Commission pertaining to their property.
Senate: Intro. 24/2/88; 2nd reading negatived 17/3/88

Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies Bill 1989
(Previous citation: Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies Bill 1989)
To establish a new organisation to replace the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies (AIAS).
Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
Committee amendments: 10 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 17/10/89
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed; 14 Opp/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 2/11/89]
Assent: 27/11/89; Act No. 149 of 1989

Australian National Maritime Museum Bill 1989
To establish the Australian National Maritime Museum at Darling Harbour, NSW.
Senate: Intro. 2/5/89; 2nd reading adjourned 2/5/89

Australian National University Bill 1988
To establish the Australian National University which will be an amalgamation of Canberra's three higher education institutions; the Australian National University, Canberra College of Advanced Education and the Canberra Institute of the Arts.
Reps: Intro. 1/12/88; 2nd reading adjourned 1/12/88

Australian Postal Corporation Bill 1989
To redefine the objectives, functions and powers of the Australian Postal Corporation and to provide for accountability.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 9/5/89
Committee amendments: 5 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 7/6/89
Committee amendments: 7 Opp/negatived
Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 64 of 1989
Australian Securities Commission Bill 1988
To establish an Australian Securities Commission, a Companies
and Securities Advisory Committee and certain other bodies.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 28/9/88
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 29 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations
Legislation; amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 34 Govt/passed; 2 Dem to
Govt/passed; 2 Govt as amended/passed; 6 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 23/5/89]
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 90 of 1989

Australian Sports Commission Bill 1988
To establish the Australian Sports Commission as a
Commonwealth statutory authority.
Reps: Intro. 31/8/88; Passed 23/11/88
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 7/3/89
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 12 of 1989

Australian Telecommunications Corporation Bill 1989
Relating to the reform of Telecom.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 9/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 6 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 7/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 7 Opp/negatived; 1 Opp amended/
negatived
Assent: 14/6/89; Act No. 54 of 1989

Australian War Memorial Amendment Bill 1989
To make material in the Australian War Memorial collection
available for exhibition overseas as well as in Australia.
Reps: Intro. 23/11/89; Read a 1st time 23/11/89

Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the implementation of a wine label integrity
program by the Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation.
Reps: Intro. 25/10/89; Passed 1/11/89
Senate: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 144 of 1989
Banking Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To provide the Reserve Bank with formal authority for the
prudential supervision of banks, to remove the distinction
between trading banks and savings banks, to replace the
Statutory Reserve Deposit requirement on all banks, and to
make the arrangements for collection and publication of
banking statistics more flexible.
Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
Committee amendments: 5 Govt/passed; 2 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 29/8/89; Passed 24/10/89
2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp/negativated; 1 Dem/negativated
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/passed; 2 Dem/negativated
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 26/10/89]
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 129 of 1989

Bounty (Photographic Film) Bill 1989
To provide bounty assistance for the production of
photographic colour film which has been sensitised and
finished in Australia.
Reps: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 23/11/89
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 14/12/89
Assent: 20/12/89; Act No. 172 of 1989

Bounty (Ships) Bill 1989
To provide bounty for the construction or modification of
certain ships and vessels in Australia which are completed
between 1 July 1989 and 30 June 1995.
Reps: Intro. 5/4/89; Passed 2/5/89
Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negativated
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 69 of 1989

Broadcasting Amendment Bill 1989
To enable the Australian Broadcasting Tribunal to use a range of
remedies as an alternative to licence suspension or
revocation where an adverse finding has been made against the
suitability of a commercial radio or television licensee.
Reps: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 22/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 23/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 23/11/89

Broadcasting (Ownership and Control) Bill (No. 3) 1987
To provide for a new package of commercial radio ownership
rules for radio services in Australia.
Senate: Intro. 10/12/87; 2nd reading adjourned 10/12/87
Discharged from Notice Paper 20/4/88

Broadcasting (Ownership and Control) Bill (No. 2) 1988
(Act citation: Broadcasting (Ownership and Control) Act
1989)
To clarify and refine the technical operation of "grand
fathering" and related provisions that were introduced in the
Broadcasting Act 1942 by the Broadcasting (Ownership and
Reps: Intro. 30/11/88; Passed 1/3/89
Senate: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 4/5/89
Assent: 24/5/89; Act No. 31 of 1989

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PS Broadcasting (Ownership and Control - Television Licences) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Powell)
To reduce the permissible maximum service area population of a commercial television license from 60% to 43% of the declared Australian population.
Senate: Intro. 15/4/88; 2nd reading adjourned 15/4/88

PS Broadcasting (Prohibition of Violent Programs for Children) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Vallentine)
To amend the Broadcast Act 1942 to prohibit the Australian Broadcasting Corporation or a television broadcasting licensee from broadcasting a program that is designed for children and depicts acts of violence.
Senate: Intro. 7/12/88; 2nd reading adjourned 7/12/88

PS Census and Statistics Amendment (Voluntary Provision of Survey Information) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Shell)
To amend the Census and Statistics Act 1905 to provide for the voluntary provision of information under the Act.
Senate: Intro. 12/10/88; 2nd reading negatived 24/11/88

PS Child Care (National Children's Services Program) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Dunn)
To establish a national public child care program.
Senate: Intro. 15/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 15/6/89

Child Support (Assessment) Bill 1989
To provide for the administrative assessment of child support by the Registrar of Child Support.
Reps: Intro. 1/6/89; Passed 17/8/89

Committee amendments: 112 Govt/passed; 5 Opp/negatived; 3 clauses negatived
Senate: Intro. 29/8/89; Passed 6/9/89

Committee amendment: 1 Opp/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 7/9/89]
Assent: 21/9/89; Act No. 124 of 1989

Circuit Layouts Bill 1988
(Act citation: Circuit Layouts Act 1989)
To provide a new copyright style of intellectual property in original layouts for integrated circuits.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 23/11/88
Senate: Intro. 28/11/88; Passed 4/5/89
Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 9/5/89]
Assent: 22/5/89; Act No. 28 of 1989

Civil Aviation Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the employment of Civil Aviation Authority staff under the Civil Aviation Act rather than the Public Service Act.
Reps: Intro. 29/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 29/11/89

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Close Corporations (Additional Liquidators’ Recovery Trust Fund Contribution) Bill 1988
To impose a tax upon close corporations where the Australian Securities Commission has determined that additional funds are required.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations
Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 123 of 1989

Close Corporations Bill 1988
(Act citation: Close Corporations Act 1989)
To provide a new simplified corporate structure for small business.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Committee amendments: 5 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations
Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 120 of 1989

Close Corporations (Fees) Bill 1988
(Act citation: Close Corporations (Fees) Act 1989)
To authorise the making of regulations for the fees payable under the Close Corporations Bill.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations
Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 121 of 1989

Close Corporations (Liquidators’ Recovery Trust Fund Contribution) Bill 1988
(Act citation: Close Corporations (Liquidators’ Recovery Trust Fund Contribution) Act 1989)
To impose a tax upon the subscribers to a founding statement of a proposed close corporation.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations
Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 122 of 1989

Commonwealth and Commonwealth Instrumentalities (Application of Laws) Bill 1989
To clarify what kinds of State and Territory laws apply to the Commonwealth and Commonwealth instrumentalities.
Reps: Intro. 31/5/89; Passed 4/9/89
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 26/9/89; 2nd reading adjourned 26/9/89
Commonwealth Borrowing Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To ensure that the Commonwealth Borrowing Levy continues to apply to all Commonwealth authorities and their subsidiaries.
Reps: Intro. 16/8/89; Passed 5/10/89
Senate: Intro. 6/10/89; Passed 26/10/89
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 128 of 1989

Commonwealth Borrowing Levy Collection Amendment Bill 1989
To ensure that the A.C.T. Electricity and Water Authority ceases to be liable for payments of Commonwealth Guarantee Charge.
Reps: Intro. 16/8/89; Passed 5/10/89
Senate: Intro. 6/10/89; Passed 26/10/89
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 135 of 1989

Commonwealth Serum Laboratories (Conversion into Public Company) Bill 1989
To establish, in four stages the Commonwealth Serum Laboratories (CSL) as a company registered under the Companies Act 1981.
Reps: Intro. 22/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 22/11/89

Community Services and Health Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus Bill providing amendments to legislation administered within the Community Services and Health portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
2nd reading amendments: 1 Dem amended/passed; 1 Dem to Dem/passed
Committee amendments: 1 Opp/passed; 1 Opp amplified/passed;
2 Opp/negatived; 1 Dem to Opp/passed; 1 Dem/passed;
Reference of provisions: Standing Committee on Community Affairs, reference agreed to 13/6/89; Select Committee on Health Legislation and Health Insurance, establishment agreed to 13/6/89
[Reps agreed to Senate amendment Nos 1, 2 and 4 but disagreed to amendment No. 3 16/6/89; Senate did not insist on its amendment 16/6/89]
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 95 of 1989

Community Services and Health Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
An omnibus Bill providing amendments to legislation administered within the Community Services and Health portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 21/11/89
Committee amendments: 8 Opp/negatived; 2 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 12/12/89
Committee amendments: 24 Opp/passed; 2 Opp/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments Nos 1-4, 6-9, 11, 13, 15-18, 20-23, made substitutes for Nos 5, 10, 12, 14, 19, 24, 21/12/89. Senate did not insist upon amendments and accepted substitutes, 21/12/89].
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 3 of 1990
Companies (Acquisition of Shares - Fees: Taxation Component) Bill 1989
To impose the fees that are a tax as prescribed under the Companies (Acquisition of Shares - Fees) Act 1980.
Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 102 of 1989

Companies (Fees: Taxation Component) Bill 1989
To impose the fees that are a tax as prescribed under the Companies (Fees) Act 1981.
Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 101 of 1989

PS Conciliation and Arbitration (Compliance Provisions) Amendment Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Chaney)
To ensure compliance with directions of the Australian Conciliation and Arbitration Commission.
Senate: Intro. 18/11/87; 2nd reading adjourned 18/11/87

PS Constitution Alteration (Appropriations for the Ordinary Annual Services of the Government) Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To alter the Constitution to ensure that if the Senate fails to pass a proposed law appropriation revenue or moneys for the ordinary annual services of the Government in respect of that year, an amount of money is appropriated for those services equal to the amount appropriated for those services in the preceding year.
Senate: Intro. 23/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 23/9/87

