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# STATISTICAL SUMMARY

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	<i>Autumn Sittings</i>	<i>Budget Sittings</i>	1992
<b>BILLS</b>			
<i>PROGRESS</i>			
Initiated in House of Representatives	104	136	240
Received from Senate	16	26	42
Carried over from previous sittings	<u>19</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>51</u>
	139	194	333
Passed both Houses and assented to	101	154	255
Not passed into law —			
Not agreed to in identical form	1	0	1
Still before —			
House	24	27	51
Senate	7	2	9
Discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in House	4	11	15
Discharged in Senate	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>
	139	194	333
<i>OTHER DETAILS</i>			
Second reading amendments moved	18	13	31
Initiated in House and amended in —			
House	6	15	21
Senate	20	25	45
Bills with amendments requested by Senate and made by House	4	1	5
Declared urgent	45	87	132
Private Members' bills —			
Introduced in House	6	6	12
Brought from Senate	1	2	3
Number of pages (as introduced in House)	2 407	3 394	5 801

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY — *continued*

	<i>Autumn Sittings</i>	<i>Budget Sittings</i>	<i>1992</i>
<b>OTHER</b>			
Sitting weeks	10	9	19
Sitting days	31	29	60
Hours of sittings* —			
Including suspensions of sittings <sup>§</sup>	341	348	689
Excluding suspensions of sittings <sup>§</sup>	290	299	589
Sittings after midnight	3	9	12
Average time of rising for sittings which continued after 8 p.m.	11.14	11.36	11.25
Meetings of House and joint committees and subcommittees —			
Total No.	519	457	976
Aggregate duration in hours*	1 212	1 149	2 361
Days on which —			
Adjournment motion debated	24	18	42
Grievance debate called on and debated	9	9	18
Matters of public importance discussed	23	22	45
Private Members' business given precedence	9	9	18
Parliamentary committee reports presented	56	69	125
Items of private Members' business debated	31	36	67
90 second statements by private Members	101	97	198
Divisions	63	55	118
Closures of —			
Members agreed to	11	8	19
Questions agreed to	14	17	31
Petitions presented	345	498	843
Signatures to petitions	120 180	244 974	365 154
Questions placed on Notice Paper	472	455	927
Questions without notice	328	288	616
Average number of questions without notice asked for each sitting day on which question time occurred	10.9	10.3	10.6
Visitors to the House of Representatives galleries during sittings	51 721	72 061	123 782

\* adjusted to nearest hour

§ e.g., suspension of sitting for meals

**Sources:** *Votes and Proceedings* and departmental records

# BILLS\*

## PROGRESS

### Passed both Houses and assented to (154)

	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Act No. of 1992</i>	<i>Date of Assent</i>
Aboriginal Councils and Associations Amendment	4 Nov	189	18 Dec
Aboriginal Education (Supplementary Assistance) Amendment	14 Oct	161	11 Dec
Affirmative Action (Equal Employment Opportunity for Women) Amendment	4 Nov	181	16 Dec
Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration)	3 Nov	262	24 Dec
Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Amendment	3 Nov	263	24 Dec
Antarctic (Environment Protection) Legislation Amendment <sup>1</sup>	14 Oct	156	11 Dec
Appropriation (No. 1) 1992-93 <sup>1</sup>	18 Aug	141	23 Nov
Appropriation (No. 2) 1992-93 <sup>1</sup>	18 Aug	142	23 Nov
Appropriation (No. 3) 1992-93	24 Nov	182	16 Dec
Appropriation (No. 4) 1992-93	24 Nov	183	16 Dec
Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) 1992-93	18 Aug	140	23 Nov
Arts, Environment and Territories Legislation Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	20 Aug	130	24 Oct
Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	5 Nov	170	11 Dec
Australian Industry Development Corporation Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	12 Oct	169	11 Dec
Australian National Training Authority	4 Nov	203	21 Dec
Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation Amendment	19 Aug	137	11 Nov
Banking Legislation Amendment <sup>2</sup>	15 Oct	193	21 Dec
Broadcasting Services (Subscription Television Broadcasting) Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> ) <sup>1</sup>	26 Nov	171	11 Dec
Child Support Legislation Amendment (No. 2) <sup>2</sup>	3 Nov	151	11 Dec
Coal Industry Legislation Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	16 Dec	212	24 Dec
Commonwealth Employees' Rehabilitation and Compensation Amendment	4 Nov	264	24 Dec
Commonwealth Superannuation Schemes Amendment	14 Oct	185	17 Dec
Corporate Law Reform <sup>2</sup>	3 Nov	210	24 Dec
Crimes Legislation Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	12 Nov	164	11 Dec

\* This section does not include bills which were initiated in the Senate and were not transmitted to the House

† 1990

‡ 1991

• a.m.

<sup>1</sup> Amended in House

<sup>2</sup> Amended in Senate and agreed to by House

## BILLS – *continued*

### PROGRESS – *continued*

#### Passed both Houses and assented to – *continued*

	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Act No. of 1992</i>	<i>Date of Assent</i>
Crimes (Ships and Fixed Platforms) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	19 Aug	173	11 Dec
Customs Legislation Amendment	4 Nov	209	22 Dec
Customs Legislation (Anti-Dumping Amendments)	4 Nov	207	21 Dec
Customs Tariff Amendment (No. 2) <sup>3</sup>	7 Oct	236	24 Dec
Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Amendment (No. 2)	4 Nov	206	21 Dec
Data-matching Program (Assistance and Tax) Amendment <sup>1</sup>	3 Nov	205	21 Dec
Development Allowance Authority Amendment	20 Aug	129	24 Oct
Disability Discrimination <sup>1,2</sup>	26 May	135	5 Nov
Electoral and Referendum Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	16 Dec	219	24 Dec
Endangered Species Protection <sup>2</sup>	4 Nov	194	21 Dec
Endangered Species Protection (Consequential Amendments)	4 Nov	195	21 Dec
Export Market Development Grants Amendment	4 Nov	186	17 Dec
Farm Household Support	3 Nov	241	24 Dec
Grain Legumes Levy Amendment	25 Jun	124	17 Oct
Health and Community Services Legislation Amendment <sup>1</sup>	25 Jun	136	11 Nov
Health and Community Services Legislation Amendment (No. 2) <sup>2</sup>	16 Sep	192	21 Dec
Health and Community Services Legislation Amendment (No. 3)	4 Nov	204	21 Dec
Health Insurance (Quality Assurance Confidentiality) Amendment <sup>2</sup>	4 Nov	201	21 Dec
Higher Education Funding Amendment (No. 2)	4 Nov	158	11 Dec
Honey Legislation (Repeal and Amendment)	25 Jun	122	17 Oct
Housing Assistance Amendment	4 Oct	202	21 Dec
Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Legislation Amendment	26 May	132	30 Oct
Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Legislation Amendment (No. 2)	3 Nov	180	16 Dec
Immigration (Education) Charge	4 Nov	177	16 Dec
Imported Food Control ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	17 Dec	221	24 Dec
Income Equalisation Deposits Laws Amendment	3 Nov	238	24 Dec

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1 Amended in House

2 Amended in Senate and agreed to by House

3 Amendment/s requested by Senate and made by House

## BILLS – *continued*

### PROGRESS – *continued*

#### Passed both Houses and assented to – *continued*

	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Act No. of 1992</i>	<i>Date of Assent</i>
Income Tax Assessment Amendment (Foreign Investment) [2]	3 Nov	190	18 Dec
Income Tax (Dividends and Interest Withholding Tax) Amendment	15 Oct	199	21 Dec
Income Tax (International Agreements) Amendment	16 Sep	139	23 Nov
Industrial Chemicals (Notification and Assessment) Amendment (No. 2) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	16 Dec	214	24 Dec
Industrial Relations Legislation Amendment (No. 2) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	18 Dec <sup>⊙</sup>	215	24 Dec
Industry, Technology and Commerce Legislation Amendment <sup>1</sup> ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	13 Oct	168	11 Dec
International Labour Organisation (Compliance with Conventions) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	18 Dec <sup>⊙</sup>	220	24 Dec
Law and Justice Legislation Amendment (No. 3) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	3 Nov	165	11 Dec
Law and Justice Legislation Amendment (No. 4) <sup>1</sup>	14 Oct	143	7 Dec
Loan	18 Aug	125	17 Oct
Medicare Agreements <sup>2</sup>	4 Nov	226	24 Dec
Medicare Levy Amendment	15 Oct	155	11 Dec
Medicare Levy Amendment (No. 2)	3 Nov	157	11 Dec
Migration Amendment (No. 4)	17 Dec <sup>⊙</sup>	235	24 Dec
Migration (Delayed Visa Applications) Tax	4 Nov	178	16 Dec
Migration Laws Amendment <sup>1</sup>	19 Aug	175	16 Dec
Migration Laws Amendment (No. 2)	4 Nov	176	16 Dec
Migration (Offences and Undesirable Persons) Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	17 Dec	213	24 Dec
Migration Reform	4 Nov	184	17 Dec
Mutual Recognition	3 Nov	198	21 Dec
National Health Amendment	4 Nov	200	21 Dec
National Health and Medical Research Council <sup>1,2</sup>	25 Jun	225	24 Dec
National Parks and Wildlife Conservation Amendment	25 Jun	120	17 Oct
National Residue Survey Administration <sup>1</sup>	3 Nov	243	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Aquatic Animal Export) Levy	3 Nov	244	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Cattle Transactions) Levy	3 Nov	245	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Coarse Grains) Levy	3 Nov	246	24 Dec

