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*The House meets at 9 a.m.***GOVERNMENT BUSINESS****Notice**

- \*1 **MR PYNE:** To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Aged Care Act 1997*, and for related purposes. (*Aged Care Amendment (Residential Care) Bill 2007*)

**Orders of the day**

- 1 **SCHOOLS ASSISTANCE (LEARNING TOGETHER—ACHIEVEMENT THROUGH CHOICE AND OPPORTUNITY) AMENDMENT BILL 2007** (*Minister for Education, Science and Training*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 28 February 2007—Mr S.F. Smith*).
- 2 **HIGHER EDUCATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (2007 MEASURES NO. 1) BILL 2007** (*Minister for Education, Science and Training*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 28 February 2007—Mr Crean*).
- 3 **FARM HOUSEHOLD SUPPORT AMENDMENT BILL 2007** (*Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2007—Ms Plibersek*).
- 4 **HEALTH INSURANCE AMENDMENT (PROVIDER NUMBER REVIEW) BILL 2007** (*Minister for Health and Ageing*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2007—Ms Plibersek*).
- 5 **MIGRATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (INFORMATION AND OTHER MEASURES) BILL 2007** (*Minister for Immigration and Citizenship*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2007—Ms Plibersek*).
- 6 **MIGRATION AMENDMENT (BORDER INTEGRITY) BILL 2006** (*Parliamentary Secretary—Immigration and Multicultural Affairs*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2006—Mr Crean*).
- 7 **PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AMENDMENT BILL 2007** (*Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2007—Ms Plibersek*).
- 8 **GOVERNANCE REVIEW IMPLEMENTATION (TREASURY PORTFOLIO AGENCIES) BILL 2007** (*Parliamentary Secretary to the Treasurer*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2007—Ms Plibersek*).
- 9 **SUPERANNUATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (TRUSTEE BOARD AND OTHER MEASURES) (CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS) BILL 2007** (*Special Minister of State*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 28 February 2007—Mr Crean*).
- 10 **BANKRUPTCY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (SUPERANNUATION CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL 2006** (*from Senate*): Second reading (*from 1 March 2007*).
- 11 **NON-PROLIFERATION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2006** (*from Senate*): Second reading—(*from 1 March 2007*).
- 12 **MURRAY-DARLING BASIN AMENDMENT BILL 2006** (*Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Mr L. D. T. Ferguson*).

\* Notifications to which an asterisk (\*) is prefixed appear for the first time

† Debate to be adjourned to a future day at the conclusion of the time allotted.

- 13 **FEDERAL MAGISTRATES AMENDMENT (DISABILITY AND DEATH BENEFITS) BILL 2006** (*Attorney-General*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 29 March 2006—Ms Roxon*).
- 14 **CHILD SUPPORT LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2004** (*Parliamentary Secretary—Children and Youth Affairs*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 8 December 2004—Mr A. S. Burke*).

#### Notices—*continued*

- 2 **MR ABBOTT**: To move—That standing order 47 be suspended for the remainder of this period of sittings, except when a motion is moved pursuant to the standing order by a Minister. (*Notice given 16 March 2005*.)

#### Orders of the day—*continued*

- 15 **TELECOMMUNICATIONS LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (REGULAR REVIEWS AND OTHER MEASURES) BILL 2005**: Consideration of Senate's amendments (*from 9 August 2005*).
- 16 **PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS AND FINANCIAL SERVICES**: Consideration of Senate's message No. 4. (*from 29 November 2004*).
- \*17 **AUSTRALIAN RADIATION PROTECTION AND NUCLEAR SAFETY AGENCY—QUARTERLY REPORT—1 APRIL 2006 TO 30 JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 20 March 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Hunt—That the House take note of the document.
- \*18 **TREATY BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF TIMOR-LESTE ON CERTAIN MARITIME ARRANGEMENTS IN THE TIMOR SEA—REASONS FOR INVOKING THE NATIONAL INTEREST EXEMPTION—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 20 March 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Hunt—That the House take note of the document.
- 19 **PARLIAMENTARY JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE—REPORT—AUSTRALIA'S DEFENCE RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 20 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP—REPORT ON THE CONDUCT OF REFUGEE TRIBUNAL REVIEWS NOT COMPLETED WITHIN 90 DAYS—1 JULY TO 31 OCTOBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 27 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 21 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP—PROTECTION VISA PROCESSING TAKING MORE THAN 90 DAYS—REPORT FOR 1 JULY TO 31 OCTOBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 27 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 22 **DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND WATER RESOURCES—NATIONAL ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION COUNCIL—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 27 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 23 **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY—WHEAT EXPORT AUTHORITY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 27 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 24 **PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE ON NATIVE TITLE AND THE ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER LAND ACCOUNT—REPORT—OPERATION OF NATIVE TITLE REPRESENTATIVE BODIES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 15 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 25 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—REPORT—REPORT TO PARLIAMENT ON THE EXPORT OF HUMAN EMBRYOS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 13 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 26 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—TOBACCO ADVERTISING PROHIBITION ACT 1992—REPORT—1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**: Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.