PS Constitution Alteration (Democratic Elections) Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To alter the Constitution to ensure that the Members of the Commonwealth Parliament and of the States Parliaments and of self-governing Territories are chosen directly and democratically by the People.
Senate: Intro. 23/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 23/9/87
Reference: Joint Committee on Electoral Matters 28/10/87; report 17/5/88

PS Constitution Alteration (Disqualification of Members and Candidates) Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator McLean)
To allow Commonwealth and State public servants to nominate as a candidate for Parliament without having to resign.
Senate: Intro. 10/5/89; 2nd reading adjourned 10/5/89
PS Constitution Alteration (Electors' Initiative) Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To alter the Constitution so as to vest in the electors power to propose laws and to approve or disapprove such proposed laws.
Senate: Intro. 23/9/87
Pursuant to Order of the Senate, cognate debate agreed to 14/4/88
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed, declined 2nd reading 26/5/88

PS Constitution Alteration (Electors' Initiative) Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To provide a method of altering the Constitution on the initiative of the electors.
Senate: Intro. 12/4/89; 2nd reading adjourned 12/4/89

Constitution Alteration (Fair Elections) Bill 1988
To alter the Constitution to provide for fair and democratic parliamentary elections throughout Australia.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/88; Passed 18/5/88
Senate: Intro. 19/5/88; Passed 1/6/88
Committee amendments: 1 Opp/negativized; 3 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 3/6/88]
Not approved at Referendum, 3 September 1988

PS Constitution Alteration (Fixed Term Parliaments) Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To alter the Constitution in relation to the duration of the House of Representatives, the terms of service of Senators, the holding of elections for the Senate and House of Representatives, and the office of Prime Minister.
Senate: Intro. 23/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 23/9/87

Constitution Alteration (Local Government) Bill 1988
To alter the Constitution to recognise local government.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/88; Passed 18/5/88
Senate: Intro. 19/5/88; Passed 1/6/88
Not approved at Referendum, 3 September 1988

PS Constitution Alteration (Parliament) Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To alter the Constitution so that the number of Senators need not necessarily be increased when there is an increase in the number of members of the House of Representatives.
Senate: Intro. 23/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 23/9/87

Constitution Alteration (Parliamentary Terms) Bill 1988
To alter the Constitution to provide for 4 year maximum terms for members of both Houses of the Commonwealth Parliament.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/88; Passed 18/5/88
Senate: Intro. 19/5/88; Passed 1/6/88
Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negativized
Not approved at Referendum, 3 September 1988
Constitution Alteration (Rights and Freedoms) Bill 1988
To alter the Constitution to extend the right to trial by jury, to extend freedom of religion, and to ensure fair terms for persons whose property is acquired by any Government.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/88; Passed 18/5/88
Senate: Intro. 19/5/88; Passed 1/6/88
Not approved at Referendum, 3 September 1988

Co-operative Scheme Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To amend the existing co-operative scheme legislation in accordance with decisions of the Ministerial Council for companies and securities.
Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 24/5/89
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 92 of 1989

Copyright Amendment Bill 1988
(Act citation: Copyright Amendment Act 1989)
To amend the Copyright Act 1968 and limit copyright protection for artistic works industrially applied and designs registered under the Designs Act 1906.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 23/11/88; Recommitted at Committee stage and Passed 24/11/88
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments (23/11/88): 5 Opp/negatived;
14 Govt/passed
Recommitted: Committee amendments (24/11/88): 5 Opp/negatived; 15 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 28/11/88; Passed 4/5/89
2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp/negatived, 1 Dem/passed;
1 Opp to Dem/negatived
Committee amendments: 8 Govt/passed; 14 Opp/passed;
4 Opp/negatived; 4 Opp/withdrawn; 1 Dem/passed;
2 Dem/withdrawn
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments Nos 1 to 5, 8, 9 and 15 to 28, but disagreed to Senate amendments Nos 6 and 7, and 10 to 14 9/5/89
Senate did not insist on amendments to which Reps disagreed 10/5/89]
Assent: 24/5/89; Act No. 32 of 1989

PM Copyright Reform Bill 1989
To implement the recommendations of the Copyright Law Review Committee relating to the importation of books and other reproduced articles.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Read a 1st time 26/10/89
Corporations Bill 1988
(Act citation: Corporations Act 1989)
To provide substantive provisions necessary for the regulation of companies and the securities and futures industries in Australia.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 28/9/88
Committee amendments: 253 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Committee amendments: 41 Govt/passed; 11 Govt/negatived;
17 Opp/passed; 16 Opp/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 23/5/89]
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 109 of 1989

Corporations (Fees) Bill 1988
(Act citation: Corporations (Fees) Act 1989)
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 110 of 1989

Courts and Tribunals Administration Amendment Bill 1989
To confer administrative independence on the Administrative Appeals Tribunal, the Family Court of Australia and the Federal Court of Australia.
Reps: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 22/11/89
Senate: Intro. 23/11/89; Passed 30/11/89
Assent: 5/12/89; Act No. 157 of 1989

Crimes (Hostages) Bill 1988
(Act citation: Crimes (Hostages) Act 1989)
To enable Australia to accede to, and implement, the International Convention Against the Taking of Hostages and establish jurisdiction over hostage related offences in a range of circumstances connected with Australia.
Reps: Intro. 1/12/88; Passed 7/3/89
Senate: Intro. 9/3/89; Passed 4/5/89
Assent: 15/5/89; Act No. 26 of 1989

Crimes Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend various Acts concerned with crime, law enforcement and criminal justice, administered within Attorney-General's.
Reps: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 29/5/89
Committee amendments: 1 Opp/passed; 2 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 5/6/89; Passed 16/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 108 of 1989
Crimes Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To review the Commonwealth sentencing legislation and the
laws governing federal offenders found unfit to be tried or
not guilty on the grounds of mental illness.
Reps: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 30/10/89
Committee amendments: 12 Govt/passed; 1 Opp
amended/passed; 3 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 19/12/89
Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negatived
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 4 of 1990

PM Crimes (Protection of Australian Flags) Bill 1989
(Introduced by Mr Cobb)
To amend the Crimes Act 1914 to provide for the protection of
certain Australian Flags.
Reps: Intro 4/5/89; Read a 1st time 4/5/89

Crimes (Superannuation Benefits) Bill 1989
To provide for the loss, or recovery, of Government funded
superannuation benefits payable, or paid, to existing or
former employees of the Commonwealth or of a Commonwealth
Authority who are convicted of a corruption offence and
sentenced to more than 12 months imprisonment.
Reps: Intro. 17/8/89; Passed 4/10/89
Committee amendments: 1 Opp/passed; 2 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 6/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 145 of 1989

Crimes (Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic
Substances) Bill 1989
To provide for the Commonwealth to meet its obligations under
the UN Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs
and Psychotropic Substances.
Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 28/11/89
Senate: Intro. 30/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/11/89

Customs (Detention and Search) Bill 1989
To Amend the Customs Act 1901 to repeal the current power to
detain and search persons suspected of unlawfully carrying
prohibited goods, and insert in its place a new division
containing a more comprehensive range of customs detention
search powers.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/11/89

Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1987
(Act citation: Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Act
1989)
To enforce penalty provisions to combat commercial practices
designed to understate the value of imported goods.
Reps: Intro. 18/11/87; Passed 25/11/87
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 5 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 25/11/87; Passed 7/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Committee amendments: 45 Govt/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 13/4/89]
Assent: 5/5/89; Act No. 23 of 1989

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Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Bill 1988
(Act citation: Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Act (No. 2) 1989)
An omnibus Bill proposing miscellaneous amendments to the Customs Act 1901 and the Excise Act 1901.
Reps: Intro. 7/11/88; Passed 24/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 7/4/89
Committee amendments: 14 Govt/passed; 1 Opp to Govt/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 13/4/89]
Assent: 5/5/89; Act No. 24 of 1989

Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989
To implement certain changes to the Diesel Fuel Rebate Scheme.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 78 of 1989

Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 4) 1989
An omnibus bill proposing various amendments to the Customs Act 1901 and the Excise Act 1901 and to repeal unproclaimed sections of three customs-related Acts.
Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 22/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 23/11/89; Passed 14/12/89
Committee amendments: 11 Opp/passed; 1 Opp/negatived; 8 clauses negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 5 of 1990

Customs (Detention and Search) Bill 1989
To expand the current customs detention and search powers.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/11/89

Customs Legislation (Anti-Dumping) Bill 1989
To restructure the anti-dumping provisions of the Customs legislation into discrete taxing and non-taxing Acts.
Reps: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 30/10/89
Senate: Intro. 31/10/89; Passed 14/12/89
Assent: 21/12/89; Act No. 174 of 1989

Customs Tariff Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1988
(Act citation: Customs Tariff Amendment Act 1989)
To amend the Customs Tariff Act 1987.
Reps: Intro. 7/11/88; Passed 24/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 2/5/89
Committee requests: 6 Govt requests for amendments passed; 1 Dem request for amendment/negatived
[Reps made Senate requests 13/4/89]
Assent: 17/5/89; Act No. 27 of 1989

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Customs Tariff Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To reflect decisions on the chemicals and plastics industries, post 1988 TCF arrangements and 1988 May Economic Statement.
   Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
   Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
   Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 67 of 1989

Customs Tariff Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989
To implement new tariff measures for the sugar industry.
   Reps: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
   Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
   Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 74 of 1989

Customs Tariff Amendment Bill (No. 4) 1989
To amend the Customs Tariff Act 1987.
   Reps: Intro. 25/10/89; Passed 22/11/89
   Senate: Intro. 23/11/89; Passed 14/12/89
   Assent: 24/12/89; Act No. 176 of 1989

Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for a transfer of a series of existing sections of the Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Act into Part XVB of the Customs Act.
   Reps: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 30/10/89
   Senate: Intro. 31/10/89; Passed 14/12/89
   Assent: 20/12/89; Act No. 173 of 1989

Customs Tariff (Coal Export Duty) Amendment Bill 1989
To continue an exemption from liability to pay customs duty on certain coal.
   Reps: Intro. 1/3/89; Passed 5/4/89
   Senate: Intro. 6/4/89; Passed 8/6/89
   Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 68 of 1989

Customs Tariff (Uranium Concentrate Export Duty) Amendment Bill 1989
To increase the duty on exported uranium concentrate mined in the Alligator Rivers Region, from $1.02 per kilogram to $1.15 per kilogram.
   Reps: Intro. 1/3/89; Passed 4/4/89
      2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
   Senate: Intro. 5/4/89; Passed 8/6/89
      2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
   Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 75 of 1989