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1 Amended in House

2 Amended in Senate and agreed to by House

## BILLS – *continued*

### PROGRESS – *continued*

#### Passed both Houses and assented to – *continued*

	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Act No. of 1992</i>	<i>Date of Assent</i>
National Residue Survey (Consequential Provisions)	3 Nov	247	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Dairy Produce) Levy	3 Nov	248	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Dried Fruits) Levy	3 Nov	249	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Game Animals) Levy	3 Nov	250	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Grain Legumes) Levy	3 Nov	251	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Honey) Levy	3 Nov	252	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Honey Export) Levy	3 Nov	253	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Horse Slaughter) Levy	3 Nov	254	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Horticultural Products) Levy	3 Nov	255	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Horticultural Products Export) Levy	3 Nov	256	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Laying Chicken) Levy	3 Nov	257	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Livestock Slaughter) Levy	3 Nov	258	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Meat Chicken) Levy	3 Nov	259	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Oilseeds) Levy	3 Nov	260	24 Dec
National Residue Survey (Wheat) Levy	3 Nov	261	24 Dec
National Road Transport Commission Amendment	19 Aug	149	11 Dec
Natural Resources Management (Financial Assistance)	3 Nov	242	24 Dec
Norfolk Island (Electoral and Judicial) Amendment	25 Jun	121	17 Oct
Occupational Superannuation Standards Regulations Application	19 Aug	128	19 Oct
Oilseeds Levy Amendment	25 Jun	123	17 Oct
Overseas Students Charge Amendment	7 Oct	162	11 Dec
Parliamentary Presiding Officers Amendment <sup>1</sup> ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	25 Nov	163	11 Dec
Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	17 Dec	217	24 Dec
Pipeline Authority Amendment <sup>1</sup>	9 Sep	188	18 Dec
Qantas Sale <sup>2</sup>	4 Nov	196	21 Dec
Radiocommunications ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	26 Nov	174	11 Dec
Radiocommunications (Receiver Licence Tax) Amendment	10 Nov	146	7 Dec
Radiocommunications Taxes Collection Amendment	10 Nov	145	7 Dec
Radiocommunications (Test Permit Tax) Amendment	10 Nov	147	7 Dec
Radiocommunications (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	26 Nov	167	11 Dec
Radiocommunications (Transmitter Licence Tax) Amendment	10 Nov	144	7 Dec

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1 Amended in House

2 Amended in Senate and agreed to by House

## BILLS – *continued*

### PROGRESS – *continued*

#### Passed both Houses and assented to – *continued*

	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Act No. of 1992</i>	<i>Date of Assent</i>
Rural Adjustment	3 Nov	240	24 Dec
Sales Tax Amendment (Transitional) <sup>2</sup>	26 May	118	30 Sep
Sales Tax Assessment <sup>2</sup>	26 May	114	30 Sep
Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) <sup>2</sup>	26 May	119	30 Sep
Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment	25 Jun	131	30 Oct
Sales Tax Imposition (Customs)	26 May	116	30 Sep
Sales Tax Imposition (Excise)	26 May	115	30 Sep
Sales Tax Imposition (General)	26 May	117	30 Sep
Sales Tax Imposition (In Situ Pools)	3 Nov	148	11 Dec
Sales Tax Laws Amendment (No. 2)	3 Nov	150	11 Dec
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation <sup>2</sup>	14 Oct	234	24 Dec
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Levy	14 Oct	231	24 Dec
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Levy Collection	14 Oct	232	24 Dec
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments)	14 Oct	233	24 Dec
Service and Execution of Process [2] ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	9 Nov	172	11 Dec
Service and Execution of Process (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) [2] ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	9 Nov	166	11 Dec
Sex Discrimination and other Legislation Amendment	3 Nov	179	16 Dec
Social Security Amendment	20 Aug	133	30 Oct
Social Security Amendment (No. 2)	9 Sep	134	30 Oct
Social Security Legislation Amendment (No. 2)	15 Oct	229	24 Dec
Social Security Legislation Amendment (No. 3) <sup>2</sup>	3 Nov	230	24 Dec
States Grants (General Purposes)	7 Oct	153	11 Dec
States Grants (Primary and Secondary Education Assistance)	4 Nov	160	11 Dec
States Grants (Rural Adjustment) Amendment	3 Nov	239	24 Dec
States Grants (Schools Assistance) Amendment (No. 2)	4 Nov	159	11 Dec
Student Assistance Amendment <sup>2</sup>	7 Oct	138	19 Nov
Sugar Cane Levy Amendment	26 May	112	27 Aug
Superannuation Guarantee (Administration) <sup>1,2</sup>	2 Apr	111	21 Aug
Superannuation Legislation Amendment	4 Nov	187	18 Dec

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‡1991

⊙ a.m.

1 Amended in House

2 Amended in Senate and agreed to by House

## BILLS – *continued*

### PROGRESS – *continued*

#### Passed both Houses and assented to – *continued*

	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Act No. of 1992</i>	<i>Date of Assent</i>
Supply (No. 3) 1992-93	18 Aug	126	17 Oct
Supply (No. 4) 1992-93	18 Aug	127	17 Oct
Swimming Pools Tax Refund <sup>2</sup>	18 Aug	113	21 Sep
Tax Legislation Amendment	16 Sep	197	21 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 4) <sup>1,2</sup>	25 Jun	191	21 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 5) <sup>4</sup>	15 Oct	224	24 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 6) <sup>1,2</sup>	3 Nov	227	24 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (Car Parking) <sup>5</sup>	4 Nov	237	24 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (Fringe Benefits Tax Measures) <sup>2</sup>	16 Sep	223	24 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (Superannuation) <sup>1,2</sup>	3 Nov	208	22 Dec
Territories Legislation Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	17 Dec <sup>⊙</sup>	211	24 Dec
Tobacco Advertising Prohibition ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	16 Dec	218	24 Dec
Trade Practices Legislation Amendment	3 Nov	222	24 Dec
Transport and Communications Legislation Amendment (No. 3) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	18 Dec <sup>⊙</sup>	216	24 Dec
Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment (No. 2)	4 Nov	228	24 Dec
Vocational Education and Training Funding	4 Nov	152	11 Dec
Wheat Marketing Amendment	14 Oct	154	11 Dec

#### Not passed into law —

#### Still before House (27)

	<i>Second reading moved</i>
Abortion Funding Abolition ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	20 Aug <sup>1⊙</sup>
Arts, Sport, Environment and Territories Legislation Amendment (No. 2)	16 Dec
Australian National University Amendment (Autonomy) ( <i>Senate bill</i> ) ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	12 Oct <sup>1⊙</sup>

† 1990

‡1991

⊙ a.m.