Dairy Produce Levy (No. 1) Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the dairy industry's contribution to the Exotic Animal Disease Preparedness Trust Account.
   Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
      Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
   Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 26/10/89
   Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 131 of 1989
PS Defence Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator McLean)
To repeal the Defence Act 1903 to provide for Parliamentary approval for overseas service by members of the Defence Force.
Senate: Intro. 22/2/88; 2nd reading adjourned 22/2/88

Defence Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To exempt Australian Defence Industries Pty Ltd for a transitional period of 6 years from certain State and territory laws which deal with land usage, dangerous goods or licensing activities, or which impose taxes, charges or rates.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
Assent: 2/6/89; Act No. 41 of 1989

Defence Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
An omnibus Bill proposing a series of amendments to various Acts administered within the Defence portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 29/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 29/11/89

PS Defence (Safe and Unimpeded Access for Visiting Foreign Warships) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Newman)
To establish procedures to enable visiting foreign warships to obtain safe and unimpeded access to Australian ports.
Senate: Intro. 19/10/88; 2nd reading adjourned 19/10/88

Defence Service Homes Amendment Bill 1989
To amend the Defence Service Homes Act 1918 to clarify certain provisions concerning assistance to entitled persons for the acquisition of a home.
Reps: Intro. 5/4/89; Passed 11/5/89
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 14/6/89
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 86 of 1989

PS Delegated Legislation Review Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator McLean)
To establish a Joint Committee to examine Commonwealth delegated legislation and to report to the Parliament regularly.
Senate: Intro. 15/3/88; 2nd reading adjourned 15/3/88

Egg Industry Research (Hen Quota) Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the egg industry's contribution to the Exotic Animal Disease Preparedness Trust Account.
Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 26/10/89
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 132 of 1989
Electoral and Referendum Amendment Bill 1988
To amend the Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 and the Referendum (Machinery Provisions) Act 1984 to give effect to the remaining accepted recommendations of the Joint Select Committee on Electoral Reform's Reports 1 and 2.

Senate: Intro. 29/4/88; Passed 21/12/89
Committee amendments: 14 Govt/passed; 2 Govt/withdrawn; 1 Opp/passed; 2 Opp/negatived; 1 Dem/negatived; 9 Dem/negatived; 3 clauses negatived
Reps: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived
Assent: 23/1/90; Act No. 24 of 1990

End of War List Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator McGauran)
To re-establish an End of War List for Australian service personnel who served in the Vietnam War and subsequent conflicts.

Senate: Intro. 7/9/89; Passed 2/11/89
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/passed
Reps: Intro. 21/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 21/11/89

Excise Tariff Amendment Bill 1989
To enable the customs duty on certain imported goods to be collected at the time of importation, decrease excise duty rates on low alcohol beer, alter the excise duty on naturally occurring liquefied petroleum gas, and impose excise duty on tapped crude petroleum oil in certain circumstances.

Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 77 of 1989

Excise Tariff Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To incorporate into the Excise Tariff Act 1921 a proposal to alter the excise duty on naturally occurring liquefied petroleum gas and to effect a minor technical amendment to allow for the A.C.T. attaining self-government.

Reps: Intro. 25/10/89; Passed 28/11/89
Senate: Intro. 29/11/89; Passed 14/12/89
Assent: 24/12/89; Act No. 177 of 1989

Exotic Animal Disease Control Bill 1989
To establish an Exotic Animal Disease Preparedness Consultative Council and to provide financial assistance for purposes related to the control and eradication of exotic animal diseases.

Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 26/10/89
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 130 of 1989
Export Inspection (Quantity Charge) Amendment Bill 1989
To revise the maximum levels of charge which can be set by
the regulations for several prescribed commodities and
exclude certain other commodities from any imposition of a
quantity charge.
Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 8/3/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 9/3/89; Passed 11/5/89
Assent: 24/5/89; Act No. 33 of 1989

Extradition Amendment Bill 1989
To make technical amendments to the Extradition Act 1988 to
facilitate bilateral extradition treaties or extradition
arrangements with other nations and to change the powers of
police and magistrates in extradition cases.
Reps: Intro. 29/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 29/11/89

PS Family Law Amendment Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Durack)
To amend the Family Law Act 1975 in respect to child
maintenance.
Senate: Intro. 7/10/87; 2nd reading adjourned 7/10/87

S Family Law Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus bill proposing miscellaneous amendments to the
Senate: Intro. 16/6/89; Passed 21/12/89
Reps: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Assent: 28/12/89; Act No. 182 of 1989

Federal Airports Corporation Amendment Bill 1989
To implement reforms of the FAC which remove a range of
detailed controls exercised by Government and change the
accountability of the board.
Reps: Intro. 29/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 29/11/89

PS Federal Court (Grouped Proceedings) Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Haines)
To provide for the grouping of proceedings in the Federal
Court of Australia.
Senate: Intro. 11/12/89; 2nd reading adjourned 11/12/89

PS Flags Amendment Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Short)
To ensure that the Australian National Flag is not altered
except with the approval of the Australian people voting in a
referendum.
Senate: Intro. 19/11/87; 2nd reading adjourned 19/11/87,
24/3/88
Discharged from Notice Paper 1/9/89
Flags Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Mr Howard)
To ensure that the Australian National Flag is not altered except with the approval of the Australian people voting in a referendum.
Reps: Intro. 17/3/88; Read a 1st time 17/3/88
Removed from Notice Paper 1/12/88

Flags Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Mr Fife)
To ensure that the Australian National Flag is not altered except with the approval of the Australian people voting in a referendum, is not supplanted by use of the powers under the Act, and appointment of other flags and ensigns is subject to disallowance by Parliament.
Reps: Intro. 31/8/89; Read a 1st time 31/8/89

Foreign Corporations (Application of Laws) Bill 1989
To ensure that certain questions arising under Australian law in relation to foreign corporations will be determined in accordance with the law applied in the place of incorporation.
Senate: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Reps: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Assent: 29/12/89; Act No. 103 of 1989

Foreign Takeovers Amendment Bill 1988
To amend the Foreign Takeovers Act 1975 to reflect the Government's revised foreign investment policy.
Reps: Intro. 9/11/88; Passed 24/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 4/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negatived; 3 Dem/negatived
Assent: 13/4/89; Act No. 14 of 1989

Futures Industry (Fees: Taxation Component) Bill 1989
To impose the fees that are a tax as prescribed under the Futures Industry (Fees) Act 1986.
Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 104 of 1989

Futures Organisations (Application for Membership) Fidelity Funds Contribution Bill 1988
(Act citation: Futures Organisations (Application for Membership) Fidelity Funds Contribution Act 1989)
To impose a tax on applicants for admission to membership of certain futures organisations.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation; amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 117 of 1989

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Futures Organisations Fidelity Funds Levy Bill 1988
(Act citation: Futures Organisations Fidelity Funds Levy Act 1989)
To impose a levy on contributing members of certain futures
organisations.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations
Legislation; amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 119 of 1989

Futures Organisations (Membership) Fidelity Funds
Contribution Bill 1988
(Act citation: Futures Organisations (Membership) Fidelity
Funds Contribution Act 1989)
To impose a tax on contributing members of certain futures
organisations.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations
Legislation; amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 118 of 1989

General Insurance Supervisory Levy Bill 1989
To provide provisions for the imposition of an annual
supervisory levy on general insurers and Lloyd's to recover
the costs of their supervision under the Insurance Act 1973
by the Insurance and Superannuation Commission.
Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 7/3/89
Senate: Intro. 9/3/89; Passed 10/4/89
Assent: 20/4/89; Act No. 17 of 1989

Geneva Conventions Amendment Bill 1989
To enable Australian ratification of Protocol I additional to
the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949.

PS Geneva Conventions Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To enable Australian ratification of Protocol I additional to
the Geneva Conventions of 12 August 1949.
Senate: Intro. 30/8/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/8/89

Goat Fibre Levy Bill 1989
To impose a levy on goat fibre produced in Australia.
Reps: Intro. 30/8/89; Passed 25/10/89
Senate: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 138 of 1989
Goat Fibre Levy Collection Bill 1989
To provide for the collection of levy imposed on goat fibre produced in Australia.
Reps: Intro. 30/8/89; Passed 25/10/89
Senate: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 143 of 1989

Grain Legumes Levy Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To allow different rates of levy to be determined for the various grain legumes covered by the grain legumes research scheme.
Reps: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 23/11/89
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 30/11/89
Assent: 14/12/89; Act No. 158 of 1989

Grape Research Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To increase the maximum rate of levy that may be imposed under the Grape Research Levy Act 1986.
Reps: Intro. 25/10/89; Passed 1/11/89
Senate: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 140 of 1989

Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Bill 1989
To control the export and import of hazardous, but not radioactive, wastes in line with the Basel Convention.
Reps: Intro. 6/9/89; Passed 24/10/89
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/passed; 1 clause negativised
Senate: Intro. 30/10/89; Passed 19/12/89
Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 1 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
Assent 17/1/90; Act No. 6 of 1990

PM Health Insurance Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Mr Tuckey)
To ensure that Ministers and their staff observe secrecy with respect to any information regarding the affairs of another person obtained while performing official duty.
Reps: Intro. 21/4/88; 1st reading adjourned 21/4/88
Removed from Notice Paper 3/11/88

Higher Education Funding Amendment Bill 1989
To provide increased funding for higher education institutions for the 1989-91 triennium.
Reps: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
Senate: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 13/6/89
2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp/passed; 1 Dem to Opp/negativised
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 80 of 1989
Higher Education Funding Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To provide funding for higher education institutions for the 1989-91 triennium.
  Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
  Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 13/12/89
  Committee amendments: 2 Dem/negatived
  Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 168 of 1989

Higher Education Funding Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989
To provide, as a condition of payments under the principal Act, that States will not take any action to prevent or hinder the imposition or collection of fees by higher education institutions for organisations representing the interests of students generally.
  Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 30/11/89
  Senate: Intro. 4/12/89; 2nd reading adjourned 4/12/89

Higher Education Funding Bill 1988
(Act citation: Higher Education Funding Act 1988)
To provide for grants of financial assistance to the States, the Northern Territory and institutions of higher education for the 1989-1991 triennium to reflect recent Government decisions.
  Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 22/11/88
  Committee amendments: 24 Govt/passed
  Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 14/12/88
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
  Committee amendments: 1 Opp/passed; 1 Opp/negatived; 1 Dem/passed; 2 Opp to 1 Dem/passed; 1 Opp to 1 Dem/negatived
  [Reps agreed to 1 amendment, disagreed to 1 and made substitute for 1, 21/12/88
  Senate did not insist on amendment and accepted substitute, 21/12/88]
  Assent: 6/1/89; Act No. 2 of 1989

Horticultural Export Charge Amendment Bill 1989
To increase the maximum rate of charge payable on exports of prescribed horticultural products from 2 per cent to 5 per cent.
  Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
  Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 26/5/89
  Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 48 of 1989

Horticultural Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To provide additional charge and levy collection arrangements under which horticultural industries are able able to participate in the Australian Horticultural Corporation and the Horticultural Research and Development Corporation through product levies and export charges.
  Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
  Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed
  Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 26/5/89
  Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 46 of 1989
Horticultural Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To increase the maximum rate of charge payable on prescribed horticultural products produced and sold or used in Australia from 2 per cent to 5 per cent.
Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 26/5/89
Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 47 of 1989

House of Representatives (Quorum) Bill 1988
(Act citation: House of Representatives (Quorum) Act 1989)
To reduce the quorum of the House of Representatives from one-third to one-fifth.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/8/88
Senate: Intro. 30/8/88; Passed 25/5/89
Assent: 2/6/89; Act No. 42 of 1989

Housing Assistance Bill 1989
To authorise the Commonwealth to enter into a new 10 year housing agreement with the States, the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.
Reps: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 23/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 23/11/89; Passed 20/12/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 6 Dem/negatived
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 7 of 1990

Income Equalization Deposits Laws Amendment Bill 1989
To introduce a tax-linked Income Equalization Deposits scheme for primary producers.
Reps: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 1/6/89
Assent: 14/6/89; Act No. 56 of 1989

Income Tax Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1988
(Act citation: Income Tax Amendment Act 1989)
To amend the Income Tax Act 1986 to ensure that, if the proposal to tax both contributions to superannuation funds and approved deposit funds and the other income of those funds would be in breach of the Constitution, the Income Tax Act will only apply to tax that other income.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/88; Passed 10/5/89
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 100 of 1989

Income Tax Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To formally impose the rates of income tax payable by individuals and trustees generally for the 1989-90 financial year.
Reps: Intro. 6/9/89; Passed 25/10/89
Senate: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 142 of 1989
Income Tax (Arrangements with the States) Repeal Bill 1989
To repeal the Income Tax (Arrangements with the States) Act 1978 and make consequential amendments to the income tax law.
   Reps: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed
   Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 9/6/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
   Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 73 of 1989

PM Income Tax Assessment Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Mr. Nehl)
To amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1933 to clarify the application of the provisions of section 78 in respect of the Life Education Centre Incorporated and Life Education Centres.
   Reps: Intro. 10/11/88; Read a 1st time 10/11/88
   Removed from Notice Paper 25/5/89

Income Tax Assessment Amendment Bill 1989
To introduce measures announced in the 1989-90 Budget, including twice-monthly remittance of tax instalment deductions and adjustment of provisional tax.
   Reps: Intro. 6/9/89; Passed 25/10/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed
   Senate: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed
   Committee amendment: 1 Opp/passed
   [Reps disagreed to Senate amendment 27/11/89;
   Senate insisted on its amendment 30/11/89;
   Reps insisted on disagreeing to amendment 30/11/89;
   Senate insisted on its amendment 11/12/89]
   Reps: Message returning bill reported 21/12/89
   Consideration of Message order for next day of sitting 21/12/89

PS Income Tax Assessment (Housing Loan Interest) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Haines)
To amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936 to provide a rebate on housing loan interest.
   Senate: Intro. 2/3/89; 2nd reading negativ ed 11/5/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed

PS Income Tax Assessment (Housing Loan Interest) Amendment Bill 1989 [No. 2]
(Introduced by Senator Haines)
To amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936 to provide a rebate on housing loan interest.
   Senate: Intro. 16/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 16/6/89

PS Income Tax Assessment (Savings Accounts Interest) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Haines)
To amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936 to grant exemption from income tax of certain income from savings accounts.
   Senate: Intro. 1/3/89; 2nd reading negativ ed 11/5/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp as amended/negativ ed

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Income Tax Assessment (Savings Accounts Interest) Amendment Bill 1989 [No. 2]
(Introduced by Senator Haines)
To amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936 to grant exemption from income tax of certain income from savings accounts.
Senate: Intro. 16/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 16/6/89

Income Tax Assessment (Tax Agents’ Fees) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Watson)
To amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936 to make deductible expenditure incurred for the preparation, by a registered tax agent, of information required by or under the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936.
Senate: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
Reps: Intro. 29/5/89; 2nd reading adjourned 29/5/89
Removed from Notice Paper 30/11/89

Income Tax (Fund Contributions) Bill 1988
(Act citation: Income Tax (Fund Contributions) Act 1989)
To impose a tax on the contributions to superannuation funds and approved deposit funds.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/88; Passed 10/5/89
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 99 of 1989

Income Tax (International Agreements) Amendment Bill 1989
To provide legislative authority for the entry into force of a double taxation agreement with the People’s Republic of China.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; 2nd reading adjourned 25/5/89

Income Tax (International Agreements) Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To provide legislative authority for the entry into force of comprehensive double taxation agreements between Australia and Papua New Guinea and Thailand and to amend existing agreements with France and Singapore.
Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 23/11/89
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 7/12/89
Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 165 of 1989

Income Tax Rates Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1988
(Act citation: Income Tax Rates Amendment Act 1989)
To impose formally the tax to be payable on the taxable contributions and other income of complying superannuation funds, approved deposit funds and pooled superannuation trusts.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/88; Passed 10/5/89
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 98 of 1989
Income Tax Rates Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To amend the Income Tax Rates Act 1986 to declare the rates of tax payable on the various components of taxable income of life assurance companies and registered organisations.
Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 10/5/89
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 106 of 1989

Industrial Chemicals (Notification and Assessment) Bill 1989
To establish a national scheme for the notification and assessment of industrial chemicals.
Reps: Intro. 6/9/89; Passed 24/10/89
Senate: Intro. 30/10/89; Passed 19/12/89
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 8 of 1990

PS Industrial Relations (Directions to Stop Industrial Action) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Chaney)
To empower the Australian Industrial Relations Commission to enforce directions to stop industrial action.
Senate: Intro. 16/8/89; 2nd reading negatived 17/8/89

PM Industrial Relations (Directions to Stop Industrial Action) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Mr Reith)
To empower the Australian Industrial Relations Commission to enforce directions to stop industrial action.
Reps: Intro. 17/8/89; Read a 1st time 17/8/89

PS Industrial Relations (Directions to Stop Industrial Action) Amendment Bill 1989 [No. 2]
(Introduced by Senator Chaney)
To empower the Australian Industrial Relations Commission to enforce directions to stop industrial action.
Senate: Intro. 30/8/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/8/89,
31/8/89

Industrial Relations Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus Bill proposing a series of amendments to various Acts administered within the Industrial Relations portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/11/89

PS Industrial Relations (Right to Strike) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator McLean)
To provide workers with the right to strike whether or not they are a member of a trade union.
Senate: Intro. 14/12/89; 2nd reading adjourned 14/12/89

Industries Assistance Commission Amendment Bill 1988
To empower a Minister to make minor changes (in narrowly defined circumstances) in the provision of tariff assistance to industries without the requirement for a prior report of the Commission.
Reps: Intro. 20/4/88; Passed 18/5/88
Senate: Intro. 19/5/88; 2nd reading adjourned 19/5/88
Industry Commission Bill 1989
To establish an Industry Commission to replace the Industries Assistance Commission, the Inter-State Commission and the Business Regulation Review Unit.
   Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 21/11/89
   Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
   Senate: Intro. 23/11/89; Passed 5/12/89
   Committee amendments: 3 Dem/passed
   [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
   Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 9 of 1990

Industry, Technology and Commerce Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
   Reps: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
   Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived
   Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 7/6/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
   Committee amendments: 4 Opp/passed; 3 clauses negatived
   [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 15/6/89]
   Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 91 of 1989

Industry, Technology and Commerce Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend the Bounty (Ships) Act 1989, the Designs Act 1906, the Patents Act 1952, the Patents, Trade Marks, Designs and Copyright Act 1939 and the Trade Marks Act 1955.
   Reps: Intro. 4/10/89; Passed 25/10/89
   Senate: Intro. 27/10/89; Passed 30/11/89
   Committee amendment: 1 Opp/passed
   [Reps agreed to Senate amendment 21/12/89]
   Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 10 of 1990

Insurance Legislation Amendment Bill 1988
To amend the Insurance Act 1973 and the Insurance (Agents and Brokers) Act 1984 to levy an annual supervisory fee on general and life insurers; and to overcome certain deficiencies in existing legislation.
   Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 9/11/88
   Senate: Intro. 10/11/88; 2nd reading adjourned 10/11/88
   Discharged from Notice Paper 2/5/89

Insurance Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To amend the Insurance Act 1973, the Insurance (Agents and Brokers) Act 1984; and the Life Insurance Act 1945 to maintain effective supervision of the industry by the Insurance and Superannuation Commission.
   Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 7/3/89
   Senate: Intro. 9/3/89; Passed 10/4/89
   Assent: 20/4/89; Act No. 16 of 1989
Insurance Supervisory Levies Collection Bill 1989
To provide provisions for the collection of the supervisory levies imposed on general insurers, Lloyd's and life insurers by the General Supervisory Levy Bill 1989 and the Life Insurance Supervisory Levy Bill 1989.
Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 7/3/89
Senate: Intro. 9/3/89; Passed 10/4/89
Assent: 20/4/89; Act No. 18 of 1989

International Arbitration Amendment Bill 1988
(Act citation: International Arbitration Amendment Act 1989)
To amend the Arbitration (Foreign Awards and Agreements) Act 1974 to establish a procedural framework for the conduct of international commercial arbitration.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 22/11/88
Senate: Intro. 24/11/88; Passed 12/4/89
Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 1 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 2/5/89]
Assent: 15/5/89; Act No. 25 of 1989

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (General Capital Increase) Bill 1988
(Act citation: International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (General Capital Increase) Act 1989)
To empower the Treasurer to make necessary agreements on behalf of Australia to purchase additional shares of the capital stock of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development under terms that the Treasurer determines and appropriate necessary funds to make payments under these agreements.
Reps: Intro. 19/10/88; Passed 1/12/88
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 5/12/88; Passed 6/3/89
   2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp/negatived; 1 Dem/negatived
   Committee amendments: 3 Dem/passed; 1 Opp to 1 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 7/3/89]
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 10 of 1989