1 Amended in House

2 Amended in Senate and agreed to by House

4 Amended in Senate; one amendment disagreed to and amendment made in place thereof, another amendment amended and remaining amendments agreed to by House; Senate did not insist on amendment disagreed to, agreed to amendment made in place thereof and agreed to amended amendment

5 Amended in Senate; House agreed to one amendment but disagreed to another; Senate did not insist on amendment disagreed to and made further amendment in place thereof

1<sup>⊙</sup> Read first time only

## BILLS – *continued*

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### PROGRESS – *continued*

#### Not passed into law – Still before House – *continued*

	<i>Second reading moved</i>
Cabinet Notebooks (Access and Protection)	16 Dec
Copyright Amendment	16 Dec
Evidence 1991	15 Oct <sup>‡</sup>
Flags Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	15 Oct <sup>1°</sup>
Forest Conservation and Development ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	17 Sep
Income Tax Assessment (Isolated Area Zone Extension) Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	20 Aug <sup>1°</sup>
Income Tax Assessment (Isolated Area Zone Extension) Amendment [No. 2] ( <i>Senate bill</i> )( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	9 Nov <sup>1°</sup>
Industrial Relations Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	17 Sep
Motor Vehicle Standards Amendment 1992 [2] ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	15 Oct <sup>1°</sup>
Murray-Darling Basin	25 Nov
Occupational Superannuation Standards Amendment	16 Dec
Parliamentary Presiding Officers Amendment 1990	8 May <sup>¶1°</sup>
Parliamentary Privileges Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	8 Oct
Racial Discrimination Amendment	16 Dec
Reserve Bank Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	17 Dec
Road Transport Charges (Australian Capital Territory)	16 Dec
Superannuation (Financial Assistance Funding) Levy	16 Dec
Superannuation Industry (Supervision)	16 Dec
Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Consequential Amendments	16 Dec
Superannuation (Resolution of Complaints)	16 Dec
Superannuation (Rolled-over Benefits) Levy	16 Dec
Superannuation Supervisory Levy Amendment	16 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 7)	16 Dec
Taxation Laws Amendment (Superannuation) (No. 2)	16 Dec

#### **Still before Senate (2)**

	<i>Second reading moved*</i>
Primary Industries Legislation Amendment	10 Nov
Veterans' Entitlements Amendment	4 Nov

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\* In House

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‡ 1991

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1° Read first time only

## BILLS – continued

### PROGRESS – continued

#### Not passed into law – continued

#### Discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in House (11)

	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Disposed of</i>
Bounty (Computers) Amendment	14 Oct	3 Nov <sup>†</sup>
Crimes (Protection of Australian Flags) ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	5 Mar <sup>1°</sup>	14 Sep <sup>§</sup>
Disability Services Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	30 Apr <sup>1°</sup>	3 Nov <sup>§</sup>
Flags Amendment 1990 ( <i>Senate bill</i> )( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	4 May <sup>1°</sup>	3 Nov <sup>§</sup>
Flags Amendment 1991 ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	5 Sep <sup>†</sup>	14 Sep <sup>§</sup>
Health Insurance (Pathology) Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	2 Apr <sup>1°</sup>	12 Oct <sup>§</sup>
Income Tax Assessment Amendment (Foreign Investment)	25 Jun	3 Nov <sup>†</sup>
Motor Vehicle Standards Amendment ( <i>Private Member's bill</i> )	5 Mar <sup>1°</sup>	14 Sep <sup>§</sup>
National Crime Authority Amendment (No. 2) <sup>1,6</sup>	16 Sep	16 Dec <sup>⊠</sup>
Service and Execution of Process	5 Mar	8 Sep <sup>†</sup>
Service and Execution of Process (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments)	5 Mar	8 Sep <sup>†</sup>

## OTHER DETAILS

### Second reading amendments moved (13)

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Mover</i>
Affirmative Action (Equal Employment Opportunity for Women) Amendment	12 Nov	Mr Howard
Antarctic (Environment Protection) Legislation Amendment	4 Nov	Mr Carlton
Australian National Training Authority	11 Nov	Dr Kemp
Broadcasting Services (Subscription Television Broadcasting) Amendment ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	26 Nov	Mr Smith

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1 Amended in House

6 Amended in Senate

1° Read first time only

§ Removed from Notice Paper in accordance with standing order 104B

† Discharged

⊠ Laid aside

## BILLS – *continued*

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### OTHER DETAILS – *continued*

#### Second reading amendments moved – *continued*

	<i>Date</i>	<i>Mover</i>
Disability Discrimination	19 Aug	Mr B. C. Scott
Endangered Species Protection	12 Nov	Mr Carlton
Health and Community Services Legislation Amendment	20 Aug	Dr R. L. Woods
Higher Education Funding Amendment (No. 2)	10 Nov	Dr Kemp
Law and Justice Legislation Amendment (No. 3) ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	25 Nov	Mr Costello
Migration Reform	11 Nov	Mr Ruddock
States Grants (Primary and Secondary Education Assistance)	11 Nov	Dr Kemp
Student Assistance Amendment	13 Oct	Dr Kemp
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 4)	15 Oct	Mr Rocher

#### **Declared urgent (considered under a "guillotine") (87)**

Aboriginal Councils and Associations Amendment  
Aboriginal Education (Supplementary Assistance) Amendment  
Affirmative Action (Equal Employment Opportunity for Women) Amendment  
Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Amendment  
Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration)  
Antarctic (Environment Protection) Legislation Amendment  
Australian National Training Authority  
Banking Legislation Amendment  
Child Support Legislation Amendment (No. 2)  
Commonwealth Employees' Rehabilitation and Compensation Amendment  
Commonwealth Superannuation Schemes Amendment  
Corporate Law Reform  
Customs Legislation Amendment  
Customs Legislation (Anti-Dumping Amendments)  
Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Amendment (No. 2)  
Data-matching Program (Assistance and Tax) Amendment  
Endangered Species Protection  
Endangered Species Protection (Consequential Amendments)  
Export Market Development Grants Amendment  
Farm Household Support  
Health and Community Services Legislation Amendment (No. 3)  
Health Insurance (Quality Assurance Confidentiality) Amendment  
Higher Education Funding Amendment (No. 2)  
Housing Assistance Amendment  
Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Legislation Amendment (No. 2)  
Immigration (Education) Charge  
Income Equalisation Deposits Laws Amendment  
Income Tax Assessment Amendment (Foreign Investment) [2]

## BILLS – *continued*

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### **OTHER DETAILS** – *continued*

#### **Declared urgent (considered under a "guillotine")** – *continued*

Income Tax (Dividends and Interest Withholding Tax) Amendment  
Income Tax (International Agreements) Amendment  
Law and Justice Legislation Amendment (No. 4)  
Medicare Agreements  
Medicare Levy Amendment  
Medicare Levy Amendment (No. 2)  
Migration (Delayed Visa Applications) Tax  
Migration Laws Amendment (No. 2)  
Migration Reform  
Mutual Recognition  
National Health Amendment  
National Residue Survey (Aquatic Animal Export) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Cattle Transactions) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Coarse Grains) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Consequential Provisions)  
National Residue Survey (Dairy Produce) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Dried Fruits) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Game Animals) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Grain Legumes) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Honey) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Honey Export) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Horse Slaughter) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Horticultural Products) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Horticultural Products Export) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Laying Chicken) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Livestock Slaughter) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Meat Chicken) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Oilseeds) Levy  
National Residue Survey (Wheat) Levy  
National Residue Survey Administration  
Natural Resources Management (Financial Assistance)  
Overseas Students Charge Amendment  
Qantas Sale  
Rural Adjustment  
Sales Tax Imposition (In Situ Pools)  
Sales Tax Laws Amendment (No. 2)  
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation  
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments)  
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Levy  
Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Levy Collection  
Sex Discrimination and other Legislation Amendment  
Social Security Legislation Amendment (No. 2)

## BILLS – *continued*

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### **OTHER DETAILS** – *continued*

#### **Declared urgent (considered under a "guillotine")** – *continued*

Social Security Legislation Amendment (No. 3)  
States Grants (Primary and Secondary Education Assistance)  
States Grants (Rural Adjustment) Amendment  
States Grants (Schools Assistance) Amendment (No. 2)  
Superannuation Legislation Amendment  
Tax Legislation Amendment  
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 4)  
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 5)  
Taxation Laws Amendment (No. 6)  
Taxation Laws Amendment (Car Parking)  
Taxation Laws Amendment (Fringe Benefits Tax Measures)  
Taxation Laws Amendment (Superannuation)  
Trade Practices Legislation Amendment  
Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment (No. 2)  
Veterans' Entitlements Amendment  
Vocational Education and Training Funding  
Wheat Marketing Amendment

## TARIFF PROPOSALS

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Customs Tariff Proposals moved on –

18 Aug	Nos. 7 and 8 (1992)
9 Sep	No. 9 (1992)
17 Dec	No. 10 (1992)

Excise Tariff Proposal No. 2 (1992) moved on 18 Aug.

# COMMITTEES\*

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## **ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER AFFAIRS** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

### *Membership*

Mr Kerr (*Chairman*), Mr Anderson, Mrs Darling, Mr Gibson, Mr Lavarch, Mr Nugent, Mr Riggall, Mr Ronaldson (from 14 Sep), Mr L. J. Scott, Mr Snowdon, Dr Wooldridge (to 14 Sep).

### *Current inquiries*

Review of the Auditor-General's audit reports –  
1989-90 – No. 12 – Aboriginal Affairs Portfolio.  
1990-91 – No. 5 – Ministerial portfolios: Budget sittings 1990 – Sections 6.4 and 6.5.  
1992-93 – No. 15 – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission: Regional administration.

### *Report*

Mainly urban: Needs of urban-dwelling Aboriginal and Islander people.  
(*presented 17 Dec*)

The committee met 6 times for a total of 6 hours.

## **AUSTRALIAN SECURITY INTELLIGENCE ORGANIZATION** (Joint Statutory)

### *Membership*

Mr Wright (*Presiding member*), Mr Gibson, Mrs Jakobsen, Mr McGauran, Senator Coulter, Senator Lewis, Senator Zakharov.

### *Current inquiry*

Operation of security assessment procedures.

The committee met 5 times for a total of 9 hours.

## **BANKING, FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

### *Membership*

Mr Elliott (*Chairman*), Mr J. N. Andrew, Mr Braithwaite, Dr Charlesworth, Mr Courtice, Mr Downer, Mr Dubois, Mr R. F. Edwards, Mr Gear, Mr Hall, Mr L. J. Scott, Mr Wilson.

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\* Statistics relating to committee meetings are for the period 25 June to 18 December 1992, inclusive; times are rounded to the nearest half hour.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **BANKING, FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION – *continued***

#### *Current inquiries*

Fraud on the Commonwealth.

Review of the Auditor-General's audit reports –

1990-91 –

No. 18 – Specific purpose payments to and through the States and Northern Territory.

No. 25 – Australian Federal Police – Efficiency and effectiveness of fraud investigations.

1991-92 –

No. 15 – Department of Defence: Procedures for dealing with fraud on the Commonwealth.

No. 40 – Department of Social Security – Systems for the detection of overpayments and the investigation of fraud.

1992-93 – No. 11 – Department of Administrative Services: Procedures for dealing with fraud on the Commonwealth.

#### *Reports*

Checking the changes: Review of certain recommendations of the banking industry. (*presented 5 Nov*)

Matching and catching: Law Enforcement Access Network. (*presented 17 Dec*)

The committee met 3 times for a total of 3 hours and its subcommittees met 19 times for a total of 56 hours.

Subcommittees also met informally three times for a total of 7 hours.

### **BROADCASTING OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS (Joint Statutory)**

#### *Membership*

The Speaker (*Chairman*), the President, Mrs Darling, Mr R.F. Edwards, Mr Hicks, Mr Jull, Mr L. J. Scott, Senator Coates, Senator Vanstone.

### **CERTAIN ASPECTS OF THE OPERATION AND INTERPRETATION OF THE FAMILY LAW ACT (Joint Select)(*Formed 13 Mar 1991; to report on remaining reference as soon as possible*)**

#### *Membership*

Senator McKiernan (*Chairman*), Mr Gorman, Mrs Jakobsen, Mr Lavarch, Mr Peacock, Mr Webster, Senator Brownhill, Senator Crowley, Senator Reid, Senator Spindler.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **CERTAIN ASPECTS OF THE OPERATION AND INTERPRETATION OF THE FAMILY LAW ACT – *continued***

#### *Report*

*Family Law Act 1975: Aspects of its operation and interpretation. (presented 26 Nov)*

The committee met 11 times for a total of 44 hours and its subcommittees met 3 times for a total of 12 hours.

The committee also met informally 3 times for a total of 14 hours.

### **COMMUNITY AFFAIRS (Standing) (Formed 8 May 1990)**

#### *Membership*

Mr Jenkins (*Chairman*), Mrs Bailey (to 20 Aug), Mr Bradford (from 14 Sep), Mr Broadbent, Dr Catley, Mr Cowan, Mrs Crosio, Mr Elliott, Mrs Gallus, Mr Goodluck, Mrs Jakobsen, Mr O’Keefe, Mr Walker.

#### *Current inquiry*

Australia’s international health programs.

#### *Reports*

Prescription and supply of drugs – Prescribed health –  
Part 2: Prescribing and medication management. (*presented 8 Oct*)  
Part 3: Pharmacy and medicinal supply. (*presented 17 Dec*)

The committee met 7 times for a total of 6 hours.

### **CORPORATIONS AND SECURITIES (Joint Statutory)**

#### *Membership*

Senator Beahan (*Chairman*), Mrs Crosio, Mr Ford, Mr Kerr, Mr Moore, Mr Punch, Senator Campbell, Senator Cooney, Senator Lewis, Senator Spindler.

#### *Reports*

Annual reports of the Australian Securities Commission, the Companies and Securities Advisory Committee, the Companies Auditors & Liquidators Disciplinary Board and the Australian Accounting Standards Board. (*presented 10 Nov*)

*Close Corporations Act 1989. (presented 17 Dec)*

Privilege: Mr James Gaffey. (*presented 15 Sep*)

Relations between the Australian Securities Commission and the Commonwealth Director of Public Prosecutions. (*presented 13 Oct*)

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **CORPORATIONS AND SECURITIES** – *continued*

The committee met 12 times for a total of 14 hours and its subcommittees met 4 times for a total of 7 hours.

The committee also met informally twice for a total of 1½ hours.

### **ELECTORAL MATTERS** (Joint Standing) (*Formed 16 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr Bevis (*Chairman*), Dr Catley, Mr Cobb, Mr Melham, Mr Miles, Senator Beahan, Senator Chamarette, Senator Faulkner, Senator Kemp, Senator Kernot.

#### *Current inquiry*

Conduct of elections for or votes on behalf of the Parliament of the Commonwealth and related matters.

#### *Reports*

Conduct of the 1990 Federal election Part II and preparations for the next Federal election –

Counting the vote on election night. (*presented 24 Nov*)

Ready or not: Refining the process for election '93. (*presented 17 Dec*)

The conduct of elections: New boundaries for cooperation. (*presented 10 Sep*)

The committee met 13 times for a total of 26½ hours.

The committee also met informally once for 1½ hours.

### **EMPLOYMENT, EDUCATION AND TRAINING** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Ms Crawford (*Chairman*), Mr Atkinson, Mr Bevis, Mr Bradford, Mr Braithwaite, Mr Charles, Mr Elliott, Mr Gibson, Mrs Jakobsen, Mr Jones, Mr Riggall, Mr Sawford.

#### *Current inquiries*

Access to training.

Skills training: apprenticeships and traineeships.

Strategies for early intervention for literacy and learning for Australian children.

Student financial assistance.

The committee met 6 times for a total of 6 hours and its subcommittees met 4 times for a total of 21½ hours.

The committee also met informally twice for a total of 3 hours and its subcommittees met informally twice for a total of 9 hours.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **ENVIRONMENT, RECREATION AND THE ARTS** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr Langmore (*Chairman*), Mr Dobie, Mr Dubois, Mr R. F. Edwards, Mr P. S. Fisher, Mrs Gallus, Mr Gear, Mr Jenkins, Mr Newell, Mr J. L. Scott, Mr Truss, Mr Webster.

#### *Current inquiry*

Role of protected areas in the maintenance of biodiversity.

The committee met 14 times for a total of 26½ hours and its subcommittees met 9 times for a total of 56 hours.

### **FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE** (Joint) (*Formed 16 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Senator Schacht (*Chairman*), Mr Atkinson (from 14 Sep), Mr Bevis, Mr Connolly (to 27 Aug), Mr Dubois, Dr H. R. Edwards, Mr Ferguson, Mr Fitzgibbon, Mr Grace, Mr Halverson, Mr Hicks, Mr Hollis, Mr Langmore, Mr Lee, Mr Lindsay, Mr MacKellar, Mr Moore, Mr J. L. Scott, Mr Sinclair, Mr Taylor, Dr Theophanous, Senator Beahan, Senator Bourne, Senator Brownhill, Senator Chamarette, Senator Chapman, Senator Childs, Senator Crichton-Browne, Senator Jones, Senator MacGibbon, Senator Maguire.

#### *Current inquiries*

Australia-Indonesia Institute – Report for –  
1990-91.  
1991-92.

Australia's relations with Indonesia.

Australia's relationship with the World Bank and the IMF.

Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade – Report for 1990-91.

#### *Reports*

Review of Australia's efforts to promote and protect human rights. (*presented 17 Dec*)

Stockholding and sustainability in the Australian Defence Force. (*presented 17 Dec*)

The committee met 16 times for a total of 14½ hours and its subcommittees met 38 times for a total of 101½ hours.

The committee also met informally 20 times for a total of 18½ hours and its subcommittees met informally 13 times for a total of 104 hours.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **HOUSE** (Standing)

#### *Membership*

The Speaker, Mr Elliott, Mr Fitzgibbon, Mr Hollis, Mr MacKellar, Mr Nehl, Mrs Sullivan.

The committee met twice in conference with the Senate House Committee for a total of 3 hours.