Judicial and Statutory Officers Remuneration Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To implement increases in remuneration for members of the Federal judiciary.
Reps: Intro. 17/8/89; Passed 25/10/89
   Committee amendments: 5 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 30/10/89; Passed 23/11/89
   Assent: 5/12/89; Act No. 152 of 1989

PS Koongarra Project Area Repeal Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator McLean)
To repeal the Koongarra Project Area Act 1981.
Senate: Intro. 22/2/88; 2nd reading adjourned 22/2/88
Lands Acquisition Bill 1988
(Act citation: Lands Acquisition Act 1989)
To give legislative effect to the Government’s decision on
the issues arising out of the Australian Law Reform
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 20/10/88
Committee amendments: 34 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 5/4/89
Committee amendments: 11 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 6/4/89]
Assent: 17/4/89; Act No. 15 of 1989

Lands Acquisition (Repeal and Consequential Provisions) Bill
1988
(Act citation: Lands Acquisition (Repeal and Consequential
To provide for the transition from the use of powers and
procedures under the present Act, the Lands Acquisition Act
1955 to use powers and procedures under the new Act, the
Lands Acquisition Act 1988.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 10/11/88
Senate: Intro. 22/11/88; Passed 5/4/89
Assent: 20/4/89; Act No. 21 of 1989

Law and Justice Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus Bill to make miscellaneous amendments to various
crime Acts administered within Attorney General’s.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 15/8/89
Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 29/8/89; Passed 19/12/89
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed; 1 Govt
amended/passed; 1 Opp/passed; 1 Opp/negatived; 1 Opp to
proposed Govt amendment/withdrawn; 1 Opp as amended to
Govt amendment/passed; 2 Opp to Govt/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 11 of 1990

Laying Chicken Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the egg industry’s contribution to the Exotic
Animal Disease Preparedness Trust Account in the event that
the Egg Industry Research (Hen Quota) Levy Act 1987 was to
become inoperative prior to 30 June 1995.
Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 26/10/89
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 126 of 1989

PS Legislative Initiative Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Macklin)
To provide for the holding of referenda on bills proposed by
members of the public.
Senate: Intro. 12/4/89; 2nd reading adjourned 12/4/89
Life Insurance Supervisory Levy Bill 1989
To provide provisions for the imposition of an annual supervisory levy on life insurers to recover the costs of their supervision by the Insurance and Superannuation Commission.
   Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 7/3/89
   Senate: Intro. 9/3/89; Passed 10/4/89
   Assent: 20/4/89; **Act No. 22 of 1989**

Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims Bill 1989
To give effect to the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976.
   Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 16/8/89
   Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 23/11/89
   Assent: 30/11/89; **Act No. 151 of 1989**

Live-stock Slaughter Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the meat and livestock industry's contribution to the Exotic Animal Disease Preparedness Trust Account.
   Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
   Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
   Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 26/10/89
   Assent: 7/11/89; **Act No. 127 of 1989**

Local Government (Financial Assistance) Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for an increase in the level of general purpose financial assistance being provided for Local Government in 1989-90.
   Reps: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
   Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 1/6/89
   Assent: 19/6/89; **Act No. 62 of 1989**

Marine Navigation Levy Bill 1989
To alter the basis of calculating the method of charging commercial shipowners for the navigational services provided to them by the Commonwealth.
   Reps: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 23/11/89
   Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 7/12/89
   Assent: 18/12/89; **Act No. 161 of 1989**

Marine Navigation Levy Collection Bill 1989
To provide for the collection of levy imposed by the Marine Navigation Levy Bill 1989.
   Reps: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 23/11/89
   Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 7/12/89
   Assent: 18/12/89; **Act No. 162 of 1989**

Meat Chicken Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the chicken meat industry's contribution to the Exotic Animal Disease Preparedness Trust Account.
   Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
   Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 26/10/89
   Assent: 7/11/89; **Act No. 133 of 1989**
Medicare Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To impose the basic rates of Medicare levy for 1989-90.
Reps: Intro. 6/9/89; Passed 25/10/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/passed
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 137 of 1989

Migration Amendment Bill 1989
To give legislative effect to elements of the master plan for passenger processing as they relate to the Migration Amendment Act (No. 2) 1988 which cannot be proclaimed in its present form.
Senate: Intro. 5/4/89; Passed 30/5/89
Committee amendment: 1 Dem/negatived
Reps: Intro. 1/6/89; Passed 1/6/89
Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 61 of 1989

Migration Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To amend the Migration Act 1958 to give legislative effect to changes recommended by the Fitzgerald review.
Senate: Intro. 5/4/89; Passed 30/5/89
Committee amendments: 82 Govt/passed; 39 Dem/negatived; 2 Dem to Govt/negatived
Reps: Intro. 1/6/89; Passed 1/6/89
Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 59 of 1989

Migration Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To introduce into the review process the power of the Minister to substitute a favourable decision after the first tier of review.
Senate: Intro. 14/12/89; Passed 14/12/89
Reps: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Assent: 28/12/89; Act No. 180 of 1989

Migration Legislation Amendment (Consequential Amendments) Bill 1989
To make a number of minor amendments to the Migration Legislation Amendment Act 1989.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 31/10/89
Senate: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 14/12/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/passed
Committee amendments: 4 Dem/negatived
Assent: 18/12/89; Act No. 159 of 1989

Ministers of State Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for an increase in ministerial salaries.
Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 7/3/89
Senate: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 10/4/89
Assent: 20/4/89; Act No. 20 of 1989
Motor Vehicle Standards Bill 1989
To achieve uniform vehicle standards to apply to road vehicles in Australia.
Reps: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 65 of 1989

PS National Crime Authority Amendment Bill 1987 [No. 2]
(Introduced by Senator Lewis)
To extend the term of the National Crime Authority.
Senate: Intro. 22/10/87; 2nd reading adjourned 22/10/87
Discharged from Notice Paper 2/5/89

National Debt Sinking Fund Amendment Bill 1989
To amend the National Debt Sinking Fund Act 1966 to delete reference to the Chief Justice as a member of the National Debt Commission.
Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 5/10/89
Senate: Intro. 6/10/89; Passed 26/10/89
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 136 of 1989

National Guarantee Fund (Members of Participating Exchanges) Levy Bill 1988
To impose a levy payable under the Corporations Bill 1988 on members and member organisations by securities exchanges where the guarantee fund is depleted.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88; reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 116 of 1989

National Guarantee Fund (Participating Exchanges) Levy Bill 1988
To impose a levy payable under the Corporations Bill 1988 by securities exchanges where the guarantee fund is depleted.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88; reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 115 of 1989
National Guarantee Fund (Reportable Transactions) Levy Bill 1988
(National Guarantee Fund (Reportable Transactions) Levy Act 1989)
To impose a levy under the Corporations Bill 1988 on certain transactions undertaken by securities dealers where the guarantee fund is depleted.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 114 of 1989

National Health Amendment Bill 1989
To increase the maximum general patient contribution for prescribed drugs supplied under the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme.
Reps: Intro. 30/8/89; Passed 7/9/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 26/9/89; Passed 27/9/89
  Committee amendments: 2 Opp/passed
[Reps disagreed to Senate amendments, made substitute for 1 and 1 consequential amendment 4/10/89
  Senate did not insist on 1 amendment, agreed to substitute for 1 and 1 consequential amendment and insisted on Amendment No. 2 26/10/89
  Reps insisted on disagreeing to Amendment No. 2 30/11/89
  Senate insisted on Amendment No. 2 11/12/89
  Reps: Message returning bill reported 21/12/89;
  Consideration of Message order for next day of sitting 21/12/89]

National Health Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
(Act citation: National Health Amendment Act 1989)
To increase to four the number of additional members that can be appointed to the Pharmaceutical Benefits Tribunal by the Minister.
Reps: Intro. 29/11/89; Passed 30/11/89
Senate: Intro. 5/12/89; Passed 11/12/89
Assent: 24/12/89; Act No. 175 of 1989

PS National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits Determination Revocation) Amendment Bill 1989
(Previous citation: National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits Determination Revocation and Tribunal Membership) Amendment Bill 1989)
(Introduced by Senator Puplick)
To revoke a determination of the Pharmaceutical Benefits Remuneration Tribunal and provide for qualified membership of the Tribunal.
Senate: Intro. 6/9/89; Passed 7/9/89
  Committee amendments: 1 Opp/passed; 2 clauses negatived
Reps: Intro. 3/10/89; 2nd reading adjourned 3/10/89
PS National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits Determinations) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Coulter)
To revoke a determination of the Pharmaceutical Benefits Remuneration Tribunal and make future determinations disallowable instruments.
Senate: Intro. 1/9/89; 2nd reading adjourned 1/9/89

PS National Identification System (Reference to the People) Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator Haines)
To ensure that the Australia Card Act 1987 does not come into operation until a referendum has been held.
Senate: Intro. 15/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 15/9/87

To improve the operations of the Commission and streamline its administration.
Reps: Intro. 31/8/88; Passed 23/11/88
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativted
Senate: Intro. 24/11/88; Passed 2/3/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Assent: 7/3/89; Act No. 4 of 1989

PS Navigation Amendment (Deregulation of Coasting Trade) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Hamer)
To repeal part IV of the Navigation Act 1912 to remove obligation for ships to obtain a licence or permit to engage in the coasting trade, and to repeal other sections of the Act relating only to the coasting trade.
Senate: Intro. 12/10/88; 2nd reading adjourned 12/10/88

Northern Territory Grant (Electricity) Bill 1989
To provide for the continuation of a grant to the Northern Territory to subsidise its electricity operations in 1989–90.
Reps: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 26/5/89
Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 49 of 1989

PS Nuclear Non-Proliferation (Exports) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Sanders)
To prevent the proliferation of nuclear weapons by regulating the exportation of nuclear material and certain associated items from Australia
Senate: Intro. 1/6/88; 2nd reading adjourned 1/6/88

Occupational Health and Safety (Commonwealth Employment) Bill 1989
To provide for the protection of the health and safety of Commonwealth employees at work.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/11/89
Occupational Superannuation (Reasonable Benefit Limits) Amendment Bill 1989
To establish the reasonable benefit limit as the maximum amount of benefits a person is permitted to receive is on a concessionally taxed basis.
Reps: Intro. 29/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 29/11/89

Overseas Students Charge Amendment Bill 1989
To fix the amounts of the charges payable under the Overseas Students Charge Act 1979 for the 1990 academic year.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 21/12/89
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 12 of 1990