### **INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr Lee (*Chairman*), Mr Campbell, Mr Cobb, Mr Ferguson, Mr Ford, Mr Grace, Mr Jenkins, Mr Jones, Mr McArthur, Mr Nugent, Mr Reid, Mr L. J. Scott.

#### *Current inquiries*

Application of the Export Market Development Grants Scheme to the tourism industry.

Government purchasing policies and promotion of Australian made goods and services.

The committee met 6 times for a total of 8 hours and its subcommittees met three times for a total of 7 hours.

### **LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr Lavarch (*Chairman*), Mr K. J. Andrews, Mr Cadman, Mr Costello (to 14 Sep), Mrs Crosio, Mr Holding, Mr Kerr, Mr Melham, Mr Miles (from 14 Sep), Mr Ronaldson, Mr Scholes, Mr Sinclair, Mr Wright.

#### *Current inquiries*

Principles and practice of Commonwealth legislative and legal drafting.

Protection of confidential personal and commercial information held by the Commonwealth.

#### *Report*

Australian law in Antarctica. (*presented 5 Nov*)

The committee met 4 times for a total of 2½ hours and its subcommittees met 13 times for a total of 56 hours.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **LIBRARY** (Standing)

#### *Membership*

The Speaker, Mrs Bailey, Mr Fitzgibbon, Mr Hollis, Mr Jones, Mr Ronaldson, Mr Truss.

The committee met twice with the Senate Library Committee for a total of 2½ hours and a subcommittee met once for half an hour.

### **LONG TERM STRATEGIES** (Standing) (*Formed 31 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr Jones (*Chairman*), Mr K. J. Andrews, Mr Atkinson, Mr Bevis, Mr Broadbent, Dr Catley, Mr Dobie, Mr Ferguson, Mr Johns, Mr A. A. Morris, Mr Nehl, Mr Snow.

#### *Current inquiry*

Australia as an information society.

#### *Report*

Patterns of urban settlement: Consolidating the future? (*presented 10 Sep*)

The committee met 5 times for a total of 5½ hours and a subcommittee met once for a total of 6½ hours.

The committee also met informally once for 8 hours.

### **MEMBERS' INTERESTS** (Standing)

#### *Membership*

Mr Dubois (*Chairman*), Mr Connolly, Mr Cowan, Mr Lindsay, Mr O'Neil, Mr Ruddock, Mr J. L. Scott.

#### *Report*

Register of Members' Interests for the 36th Parliament – Notifications of alterations of interests received during the period 24 Jun 1992 to 16 Dec 1992. (*presented 16 Dec*)

### **MIGRATION REGULATIONS** (Joint Standing) (*Formed 17 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Dr Theophanous (*Chairman*), Dr Catley, Mr Holding, Mr Ruddock, Mr Sinclair, Mrs Sullivan, Senator Cooney, Senator Lewis, Senator McKiernan.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **MIGRATION REGULATIONS** – *continued*

#### *Current inquiry*

Conditional migrant entry.

#### *Report*

Australia's refugee and humanitarian system: Achieving a balance between refuge and control. (*presented 14 Sep*)

The committee met 11 times for a total of 25½ hours and its subcommittees met twice for a total of 14½ hours.

### **NATIONAL CAPITAL** (Joint) (*Formed 16 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr Langmore (*Chairman*), Mr Elliott, Mr Halverson, Mr Scholes, Mr Sharp, Senator Aulich, Senator Macdonald, Senator Reid, Senator Sowada, Senator West.

#### *Current inquiry*

National Capital Plan — Draft amendment 5.

#### *Report*

Our bush capital: Protecting and managing the National Capital's open spaces. (*presented 5 Nov*)

The committee met twice for a total of 5½ hours.

### **NATIONAL CRIME AUTHORITY** (Joint Statutory)

#### *Membership*

Mr Lindsay (*Chairman*), Mr Filing, Mr Melham, Mr O'Keefe, Mr Sinclair, Senator Crichton-Browne, Senator Jones, Senator Loosley, Senator Spindler, Senator Vanstone.

#### *Current inquiry*

Relationship between the National Crime Authority and James McCartney Anderson.

The committee met 28 times for a total of 74½ hours.

### **PARLIAMENTARY ZONE** (Joint Standing) (*Formed 20 August 1991*)

#### *Membership*

The Speaker and the President (*Joint Chairmen*), Mr Dobie, Mr Halverson, Mr Holding, Mr Hollis, Mr Lee, Senator Archer, Senator Coates, Senator Colston, Senator Reid, Senator Sowada.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### PARLIAMENTARY ZONE – *continued*

#### *Reports*

Proposed works in the Parliamentary Zone –

National Library lakeside podium; Electricity upgrade; Commencement column plaque; Parliament House loading dock, carpark/gardeners' storage area. (*presented 20 Aug*)

Parliamentary parklands interpretive trail system; Forward planting and path system. (*presented 12 Nov*)

The future of the old Parliament House. (*presented 25 Nov*)

The committee met 3 times for a total of 6 hours.

### PRIVILEGES (Standing)

#### *Membership*

Mr Gear (*Chairman*), the Leader of the House or his nominee, the Deputy Leader of the Opposition or his nominee, Mr K. J. Andrews, Mr Costello, Mrs Crosio, Dr H. R. Edwards, Mr Johns, Mr McGauran, Mr Snow, Mr Snowdon.

### PROCEDURE (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr Scholes (*Chairman*), Mr Charles (from 14 Sep), Mr R. F. Edwards, Mr Grace, Mr Hollis, Mr Rocher (to 14 Sep), Mrs Sullivan, Mr Truss, Mr Walker.

#### *Current inquiry*

Review of the standing orders of the House of Representatives.

#### *Report*

Standing orders governing disorder and strangers. (*presented 15 Oct*)

The committee met twice for a total of 2½ hours.

### PUBLIC ACCOUNTS (Joint Statutory)

#### *Membership*

Mr Punch (*Chairman*), Mr Aldred, Mrs Crosio, Mr Fitzgibbon, Mr Kerr, Mr Langmore, Mr Nehl, Mr L. J. Scott, Mr Shack, Mr Somlyay, Senator Aulich, Senator Bishop, Senator Giles, Senator Reynolds, Senator Watson.

#### *Current inquiries*

Australian Taxation Office – Management and administration.  
Review of the Auditor-General's audit reports.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### PUBLIC ACCOUNTS – *continued*

#### *Reports*

- 319th – Review of the Independent Auditor: Watching the watchdog. (*presented 5 Nov*)
- 320th – Review of six performance audits. (*presented 12 Nov*)
- 321st – Finance minutes. (*presented 17 Dec*)
- 322nd – Activities 1991-92. (*presented 17 Dec*)
- 323rd – Managing people in the Australian Public Service: Dilemmas of devolution and diversity. (*presented 17 Dec*)
- 324th – Commonwealth support for private sector investment in research and development: Volume 2 of a report on research and development. (*presented 17 Dec*)
- 325th – Midford Paramount case and related matters – Customs and Midford Shirts: The Paramount case of a failure of Customs. (*presented 18 Dec, a.m.*)
- Finance minute on Report –
  - 313 – Control of visitor entry. (*presented 17 Sep*)
  - 315 – Social responsibilities of statutory authorities and government business enterprises. (*presented 5 Nov*)

The committee met 11 times for a total of 12 hours and its sectional committees met 43 times for a total of 108 hours.

Sectional committees also met informally 5 times for a total of 3 hours.

### PUBLIC WORKS (Joint Statutory)

#### *Membership*

Mr Hollis (*Chairman*), Mr Cameron, Mr Gorman, Mr O’Neil, Mr B. C. Scott, Mr Taylor, Senator Burns, Senator Calvert, Senator Devereux.

#### *Current inquiries*

- Brisbane and Melbourne – Air traffic service centres.
- Flinders View near Ipswich, Qld – Housing development.
- Kellyville, NSW – Construction of a housing development.
- Palmerston, NT – Housing development.
- Waverton, NSW – HMAS *Waterhen* facilities modernisation.

#### *Reports*

- Christmas Island rebuilding program. (5th report of 1992) (*presented 15 Sep*)
- Refurbishment of the Reserve Bank of Australia, Perth. (6th report of 1992) (*presented 15 Sep*)
- Defence Logistics Redevelopment Project – Air Force aspects. (7th report of 1992) (*presented 13 Oct*)
- Office construction at corner of Adelaide and Creek Streets, Brisbane. (8th report of 1992) (*presented 13 Oct*)

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **PUBLIC WORKS** – *continued*

#### *Reports – continued*

- Office construction at section 45, Belconnen, ACT. (9th report of 1992) (*presented 14 Oct*)
- Facilities for an increased Army presence in the north. (10th report of 1992) (*presented 9 Nov*)
- Redevelopment of Larrakeyah Barracks, Darwin. (11th report of 1992) (*presented 9 Nov*)
- Defence Logistics Redevelopment Project – Defence National Storage and Distribution Centre. (12th report of 1992) (*presented 9 Nov*)
- Development of RAAF Base Scherger at Peppan, Cape York Peninsula, Qld. (13th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- Construction of an Australian Embassy complex in Suva, Republic of Fiji. (14th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- Construction of Australian Embassy staff apartments at Attarkarn Prasit, Bangkok, Thailand. (15th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- Redevelopment of Lavarack Army Barracks in Townsville, stage 1. (16th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- Storage/display facility for the Australian War Memorial, Mitchell ACT. (17th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- Badgerys Creek Airport development, stage 1. (18th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- Development of new international terminal complex at Brisbane Airport. (19th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- York Park Offices, Barton, ACT. (20th report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)
- Relocation of the Australian Hydrographic Office to Wollongong, NSW. (21st report of 1992) (*presented 16 Dec*)

The committee met 20 times for a total of 58 hours and its subcommittees met 14 times for a total of 46 hours.

### **PUBLICATIONS** (Standing)

#### *Membership*

Mr Gorman (*Chairman*), Dr H. R. Edwards, Mr Filing, Mr P. S. Fisher, Mr Fitzgibbon, Mr Gear, Mr Gibson.

#### *Reports*

- 19th Report. (*presented 17 Sep*)
- 20th Report. (*presented 15 Oct*)
- 21st Report. (*presented 26 Nov*)
- 22nd Report. (*presented 17 Dec*)

The committee met 4 times in conference with the Senate Publications Committee, for a total of 1½ hours.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### **SELECTION** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr R. F. Edwards (*Chairman*), Mr J. N. Andrew, Mr Gear, Mr Grace, Mr Halverson, Mr Hicks, Mr Hollis, Mr Kerr, Mr Langmore, Mr Nehl, Mr Reid.

#### *Reports*

Reports relating to the program of business prior to 12.30 p.m. on Thursday –

20 Aug. (amended)(*presented 18 Aug*)

10 Sep. (*presented 20 Aug*)

17 Sep. (*presented 10 Sep*)

17 Sep. (amended)(*presented 15 Sep*)

8 Oct. (*presented 17 Sep*)

15 Oct. (*presented 8 Oct*)

15 Oct. (amended)(*presented 14 Oct*)

5 Nov. (*presented 15 Oct*)

12 Nov. (*presented 5 Nov*)

26 Nov. (*presented 12 Nov*)

17 Dec. (*presented 26 Nov*)

17 Dec. (amended)(*presented 16 Dec*)

25 Feb 1993. (*presented 17 Dec*)

The committee met 9 times for a total of 3½ hours.

### **TELEVISIONING OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES** (Standing) (*Formed 16 October 1991*)

#### *Membership*

The Speaker (*Chairman*), Mrs Darling, Mr R. F. Edwards, Mr Hicks, Mr Jull, Mr L. J. Scott.

### **TRANSPORT, COMMUNICATIONS AND INFRASTRUCTURE** (Standing) (*Formed 8 May 1990*)

#### *Membership*

Mr P. F. Morris (*Chairman*), Mr Anderson, Mr Cadman, Mr Cameron, Mr Campbell, Mr Elliott, Mr Gorman, Mr Hawker, Mr Hollis, Mr Mack, Mr J. L. Scott, Mr H. F. Woods.

#### *Current inquiries*

Efficiency of the road construction and maintenance industry.

Review of the Auditor-General's audit reports of 1992-93 –

No. 13 – Department of Administrative Services: Overseas Property Group.

No. 16 – Audit commentary on aspects of commercialisation in the Department of Administrative Services.

## COMMITTEES – *continued*

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### TRANSPORT, COMMUNICATIONS AND INFRASTRUCTURE – *continued*

#### *Reports*

Possible uses of the sixth high power television channel. (*presented 10 Sep*)

Ships of shame: Inquiry into ship safety. (*presented 17 Dec*)

The committee met 9 times for a total of 9 hours and its subcommittees met 32 times for a total of 85 hours.

Subcommittees met informally 8 times for a total of 27 hours.

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## RESPONSES TO COMMITTEE REPORTS

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<i>Title</i>	<i>Date presented</i>
Committee reports – Schedule of Government responses to the reports of House of Representatives and joint committees, for period 5 Jun 1992 to 15 Oct 1992, and outstanding responses . . . . .	5 Nov
Government responses to parliamentary committee reports – Response to list tabled in House of Representatives on 5 Nov 1992 – Paper . . . . .	17 Dec
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs – Standing Committee – Report – Language and culture: A matter of survival, 2 Jun – Paper . . . . .	17 Dec
Australian Security Intelligence Organization – Parliamentary Joint Committee – Report – ASIO & the Archives Act: The effect on ASIO of the operation of the access provisions of the Archives Act, Apr 1992 – Paper . . . . .	20 Aug
Electoral Matters – Joint Standing Committee – Reports – Aboriginal and Islander Electoral Information Service, 5 Sep 1991 – Paper . . . . .	16 Dec
1990 Federal election, 20 Dec 1990 – Paper . . . . .	16 Dec
Environment, Recreation and the Arts – Standing Committee – Reports –	
Tourism in Antarctica, May 1989 – Paper . . . . .	17 Dec
Tourism in the Indian Ocean Territories, 9 Aug 1990 – Paper . . . . .	17 Dec

## RESPONSES TO COMMITTEE REPORTS – *continued*

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<i>Title</i>	<i>Date presented</i>
Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade – Joint Committee – Reports – Review of the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research, Apr 1992 – Paper . . . . .	20 Aug
Australia's current account deficit and overseas debt, 10 Oct 1991 – Paper . . . . .	16 Dec
Industry, Science and Technology – Standing Committee – Reports – Genetic manipulation: The threat or the glory? – Delay in Government response – Paper . . . . .	18 Aug
Government response – Ministerial statement and paper . . . . .	15 Oct
The shipbuilding industry: In the wake of the bounty – Delay in Government response – Paper . . . . .	15 Sep
Legal and Constitutional Affairs – Standing Committee – Reports – Corporate practices and the rights of shareholders, Nov 1991 – Paper . . .	17 Dec
Half way to equal: Report of the inquiry into equal opportunity and equal status for women in Australia, 14 Apr – Interim Government response – Paper . . . . .	7 Oct
Government response – Paper . . . . .	17 Dec
Long Term Strategies – Standing Committee – Reports – Australia as an information society: Grasping new paradigms, 15 May 1991 – Paper . . . . .	16 Dec
Expectations of life: Increasing the options for the 21st century, Apr – Paper . . . . .	10 Nov
Migration Regulations – Joint Standing Committee – Special report No. 1, Sep 1991 – Paper . . . . .	16 Dec
National Crime Authority – Parliamentary Joint Committee – Report – Examination of the annual report for 1990-91 of the National Crime Authority, Mar – Paper . . . . .	17 Dec
Transport, Communications and Infrastructure – Standing Committee – Reports – Management of the radio frequency spectrum, 14 Oct 1991 – Paper . . .	15 Sep
Possible uses of the sixth high power television channel, 10 Sep – Paper . . . . .	16 Dec
Warehouse to wharf: Efficiency of the interface between seaports and land transport, 2 Apr – Paper . . . . .	4 Nov

# MOTIONS

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## Approvals of work

### Parliamentary Zone —

Administrative Building carpark; commencement column plaque; electricity upgrade; National Library lakeside podium; Parliament House interpretive trail and loading dock and carpark/gardeners' storage area; and signs within the Zone (*Mr Beddall, 7 Oct*); agreed to.

Forward planting and path system; and Parliamentary parklands interpretive trail system, stages 2 and 3 (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

### Public Works —

Badgerys Creek Airport development stage 1 (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

Christmas Island rebuilding program (*Mr Beddall, 17 Sep*); debated and agreed to.

### Construction of —

#### Australian Embassy —

Complex, Suva, Republic of Fiji (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

Staff apartments, Attakarn Prasit, Bangkok, Thailand (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

Offices, corner of Adelaide and Creek Streets, Brisbane (*Mr Staples, 14 Oct*); debated and agreed to.

### Defence Logistics Redevelopment Project —

Air Force aspects (*Mr Beddall, 4 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

Defence National Storage and Distribution Centre (*Mr Beddall, 11 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

Development of RAAF Base Scherger, Peppan, Cape York Peninsula (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

Facilities for increased Army presence in the north and redevelopment of Larrakeyah Barracks, Darwin (*Mr R. J. Brown, 25 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

New international terminal complex, Brisbane Airport (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

Office construction, section 45, Belconnen, ACT (*Mr Beddall, 4 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

Redevelopment of Lavarack Army Barracks, Townsville, stage 1 (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

Refurbishment of Reserve Bank of Australia, Perth (*Mr Beddall, 17 Sep*); debated and agreed to.