Overseas Students Charge Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To make amendments to the Overseas Students Charge Act 1979 as a consequence of the Migration Legislation Amendment Act 1989.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 31/10/89
Senate: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 14/12/89
Assent: 28/12/89; Act No. 178 of 1989

Overseas Students Charge Collection Amendment Bill 1989
To enable payment of the overseas students charge by 2 equal instalments each year from the beginning of 1990.
Reps: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Senate: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 13 of 1990

Overseas Students (Instalment Payments) Charge Bill 1989
To provide for an instalment fee which will be incurred where the overseas students charge is paid by 2 instalments each year.
Reps: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Senate: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 21/12/89
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 14 of 1990

PS Ozone Depleting Substances Regulation Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Coulter)
To regulate the use of certain substances that can significantly deplete or modify the Ozone layer in a manner that is likely to have adverse effects on human health and the environment.
Senate: Intro. 15/4/88; 2nd reading adjourned 15/4/88
Discharged from Notice Paper 12/10/88

PS Ozone Depleting Substances Regulation Bill 1988 (No. 2)
(Introduced by Senator Coulter)
To regulate the use of certain substances that can significantly deplete or otherwise modify the Ozone layer in a manner that is likely to have adverse effect on human health and the environment.
Senate: Intro. 12/10/88; 2nd reading adjourned 12/10/88, 3/11/88
Ozone Protection Bill 1988
(Act citation: Ozone Protection Act 1989)
To provide for measures to protect ozone in the atmosphere.
Reps: Intro. 10/11/88; Passed 23/11/88
Committee amendments: 7 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 2/3/89
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed; 2 Opp/passed; 10 Dem/negative
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 6/3/89]
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 7 of 1989

Ozone Protection (Licence Fees - Imports) Bill 1988
(Act citation: Ozone Protection (Licence Fees - Imports) Act 1989)
To provide for payment of fees in respect of import of schedule substances under licences granted under the Ozone Protection Act 1988.
Reps: Intro. 10/11/88; Passed 23/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 7/3/89
Committee request: 1 Opp/passed
[Reps made Senate request 6/3/89]
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 8 of 1989

Ozone Protection (Licence Fees - Manufacture) Bill 1988
(Act citation: Ozone Protection (Licence Fees - Manufacture) Act 1989)
To provide for payment of fees in respect of manufacture of schedule substances under licences granted under the Ozone Protection Act 1988.
Reps: Intro. 10/11/88; Passed 23/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 7/3/89
Committee request: 1 Opp/passed
[Reps made Senate request 6/3/89]
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 9 of 1989

Parliamentary Presiding Officers Amendment Bill 1987
To amend the Parliamentary Presiding Officers Act 1965 to remove sexist language.
Reps: Intro. 14/9/87; 1st reading adjourned 14/9/87

Pasture Seed Levy Bill 1989
To impose a levy on certain pasture seed harvested in Australia.
Reps: Intro. 4/10/89; Passed 30/10/89
Senate: Intro. 31/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 146 of 1989

Pasture Seed Levy Collection Bill 1989
To provide for the collection of the Pasture Seed Levy.
Reps: Intro. 4/10/89; Passed 30/10/89
Senate: Intro. 31/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 139 of 1989
Patents Amendment Bill 1988
(Act citation: Patents Amendment Act 1989)
To abolish the present procedures for extending the term of a patent and replaces with procedures applicable to pharmaceuticals.
Reps: Intro. 3/6/88; Passed 2/5/89
Committee amendments: 19 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negativved
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 96 of 1989

Patents Bill 1989
To repeal and replace the Patents Act 1952.
Reps: Intro. 1/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 1/6/89

PS Peace Trust Fund Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Vallentine)
To allow those with a conscientious objection to paying military taxes to allocate a proportion of their tax to be paid into a Peace Tax Trust Fund.
Senate: Intro. 15/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 15/6/89

PS Petroleum Retail Marketing Sites Amendment (Divorce of Ownership) Bill 1987
(Introduced by Senator McLean)
To propose that petrol companies should not be permitted to own or operate petrol sites.
Senate: Intro. 8/12/87; 2nd reading adjourned 8/12/87

Pig Slaughter Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the pig industry's contribution to the Exotic Animal Disease Preparedness Trust Account.
Reps: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 16/8/89
Senate: Intro. 18/8/89; Passed 26/10/89
Assent: 7/11/89; Act No. 134 of 1989

Primary Industries and Energy Legislation Amendment Bill
(No. 2) 1988
(Act citation: Primary Industries and Energy Legislation Amendment Act 1989)
Reps: Intro. 12/10/88; Passed 1/3/89
Senate: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 15/6/89
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 88 of 1989

Primary Industries and Energy Legislation Amendment Bill
(No. 2) 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend existing legislation and repeal redundant legislation administered within the Primary Industries and Energy portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 12/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativved
Senate: Intro. 2/5/89; Passed 20/12/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativved
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 15 of 1990

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Primary Industries and Energy Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend existing legislation and repeal redundant legislation administered within the Primary Industries and Energy portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 4/10/89; Passed 31/10/89
Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 20/12/89
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 16 of 1990

Primary Industries and Energy Research and Development Bill 1989
To establish Research and Development Corporations to administer the funding of research and development programs.
Reps: Intro. 4/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 12 Govt/passed; 2 Opp/passed;
3 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 20/12/89
Committee amendments: 14 Govt/passed; 2 Govt to proposed Opp amendments/passed; 10 Opp/passed; 6 Opp/negatived;
2 Opp/withdrawn; 2 Opp amended/passed; 2 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 17 of 1990

Privacy Amendment Bill 1989
To change the provisions for privacy protection for individuals in relation to consumer credit records.
Senate: Intro. 16/6/89; Read 2nd time 22/12/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 22/12/89
Proposed reference to Legal and Constitutional Affairs: negatived

Privacy Bill 1986 [No. 2]
To establish rules of conduct, called information privacy principles, for the collection and retention of, access to and correction, use and disclosure of personal information.
Reps: Intro. 15/9/87; In Committee 21/9/87

Privacy (Consequential Amendments) Bill 1986 [No. 2]
To make certain amendments to the Privacy Act 1986.
Reps: Intro. 15/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 15/9/87

Public Service (Parliamentary Departments) Bill 1988
To establish a new Department of Parliamentary Services to replace the Joint House, Parliamentary Reporting Staff and Parliamentary Library Departments.
Reps: Intro. 19/5/88; Passed 29/11/88
Senate: Message transmitting bill reported 14/12/88;
Consideration of Message order for next day of sitting 14/12/88
Qantas Airways Limited (Loan Guarantee) Bill 1989
To enable the Treasurer, on behalf of the Commonwealth, to
guarantee the repayment of loans and interest on funds raised
by Qantas to purchase three Boeing 747-400 aircraft and
related spare parts.
Reps: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 5/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 6/4/89; Passed 10/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 20/4/89; Act No. 19 of 1989

PS Referendum (Machinery Provisions) (Fair Questions) Amendment
Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Short)
To ensure that fair and objective questions are put to voters
at referendums.
Senate: Intro. 24/8/88; 2nd reading negatived 25/8/88

PS Referendum (Machinery Provisions) (Informal Ballot-papers)
Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Short)
To ensure that there is no confusion surrounding informal or
formal votes in referendums.
Senate: Intro. 24/8/88; Passed 24/8/88
Reps: Intro. 24/8/88; 2nd reading adjourned 24/8/88
Removed from Notice Paper 1/12/88

PS Regulation of Video Material Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Walters)
To prohibit the information, sale or hire of "X" rated
videos; and reduce the violence in "R" rated videos.
Senate: Intro. 30/11/88; In Committee 4/5/89, 25/5/89,
1/6/89
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/passed; 1 Dem/passed

Resource Assessment Commission Bill 1989
To establish the Resource Assessment Commission and define
its functions and powers.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 4 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 2 Opp/passed; 1 Opp amended/passed;
9 Opp/negatived; 5 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 16/6/89]
Assent: 28/6/89; Act No. 94 of 1989

Sales Tax Assessment Bill (No. 12) 1988
To extend sales tax to computer programs transferred within
Australia, otherwise than when embodied in goods, from
outside Australia to an unregistered person in Australia; and
provide machinery for the collection and recovery of tax on
such programs.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 24/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; 2nd reading adjourned 25/11/88
Discharged from Notice Paper 2/5/89
Sales Tax Bill (No. 1A) 1988
To formally impose the sales tax payable under the Sales Tax Assessment Act (No. 1) 1930 on the sale value of computer programs transferred within Australia, otherwise than when embodied in goods; and declare the rates of tax applicable to those programs.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 24/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; 2nd reading adjourned 25/11/88
Discharged from Notice Paper 2/5/89

Sales Tax Bill (No. 12) 1988
To formally impose the sales tax payable under the Sales Tax Assessment Bill 1988 on the value of computer programs concerned; and declare the rates of tax applicable to those programs.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 24/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; 2nd reading adjourned 25/11/88
Discharged from Notice Paper 2/5/89

PM Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Bill 1988
(Introduced by Mr Prosser)
To exempt professional fishermen from sales tax on four-wheel drive vehicles and certain motorcycles.
Reps: Intro. 28/4/88; Read a 1st time 28/4/88
Removed from Notice Paper 9/3/89

PM Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Bill 1989
(Introduced by Mr Prosser)
To exempt professional fishermen from sales tax on four-wheel drive vehicles and certain motorcycles.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Read a 1st time 13/4/89
Removed from Notice Paper 26/10/89

Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Bill 1989 [No. 2]
(Act citation: Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Act 1989)
To ensure that only bottles that are for repeated use in marketing alcoholic beverages qualify for exemption from tax on their initial acquisition by a brewer or wholesaler of such beverages.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativ ed
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 9/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Committee amendment: 1 Dem/negativ ed
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 72 of 1989
Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To exempt certain recycled paper products and goods for use by sub-contractors on behalf of manufacturers from sales tax, to increase the small manufacturer exemption thresholds, and reduce the minimum content requirement for flavoured milk drinks to qualify for a concessional rate of tax.
  Reps: Intro. 4/10/89; Passed 31/10/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
  Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
  Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 11/12/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
  Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed; 5 Dem/negatived;
  1 Dem/passed; 1 Ind/negatived
  [Reps agreed to amendment No. 1, disagreed to amendments Nos 2 and 3, made amendment in place thereof, 21/12/89; Senate did not insist upon amendments and agreed to replacement amendment, 22/12/89]
  Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 18 of 1990