Relocation of the Australian Hydrographic Office to Wollongong, NSW (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

Storage/display facility for Australian War Memorial, Mitchell, ACT (*Mr Martin, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

York Park Office, Barton, ACT (*Mr Bilney, 17 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

## Authorisation of publication

Affirmative Action Agency – Report for 1991-92 (*Mr Beazley, 11 Nov*); agreed to.

Auditor-General's Reports –

Audit reports – 1992-93 –

No. 1 – Ministerial portfolios: Budget sittings 1992 (*Mr Beazley, 8 Sep*); agreed to.

No. 2 – Department of Defence – Commercial activity in the Defence Science and Technology Organisation (*Mr Beazley, 15 Oct*); agreed to.

No. 3 – Efficiency Audit – Australian Customs Service: Management of the marine fleet (*Mr Beazley, 4 Nov*); agreed to.

No. 4 – Project audit – Royal Australian Mint: Review of Manufacturing Resources Planning System (*Mr Beazley, 9 Nov*); agreed to.

No. 5 – Project audit – Australian Taxation Office: Electronic lodgment service (*Mr Beazley, 11 Nov*); agreed to.

No. 6 – Efficiency audit – Auscript: Commercialisation of the Commonwealth Reporting Service (*Mr Beazley, 25 Nov*); agreed to.

No. 7 – Efficiency audit – Saving time and money with common-use contracts (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 8 – Efficiency audit – Department of Veterans' Affairs: Compensation pensions to veterans and war widows (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 9 – Project audit – University of Canberra: Administrative computing systems (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 10 – Efficiency audit – Living with our decisions: Commonwealth environmental impact assessment processes (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 11 – Efficiency audit – Department of Administrative Services: Procedures for dealing with fraud on the Commonwealth (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 12 – Project audit – Department of Primary Industries and Energy: Information technology environment (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 13 – Efficiency audit – Department of Administrative Services: Overseas Property Group (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 14 – Efficiency audit – Department of Employment, Education and Training: English as a second language (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 15 – Efficiency audit – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission: Regional administration (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 16 – Efficiency audit – An audit commentary on aspects of commercialisation in the Department of Administrative Services (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 17 – Project audit – Medifraud and excessive servicing: Health Insurance Commission (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 18 – Efficiency audit – Department of Social Security: Administration of Special Benefit (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 19 – Project audits – Department of Immigration, Local Government and Ethnic Affairs: Adult Migrant English Program and other audits (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 20 – Project audit – Department of Employment, Education and Training: Administration of the AUSTUDY program – Turnaround times, post-payment verification and debt recoveries (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

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### **Authorisation of publication – *continued***

No. 21 – Project audits – Department of Employment, Education and Training: Industry Service Centres, Special Entry Level Training, subsidised private overseas students, revenue collection, advances, and trust accounts (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

No. 22 – Efficiency audit – Department of Defence: New submarine project (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

Australian National Audit Office –

Efficiency audit of by independent auditor (*Mr Humphreys, 12 Nov*); agreed to.

Report for 1991-92 (*Mr Beazley, 15 Sep*); agreed to.

Gillespie children – Removal from Australia – Report by G. Glenn (*Mr Beazley, 8 Oct*); agreed to.

Public Accounts – Joint Committee – Report 325 – Midford Paramount case and related matters – Customs and Midford shirts: The Paramount case of a failure of Customs, incorporating a dissenting report, (*Mr Punch, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

### **Censure/want of confidence**

Prime Minister (*Dr Hewson, 12 Nov*); amendment moved (*Mr Keating*); amendment debated and agreed to; motion, as amended, agreed to.

Treasurer –

(*Mr Reith, 15 Sep*); amendment moved (*Mr Dawkins*); amendment debated and agreed to; motion, as amended, agreed to.

(*Mr Reith, 3 Nov*); amendment moved (*Mr Dawkins*); amendment debated and agreed to; motion, as amended, agreed to.

(*Mr Howard, 4 Nov*); debated and negatived.

### **Committees**

Certain Aspects of the Operation and Interpretation of the Family Law Act – Joint Select Committee – Resolution of appointment – Proposed –

Amendment (*Mr Beddall, 19 Aug*); agreed to.

Amendments (*Mr Martin, 16 Sep*); agreed to.

General purpose standing committees – Publication, printing and circulation of reports during non-sitting period (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

Migration Regulations – Joint Standing Committee – Publication, printing and circulation of proposed report (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

National Capital – Joint Committee – Publication, printing and circulation of proposed report (*Mr Beazley, 17 Dec*); agreed to.

## **Disallowance**

Federal Airports Corporation Regulations (*Mr Mack, 10 Sep*); debated and negatived.

## **Members**

Death of Mr A. W. Jarman — Vote of Condolence (*Mr Keating, 24 Nov*); agreed to.  
National Library of Australia Council (*Mr Beazley, 9 Nov*); agreed to.

## **Private Members' business**

Aboriginal Australians (*Mrs Darling, 17 Sep*); debated.

Automotive industry in South Australia (*Dr Catley, 8 Oct*); debated.

Bosnia and Herzegovina (*Mr Bradford, 26 Nov*); debated.

Crisis in Bosnia-Herzegovina (*Dr Theophanous, 20 Aug*); debated. Further debated (*10 Sep*).

Distribution of wealth (*Mr Langmore, 15 Oct*); debated.

Enterprise employment agreements (*Mr McArthur, 17 Dec*); debated.

Family Law Act reform (*Mr Burr, 5 Nov*); debated.

Government —

Policies (*Dr Hewson, 8 Oct*); amendment moved (*Mr Keating*); amendment debated; amendment to amendment moved (*Dr Hewson*) and negatived; amendment agreed to; motion, as amended, agreed to.

Tourism industry policies (*Dr Catley, 26 Nov*); debated.

Human rights in —

Tibet (*Mr Nehl, 15 Oct*); debated.

Vietnam (*Mr Ruddock, 20 Aug*); debated.

Illegal drug use (*Mr Snow, 17 Dec*); debated.

Industrial Relations Commission (*Mr L. J. Scott, 26 Nov*); debated.

Macedonia (*Mr R. F. Edwards, 5 Nov*); debated.

National —

Electricity grid (*Mrs Jakobsen, 5 Nov*); debated.

Museum of Australia (*Mr Langmore, 20 Aug*); debated.

Private providers of tertiary education (*Mr Bradford, 8 Oct*); debated.

Self-determination of Tibet (*Mr Cobb, 20 Aug*); debated.

Sewage disposal (*Mr Filing, 8 Oct*); debated.

Sugar industry (*Mr Courtice, 17 Sep*); debated.

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### **Private Members' business** — *continued*

Tariffs and industry policies (*Mr Cleary, 15 Oct*); debated.

Taxation reform for small business (*Mr Bradford, 10 Sep*); debated.

Voluntary national service (*Mrs Bailey, 12 Nov*); debated.

### **Carried over from previous sittings and further debated**

Agricultural protection (*from 25 Jun*); further debated (*10 Sep, 12 Nov*).

Penalties for breaches in federal industrial awards (*from 28 May*); further debated (*12 Nov*).

## **Procedural**

Discharge of —

Orders of the day —

(*Mr Duncan, 8 Sep*); agreed to.

(*Mr Beazley, 3 Nov<sub>1</sub>*); agreed to.

(*Mr Beazley, 3 Nov<sub>2</sub>*); agreed to.

Tariff proposals (*Mr Beddall, 9 Sep*); agreed to.

Limitation of debate — Variation of allotment of time —

Bills (*Mr Willis, 10 Nov*); agreed to.

Law and Justice Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 4) 1992 (*Mr Duncan, 4 Nov*); agreed to.

Remembrance Day (*Mr Halverson, 11 Nov*); agreed to.

Special adjournment —

(*Mr Beazley, 20 Aug*); agreed to.

(*Mr Humphreys, 12 Nov*); agreed to.

(*Mr Brereton, 26 Nov*); agreed to.

(*Mr Keating, 17 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

Standing orders —

Adoption, omission and amendments (*Mr Beazley, 15 Oct*); debated and agreed to.

Amendments (*Mr Beazley, 3 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

Superannuation Guarantee (Administration) Bill 1992 — Rescission of resolution (*Mr Beazley, 19 Aug*); debated and agreed to.