PS Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989
(Introduced by Senator Coulter)
To remove sales tax on certain paper made from recycled pulp.
  Senate: Intro. 1/9/89; 2nd reading adjourned 1/9/89

Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications)(Computer Programs) Amendment Bill 1989
To remove sales tax on all computer programs other than on microchips.
  Reps: Intro. 31/5/89; Passed 31/10/89
  Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 11/12/89
  Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 166 of 1989

Sales Tax Laws Amendment Bill 1988
To amend the Sales Tax Act (No. 1) 1930, the Sales Tax Assessment Acts (Nos 1-3 and 5-7) 1930, the Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Act 1935 and the Sales Tax Procedure Act 1934.
  Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 24/11/88
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
  Committee amendments: 4 Opp/negatived
  Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; 2nd reading adjourned 25/11/88
  Discharged from Notice Paper 2/5/89

Sales Tax Laws (Computer Programs) Amendment Bill 1989
To reduce the sale value of goods containing computer programs by the amount of that value attributable to the programs.
  Reps: Intro. 31/5/89; Passed 31/10/89
  Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
  Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 11/12/89
  Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed
  [Reps disagreed to Senate amendment, made substitute amendment in place thereof, 21/12/89; Senate did not insist upon amendment and accepted substitute 22/12/89]
  Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 19 of 1990
Securities Exchanges (Application for Membership) Fidelity Funds Contribution Bill 1988
To impose a tax payable under the Corporations Bill 1988 on applicants for admission to membership of security exchanges, or to partnerships in member firms recognised by certain securities exchanges.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 111 of 1989

Securities Exchanges Fidelity Funds Levy Bill 1988
(Act citation: Securities Exchanges Fidelity Funds Levy Act 1989)
To impose a fidelity fund levy payable under the Corporations Bill 1988 by the members of securities exchanges where the fund is depleted.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 113 of 1989

Securities Exchanges (Membership) Fidelity Funds Contribution Bill 1988
(Act citation: Securities Exchanges (Membership) Fidelity Funds Contribution Act 1989)
To impose an annual fidelity contribution payable under the Corporation Bill 1988 by members of securities exchanges.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 29/9/88
Senate: Intro. 14/10/88; Passed 11/5/89
Reference: Joint Select Committee on Corporations Legislation, amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 14/10/88;
reference agreed to 17/10/88; report 13/4/89
Assent: 14/7/89; Act No. 112 of 1989

Securities Industry (Fees: Taxation Component) Bill 1989
To impose the fees that are a tax as prescribed under the Securities Industry (Fees) Act 1980.
Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 103 of 1989

Senate (Quorum) Bill 1989
To reduce the quorum of the Senate from one-third to one-quarter.
Senate: Intro. 7/12/89; 2nd reading adjourned 7/12/89
Sex Discrimination Amendment Bill 1989
To remove section 41 of the Sex Discrimination Act 1984 which exempts from the operation of the Act discrimination in superannuation on the ground of sex or marital status and to insert a number of more limited exemptions dealing with superannuation practices.
Reps: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 31/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed; 2 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 7/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 7/6/89

PS Smoking and Tobacco Products Advertisements (Prohibition) Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Powell)
To end tobacco advertising in the print media.
Senate: Intro. 31/8/89; Passed 7/12/89
Committee amendments: 22 Govt/passed
Reps: Intro. 21/12/89; Passed 22/12/89
Assent: 28/12/89; Act No. 181 of 1989

Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation (Conversion into Public Company) Bill 1989
To establish, in four stages the Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation (SMEC) as a company registered under the Companies Act 1981.
Reps: Intro. 5/4/89; Passed 2/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 7/6/89
2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp/negatived; 1 Dem/negatived
Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 66 of 1989

Social Security and Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend existing legislation relating to the Social Security and Veterans' Affairs portfolios.
Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 9/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 14/6/89
Committee amendments: 18 Dem/negatived
Committee request: 1 Dem/negatived
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 83 of 1989

Social Security and Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend existing legislation relating to the Social Security and Veterans' Affairs portfolios.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 14/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/negatived
Committee amendments: 2 Dem/passed; 2 Dem/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 15/6/89]
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 84 of 1989
Social Security and Veterans’ Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989
An omnibus Bill to amend existing legislation relating to the Social Security and Veterans’ Affairs portfolios.
Reps: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 24/10/89
   Committee amendments: 5 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 30/10/89; Passed 5/12/89
   2nd reading amendments: 1 Dem/negatived
   Committee amendments: 23 Dem/negatived;
Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 163 of 1989

Social Security and Veterans’ Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 4) 1989
An omnibus bill proposing various amendments to 10 Acts relating to the Social Security and Veterans’ Affairs portfolios.
Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 22/11/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
   Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 5/12/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
   Committee amendments: 11 Dem/negatived
Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 164 of 1989

States Grants (General Purposes) Bill 1989
To provide for general purpose assistance to the States and Northern Territory in 1989-90.
Reps: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 26/10/89
Senate: Intro. 27/10/89; Passed 7/12/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Assent: 18/12/89; Act No. 160 of 1989

States Grants (Non-Government Business Colleges) Bill 1989
To make provision for grants of financial assistance to the States for Non-Government business colleges for 1989.
Reps: Intro. 1/3/89; 2nd reading adjourned 1/3/89
Discharged from Notice Paper 1/6/89

States Grants (Schools Assistance) Amendment Bill 1989
To make adjustments and variations in the price levels of the financial schedules in the States Grants (Schools Assistance) Act 1988 and provide for the payment of grants to schools in the A.C.T. under the Act as a consequence of self-government.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
   2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 13/6/89
   2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp/passed; 1 Dem to Opp/negatived
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 79 of 1989
States Grants (Schools Assistance) Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To implement decisions in the Budget on Commonwealth programs for schools in 1990 and to supplement for cost increases grants already appropriated for schools programs for 1989.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 13/12/89
Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 169 of 1989

States Grants (Schools Assistance) Bill 1988
(Act citation: States Grants (Schools Assistance) Act 1988)
To implement the funding of primary and secondary education of children in the States and the Northern Territory and implement decisions announced in the May Economic Statement 1988.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 22/11/88
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 21/12/88
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
  Committee amendments and requests: 2 Opp/passed; 2
    Dem/passed; 1 Opp/negatived; 3 Dem/ negatived; 2 Opp
  requests for amendments passed
[Reps declined to make Senate requests 21/12/88
Senate pressed requests, further Opp amendment/passed
21/12/88
Reps made Senate requests 21/12/88
Reps agreed to 3 Senate amendments, disagreed to 2 and
  made substitute for 1 disagreed to 21/12/88
Senate did not insist on amendments disagreed to and
  agreed to substitute amendment 21/12/88]
Assent: 5/1/89; Act No. 1 of 1989

States Grants (TAFE Assistance) Bill 1989
To provide for the distribution of Commonwealth funds for technical and further education in the States and Territories for 1990.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 13/12/89
Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 170 of 1989

States Grants (Technical and Further Education Assistance) Amendment Bill 1989
To make provisions for supplementation of grants of financial assistance to the States and the Northern Territory for technical and further education for 1989, to make provision to include the A.C.T. in line with self-government for the Territory, and to exclude fees payable by overseas students from the condition of financial assistance relating to the charging of student fees.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 23/5/89
Senate: Intro. 24/5/89; Passed 13/6/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed; 1 Dem to
    Opp/negatived
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 81 of 1989

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States Grants (Technical and Further Education Assistance) Bill 1988
(Act citation: States Grants (Technical and Further Education Assistance) Act 1989)
To make provision for grants of financial assistance to the States and the Northern Territory for technical and further education for 1989 and give effect to a number of measures announced in TAFE 1989 Commonwealth Programs and Priorities.
Reps: Intro. 3/11/88; Passed 22/11/88
Senate: Intro. 25/11/88; Passed 14/12/88
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Committee amendments: 2 Dem/passed; 1 Opp/passed; 1 clause negativied
[Reps disagreed to all of Senate amendments and made substitute for 1 disagreed to 21/12/88
Senate insisted on 2 Senate amendments, did not insist on 1 and agreed to substitute amendment 21/12/88
Reps insisted on disagreeing to 2 amendments 21/12/88
Senate did not insist on 2 amendments to which Reps insisted upon disagreeing 6/3/89]
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 13 of 1989

States Grants (Technical and Further Education Assistance) Bill 1989
To make provision for grants of financial assistance to the States and the Northern Territory for technical and further education for 1989.
Reps: Intro. 1/3/89; 2nd reading adjourned 1/3/89
Discharged from Notice Paper 1/6/89

Student Assistance Amendment Bill 1989
To make administrative amendments to the Student Assistance Act 1973.
Reps: Intro. 2/3/89; Passed 4/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativied
Senate: Intro. 5/4/89; Passed 13/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 76 of 1989

Student Assistance Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
To extend the provisions of AUSTUDY relating to the prevention of fraud and to provide for interest to become payable on outstanding debt from government funded student assistance schemes.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 13/12/89
Committee amendments: 1 Dem/negativied
Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 171 of 1989
Subsidy Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To alter the eligibility for subsidy assistance for cultivation and harvesting equipment.
Senate: Intro. 5/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed
Reps: Intro. 15/6/89; Passed 15/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 85 of 1989

Superannuation Bill 1989
To establish a new superannuation scheme for Commonwealth employees.
Reps: Intro. 29/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 29/11/89

Superannuation and Other Benefits Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for certain pensions to be increased in compensation for the 2 per cent discount applied to pensions in 1986.
Reps: Intro. 6/9/89; Passed 4/10/89
Senate: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 6/10/89
Assent: 17/10/89; Act No. 125 of 1989

Supply Bill (No. 1) 1989-90
To make interim provision for the appropriation of money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending on 30 June 1990.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 10/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 29/5/89
Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 50 of 1989

Supply Bill (No. 2) 1989-90
To make interim provision for the appropriation of money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure in respect of the year ending on 30 June 1990.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 10/5/89
Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 29/5/89
Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 51 of 1989

Supply (Parliamentary Departments) Bill 1989-90
To make interim provision for the appropriation of money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure in relation to the Parliamentary Departments in respect of the year ending on 30 June 1990.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 10/5/89
Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 29/5/89
Assent: 8/6/89; Act No. 52 of 1989
Supported Accommodation Assistance Bill 1989
To authorise the Commonwealth to enter into new 5 year agreements with each State and the ACT and Northern Territory for the provision of services for homeless people in crisis under a new Supported Accommodation Assistance Program (SAAP).
Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 25/5/89
Senate: Intro. 26/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 89 of 1989

Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1988
(Act citation: Taxation Laws Amendment Act 1989)
To amend the capital gains tax and substantiation provisions of the income tax and the fringe benefits tax laws.
Reps: Intro. 25/5/88; Passed 24/6/88
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 29/8/88; Passed 2/3/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/passed
Committee amendments: 3 Dem/passed; 1 Opp/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 6/3/89]
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 11 of 1989

Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
(Previous citation: Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 5) 1988)
To amend the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936 to introduce new arrangements for the taxation of superannuation funds and approved deposit funds, apply those new arrangements generally to Commonwealth and other public sector superannuation funds; and amend the Occupational Superannuation Standards Act 1987 and the Superannuation Act 1976.
Reps: Intro. 30/11/88; Passed 10/5/89
Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 2 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
Committee amendments (1/6/89 and 15/6/89): 2 Opp/passed; 1 Opp/negativated; 2 Dem/negativated; 2 Dem/withdrawn
Recommitted: Committee amendments (15/6/89): 2 Govt/passed (therefore bill agreed to as introduced into the Senate)
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 97 of 1989

Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989
To extend the exemption from capital gains tax to retirement village residences and the like, to extend the exemption from income tax of maintenance payments received by a wife or former wife to maintenance payments received by a spouse, former spouse, de facto spouse, former de facto spouse or on behalf of a child and further technical amendments.
Reps: Intro. 10/5/89; Passed 24/5/89
Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negativated
Senate: Intro. 25/5/89; Passed 16/6/89
Committee amendments: 4 Opp/negativated; 1 Dem/negativated
Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 107 of 1989
Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 4) 1989
To broaden the income tax concession for research and development project expenditure incurred after 20 November 1987, to modify the imputation provisions as they relate to 1988-89 assessments received by companies between 18 January and 1 July 1989, to exempt Australian Defence Force personnel on duty in Namibia from income tax and other amendments.

Reps: Intro. 31/5/89; Passed 2/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 7/12/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 19/12/89; Act No. 167 of 1989

Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 5) 1989
To change the way income tax is paid by companies, unit trusts taxed as companies, superannuation funds, approved deposit funds and pooled superannuation trusts and give effect to other measures announced in the 1989-90 Budget.

Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 22/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 8 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; Passed 7/12/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendment: 2 Dem/passed; 1 Dem/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 20 of 1990

Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 6) 1989
To amend the capital gains tax legislation in relation to capital gains tax measures announced in the 1989-90 Budget and the Research and Development Act 1986 in relation to particular research and development activities.

Reps: Intro. 30/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/11/89

PS Taxation Laws Amendment (Employee Share Acquisitions) Bill 1988
(Introduced by Senator Chaney)
To amend certain taxation laws to provide concessions for discounts offered or employee share acquisitions.

Senate: Intro. 25/3/88; 2nd reading adjourned 25/3/88

Taxation Laws Amendment (Rates and Rebates) Bill 1989
To amend the law relating to taxation as announced in the 12 April 1989 Economic Statement.

Reps: Intro. 12/4/89; Passed 3/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 8/6/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Assent: 21/6/89; Act No. 70 of 1989
Taxation Laws Amendment (Superannuation) Bill 1989
To reduce for recipients of superannuation benefits and related amounts the tax they pay on eligible termination payments, superannuation pensions or annuities.
  Reps: Intro. 4/5/89; Passed 10/5/89
  Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
  Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 15/6/89
  Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 7 Opp/negativated
  [Reps agreed to Senate amendment 15/6/89]
  Assent: 30/6/89; Act No. 105 of 1989

Telecommunications and Postal Services (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) Bill 1989
To enact certain transitional provisions, make certain amendments, and effect certain repeals, in consequence of the enactment of the Telecommunications Act 1989, the Australian Postal Corporation Act 1989 and the Australian Telecommunications Corporation Act 1989.
  Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 9/5/89
  Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
  Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 7/6/89
  Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
  Assent: 19/6/89; Act No. 63 of 1989

Telecommunications (Application Fees) Bill 1989
To provide for the payment of fees in respect of applications made under the Telecommunications Act 1989.
  Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 9/5/89
  Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 7/6/89
  Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
  Assent: 14/6/89; Act No. 55 of 1989

Telecommunications Bill 1989
To create the Australian Telecommunications Authority.
  Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 9/5/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
  Senate: Intro. 11/5/89; Passed 7/6/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
  Committee amendments: 64 Opp/negativated; 1 Opp amended/negativated
  Assent: 14/6/89; Act No. 53 of 1989

Therapeutic Goods Bill 1989
To provide for the establishment and maintenance of a national system of controls relating to the quality, safety and efficacy of therapeutic goods.
  Reps: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 26/10/89
  Committee amendments: 5 Govt/passed
  Senate: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 12/12/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negativated
  Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/passed;
  1 Opp/negativated; 3 Dem/passed
  [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/89]
  Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 21 of 1990
Therapeutic Goods (Charges) Bill 1989
To impose annual charges on the registration and listing of therapeutic goods and on the licensing of manufacturers in Australia of therapeutic goods.
Reps: Intro. 5/10/89; Passed 26/10/89
Senate: Intro. 1/11/89; Passed 12/12/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendment: 1 Dem/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 21/12/89]
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 22 of 1990

Trade Practices (International Liner Cargo Shipping) Amendment Bill 1989
To give effect to major changes to the regulatory system governing international liner cargo shipping designed, to encourage a more competitive shipping environment.
Reps: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 13/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
Assent: 30/5/89; Act No. 34 of 1989

Transport and Communications Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
An omnibus Bill, which provides technical amendments to various existing legislation administered within the Transport and Communications portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 8/3/89; Passed 5/4/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 7/4/89; Passed 8/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Committee amendments: 1 Opp/negatived; 1 Opp/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 9/5/89]
Assent: 22/5/89; Act No. 29 of 1989

Transport and Communications Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1989
An omnibus bill proposing amendments to 15 Acts administered within the Transport and Communications portfolio.
Reps: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 21/11/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 23/11/89; Passed 20/12/89
Assent: 17/1/90; Act No. 23 of 1990

Transport Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1988
(Act citation: Transport Legislation Amendment Act 1989)
To amend a number of transport related statutes.
Senate: Intro. 1/9/88; Passed 8/12/88
Reps: Intro. 21/12/88; Passed 2/3/89
Assent: 16/3/89; Act No. 6 of 1989
University of Canberra Bill 1989
To establish a University of Canberra under the sponsorship of Monash University to replace the Canberra College of Advanced Education.
Reps: Intro. 26/10/89; Passed 2/11/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
  Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/passed;
  1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 21/11/89; Passed 13/12/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 28/12/89; Act No. 179 of 1989

Veterans’ Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill 1989
Relating to the provision of repatriation benefits for Australian servicemen and women who will join the United Nations Transitional Assistance Group, UNTAG, in Namibia.
Reps: Intro. 3/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
  Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 23/5/89; Passed 14/6/89
  Committee amendments: 1 Dem/passed; 1 Dem/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 15/6/89]
Assent: 27/6/89; Act No. 93 of 1989

War Crimes Amendment Bill 1987
(Act citation: War Crimes Amendment Act 1988)
To provide for the prosecution of Australian citizens or persons resident in Australia alleged to have committed war crimes.
Reps: Intro. 28/10/87; Passed 26/11/87
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/withdrawn
  Committee amendments: 2 Opp/ negatived
Senate: Intro. 26/11/87; Passed 20/12/88
  Reference of matters relating to Bill: Senate Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs 15/12/87;
  report 17/2/88
  Committee amendments: 16 Govt/passed; 5 Opp/negatived
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/88]
Assent: 25/1/89; Act No. 3 of 1989

PS War Crimes Repeal Bill 1989
(Introduced by Senator Hamer)
To repeal the War Crimes Act 1945.
Senate: Intro. 6/9/89; 2nd reading adjourned 6/9/89

Wheat Industry Fund Levy Bill 1989
To impose a levy on wheat produced in Australia to allow the continuation of current research funding arrangements.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 4/5/89
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
  2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 15/6/89; Act No. 57 of 1989
Wheat Industry Fund Levy Collection Bill 1989
To provide for the collection of levy imposed by the Wheat Industry Fund Levy Act 1989.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 4/5/89
Committee amendments: 17 Govt/passed
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 30/5/89; Act No. 35 of 1989

Wheat Marketing Bill 1989
To deregulate the domestic wheat market and cease control over the export of feed wheat.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 4/5/89
Committee amendments: 27 Govt/passed; 7 Opp/passed; 34
Opp/negatived
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Committee amendments: 1 Govt/negatived; 21 Opp/passed;
2 Opp/negatived; 5 Dem/negatived
[Reps disagreed to all of Senate amendments and
substituted 5 for 6 disagreed to 23/5/89
Senate did not insist upon its amendments and agreed to
amendments substituted by Reps 1/6/89]
Assent: 15/6/89; Act No. 58 of 1989

PS Wheat Marketing (Renewal of Sunset Clauses) Amendment Bill
1989
(Introduced by Senator Powell)
To extend the operations of the Australian Wheat Board.
Senate: Intro. 31/5/89; 2nd reading adjourned 31/5/89

Wheat Tax (Permit) Collection Amendment Bill 1989
To provide for the finalisation of tax payment arrangements under the current stockfeed wheat permit scheme.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 4/5/89
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 30/5/89; Act No. 36 of 1989

Wheat (Termination of Permit Tax) Bill 1989
To terminate tax imposed on permits issued by the Australian Wheat Board for stockfeed wheat sold outside the pooling system.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 4/5/89
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 30/5/89; Act No. 37 of 1989

Wheat (Termination of Tax) Bill (No. 1) 1989
To terminate current research tax arrangements imposed on wheat delivered to the Australian Wheat Board.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 4/5/89
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 30/5/89; Act No. 38 of 1989
Wheat (Termination of Tax) Bill (No. 2) 1989
To terminate the research tax imposed on wheat sold under
grower to buyer arrangements.
Reps: Intro. 13/4/89; Passed 4/5/89
Senate: Intro. 9/5/89; Passed 11/5/89
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived
Assent: 30/5/89; Act No. 39 of 1989

Wine Grapes Levy Amendment Bill 1989
To restructure the levy which funds the Australian Wine and
Brandy Corporation.
Reps: Intro. 25/10/89; Passed 1/11/89
Senate: Intro. 2/11/89; Passed 2/11/89
Assent: 23/11/89; Act No. 141 of 1989

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