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### Procedural — *continued*

Suspension of —

Sessional order 48A and standing order 103 — (*Mr Beazley, 9 Sep*); debated and agreed to.

Standing orders —

48A (*Mr Beazley, 3 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

Bills —

Limitation of debate —

(*Mr Beazley, 3 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

(*Mr Beazley, 5 Nov*); debated and agreed to.

National Crime Authority Amendment Bill (No. 2) laid aside (*Mr Duffy, 16 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

National Residue Survey Bills (*Mr Beazley, 5 Nov*); agreed to.

Ordinary business for 17 December 1992 (*Mr Beazley, 16 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

Standing and sessional orders —

Government policies (*Dr Hewson, 8 Oct*); agreed to.

Motion to take note of papers (*Mr Beazley, 6 Oct*); agreed to.

Private Members' business —

Notice (*Mr Johns, 10 Sep*); agreed to.

Rescission of resolution on Superannuation Guarantee (Administration) Bill 1992 (*Mr Beazley, 19 Aug*); debated and agreed to.

### Other

Australian Vietnam Forces Memorial (*Mr Humphreys, 8 Oct*); debated and agreed to.

Commitment of Australian forces to Somalia (*Mr Keating, 17 Dec*); debated and agreed to.

Death of former Senator (The Hon. Sir Thomas Drake-Brockman) — Vote of condolence (*Mr Keating, 8 Sep*); agreed to.

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Broadcasting – Radio . . . . .	1	174
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Coal mining industry . . . . .	1	7 050
Defence . . . . .	2	85
Economy . . . . .	2	618
Education – Funding . . . . .	6	10 290
Environmental matters . . . . .	32	9 174
Family law . . . . .	11	1 608
Film industry . . . . .	1	3 252
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Roads . . . . .	3	1 103
Social security . . . . .	1	42
Special Broadcasting Service – Television . . . . .	6	5 540
Superannuation . . . . .	1	148
Tariffs . . . . .	7	7 527
Taxation . . . . .	3	649
Telecom . . . . .	2	137
Tourism . . . . .	1	550
Tuna industry . . . . .	1	8 735
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>244 974</b>

# MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE

No. of sittings from 18 August to 17 December 1992: 29

Total No. of sittings in 1992: 60

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B: No. of sittings at which Member was present in 1992

<i>Member's name</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>Member's name</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>Member's name</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>Member's name</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>
Aldred, K.J.	29	58	Downer, A.J.G.	29	60	Jakobsen, C.A.	29	60	Punch, G.F.	20 <sup>¶</sup>	48
Anderson, J.D.	22	49	Dubois, S.C.	29	60	Jenkins, H.A.	29	56	Reid, N.B.	25 <sup>¶</sup>	55
Andrew, J.N.	23	53	Duffy, M.J.	26 <sup>§</sup>	56	Johns, G.T.	25 <sup>§</sup>	56	Reith, P.K.	29	60
Andrews, K.J.	29	60	Duncan, P.	29	60	Jones, B.O.	17	36	Riggall, J.P.	29	59
Atkinson, R.A.	22 <sup>¶</sup>	53				Jull, D.F.	29	60	Rocher, A.C.	29	60
			Edwards, H.R.	28	58				Ronaldson, M.J.C.	29	60
Bailey, F.E.	27	50	Edwards, R.F.	29	52	Keating, P.J.	29	60	Ruddock, P.M.	29	60
Baldwin, P.J.	29	60	Elliott, R.P.	29	60	Kelly, R.J.	29	52			
Beale, J.H.	29	60				Kemp, D.A.	28	58			
Beazley, K.C.	28 <sup>§</sup>	59	Fatin, W.F.	26 <sup>§</sup>	57	Kerin, J.C.	18 <sup>§</sup>	39	Sawford, R.W.	29	59
Beddall, D.P.	29	60	Ferguson, L.D.T.	29	56	Kerr, D.J.C.	29	58	Scholes, G.G.D.	29	59
Bevis, A.R.	29	60	Fife, W.C.	21	52				Sciacca, C.	26 <sup>§</sup>	36
Bilney, G.N.	28	41	Filing, P.A.	29	58	Langmore, J.V.	25 <sup>¶</sup>	55	Scott, B.C.	28	56
Blewett, N.	27	56	Fischer, T.A.	29	60	Lavarch, M.H.	29	60	Scott, J.L.	28	59
Bradford, J.W.	26	56	Fisher, P.S.	29	58	Lee, M.J.	29	57	Scott, L.J.	29	60
Braithwaite, R.A.	26	57	Fitzgibbon, E.J.	19 <sup>¶</sup>	49	Lindsay, E.J.	29	56	Shack, P.D.	29	58
Brereton, L.J.	29	57	Ford, F.A.	29	60	Lloyd, B.	29	58	Sharp, J.R.	28	59
Broadbent, R.E.	19 <sup>¶</sup>	50	Free, R.V.	29	60				Simmons, D.W.	29	60
Brown, R.J.	29	60				McArthur, F.S.	29	60	Sinclair, I.McC.	29	60
Burr, M.A.	29	49	Gallus, C.A.	19 <sup>¶</sup>	49	McGauran, P.J.	24	54	Smith, W.L.	29	59
			Gayler, J.	28	57	McHugh, J.	27	54	Snow, J.H.	29	60
Cadman, A.G.	28	59	Gear, G.	25 <sup>¶</sup>	56	Mack, E.C.	29	60	Snowdon, W.E.	28	52
Cameron, E.C.	11 <sup>‡</sup>	42	Gibson, G.D.	27	58	MacKellar, M.J.R.	25	56	Somlyay, A.M.	28	55
Campbell, G.	29	57	Goodluck, B.J.	16 <sup>¶</sup>	44	McLachlan, I.M.	28	56	Staples, P.R.	29	59
Carlton, J.J.	27	52	Gorman, R.N.J.	28	59	McLeay, L.B.	22 <sup>¶</sup>	53	Sullivan, K.J.	21 <sup>¶</sup>	45
Catley, R.	27	58	Grace, E.L.	29	59	Martin, S.P.	26 <sup>§</sup>	55			
Chaney, F.M.	28	56	Griffiths, A.G.	28 <sup>§</sup>	55	Melham, D.	29	60	Taylor, W.L.	29	60
Charles, R.E.	29	60				Miles, C.G.	29	59	Theophanous, A.C.	19 <sup>¶</sup>	50
Charlesworth, R.I.	21	50	Hall, R.S.	27	58	Moore, J.C.	26	51	Tickner, R.E.	28	59
Cleary, P.R.	25	41	Halverson, R.G.	29	59	Morris, A.A.	20 <sup>¶</sup>	51	Truss, W.E.	29	60
Cobb, M.R.	29	60	Hand, G.L.	26 <sup>§</sup>	57	Morris, P.F.	23 <sup>¶</sup>	54	Tuckey, C.W.	19 <sup>¶</sup>	42
Connolly, D.M.	29	60	Hawke, R.J.L. <sup>†</sup>	--	1						
Costello, P.H.	29	56	Hawker, D.P.M.	28	59	Nehl, G.B.	29	60	Walker, F.J.	29	56
Courtice, B.W.	29	60	Hewson, J.R.	29	60	Newell, N.J.	29	59	Webster, A.P.	29	59
Cowan, D.B.	25	53	Hicks, N.J.	26	55	Nugent, P.E.	27	56	West, S.J.	28	54
Crawford, M.C.	29	60	Holding, A.C.	19 <sup>¶</sup>	50				Willis, R.	28 <sup>§</sup>	59
Crean, S.F.	29	57	Hollis, C.	29	57	O'Keefe, N.P.	29	60	Wilson, I.B.C.	29	58
Crosio, J.A.	25 <sup>¶</sup>	54	Howard, J.W.	26	55	O'Neil, L.R.T.	29	58	Woods, H.F.	25	56
			Howe, B.L.	23 <sup>§</sup>	54				Woods, R.L.	27	58
Darling, E.E.	27	52	Hulls, R.J.	29	57	Peacock, A.S.	24	52	Wooldridge, M.R.L.	29	60
Dawkins, J.S.	28 <sup>§</sup>	59	Humphreys, B.C.	29	58	Price, L.R.S.	24 <sup>§</sup>	54	Wright, K.W.	22	53
Dobie, J.D.M.	27	58				Prosser, G.D.	28	57			

**NOTE:** ‡, ¶ and § relate only to sittings between 18 Aug and 17 Dec

\* sworn 28 May; election declared void 26 Nov

† resigned 25 Feb

‡ period of leave granted by House

¶ absent from Australia for a period at a parliamentary conference/seminar or as a member of an Australian parliamentary delegation

§ absent from Australia for a period on Government business