- 27 **DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY—MID-YEAR ECONOMIC AND FISCAL OUTLOOK 2006-2007—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 28 **PRODUCTIVITY COMMISSION—REPORT NO. 38—WASTE MANAGEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Baldwin—That the House take note of the document.
- 29 **NATIONAL HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL—EMBRYO RESEARCH LICENSING COMMITTEE—REPORT FOR 1 APRIL 2006 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Baldwin—That the House take note of the document.
- 30 **AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE—THE SUPERANNUATION GOVERNMENT CO-CONTRIBUTION FOR LOW INCOME EARNERS—QUARTERLY REPORT FOR 1 JULY 2006 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Baldwin—That the House take note of the document.
- 31 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—MIGRATION AGENTS REGISTRATION AUTHORITY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Baldwin—That the House take note of the document.
- 32 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—OFFICE OF THE GENE TECHNOLOGY REGULATOR—QUARTERLY REPORT—1 JULY TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Baldwin—That the House take note of the document.
- 33 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—COPYRIGHT AGENCY LIMITED—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 6 February 2007—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Baldwin—That the House take note of the document.
- 34 **GOVERNMENT RESPONSES TO PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE REPORTS—RESPONSE TO THE SCHEDULE TABLED BY THE SPEAKER ON 22 JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 35 **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE—SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE FLIGHTS—JANUARY TO JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 36 **FORMER PARLIAMENTARIANS' TRAVEL PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION—JANUARY TO JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 37 **PARLIAMENTARIANS' OVERSEAS STUDY TRAVEL REPORTS—JANUARY TO JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 38 **PARLIAMENTARIANS' TRAVEL PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION—JANUARY TO JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 39 **FORMER GOVERNORS-GENERAL TRAVEL EXPENDITURE—JANUARY TO JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 40 **AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION—REDISTRIBUTION INTO ELECTORAL DIVISIONS—2006—NEW SOUTH WALES—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 41 **AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION—REDISTRIBUTION INTO ELECTORAL DIVISIONS—2006—QUEENSLAND—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 42 **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING—AUSTRALIAN VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION SYSTEM—NATIONAL REPORT TO PARLIAMENT FOR 2005—MOTION**

- TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 43 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—AGED CARE ACT 1997—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 44 **DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS—EQUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR WOMEN IN THE WORKPLACE AGENCY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 45 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—STATUTORY REVIEW OF THE GENE TECHNOLOGY ACT 2000 AND THE GENE TECHNOLOGY AGREEMENT 2001—STATE, TERRITORY AND AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENTS' RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 46 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—HUMAN RIGHTS AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 47 **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY—LAND AND WATER AUSTRALIA—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 48 **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING—SCHOOLS' ASSISTANCE (LEARNING TOGETHER—ACHIEVEMENT THROUGH CHOICE AND OPPORTUNITY) ACT 2004—REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE GRANTED TO EACH STATE IN RESPECT OF 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 49 **DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, TOURISM AND RESOURCES—SNOWY HYDRO LIMITED—REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 3 JULY 2005 TO 1 JULY 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 50 **DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS—TELSTRA CORPORATION LIMITED—REPORT ON EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 51 **DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY—FUTURE FUND—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 52 **PUBLICATIONS—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—DISTRIBUTION OF THE PARLIAMENTARY PAPERS SERIES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 53 **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING—TEACHING AUSTRALIA: AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE FOR TEACHING AND SCHOOL LEADERSHIP—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 November 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 54 **ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER AFFAIRS—HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STANDING COMMITTEE—MANY WAYS FORWARD: REPORT OF THE INQUIRY INTO CAPACITY BUILDING AND SERVICE DELIVERY IN INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE, AUGUST 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 1 November 2006—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 55 **DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS—AUSTRALIAN FAIR PAY COMMISSION—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 31 October 2006—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 56 **DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS—AUSTRALIAN FAIR PAY COMMISSION SECRETARIAT—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF**

- DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 31 October 2006—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 57 **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY—AUSTRALIAN LANDCARE COUNCIL—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 31 October 2006—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 58 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—OFFICE OF THE GENE TECHNOLOGY REGULATOR—QUARTERLY REPORT—1 APRIL TO 30 JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 31 October 2006—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 59 **DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS—REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 31 October 2006—Mr Albanese*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 60 **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE—DEFENCE FORCE RETIREMENT AND DEATH BENEFITS AUTHORITY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 19 October 2006*) on the motion of Ms J. Bishop—That the House take note of the document.
- 61 **DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS—OFFICE OF THE EMPLOYMENT ADVOCATE—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 19 October 2006*) on the motion of Ms J. Bishop—That the House take note of the document.
- 62 **DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS—AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION AND THE AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL REGISTRY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 19 October 2006*) on the motion of Ms J. Bishop—That the House take note of the document.
- 63 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF PARLIAMENTARY COUNSEL—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 18 October 2006—Ms Macklin*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 64 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—RESPONSE TO OMBUDSMAN'S STATEMENTS MADE UNDER SECTION 486O OF THE *MIGRATION ACT 1958*—STATEMENT TO PARLIAMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 18 October 2006—Ms Macklin*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 65 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—REPORTS BY THE COMMONWEALTH AND IMMIGRATION OMBUDSMAN—SECTION 486O OF THE *MIGRATION ACT 1958*—PERSONAL IDENTIFIERS 072/06 AND 073/06—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 18 October 2006—Ms Macklin*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 66 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—AUSTRALIAN SECURITY INTELLIGENCE ORGANISATION—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 18 October 2006—Ms Macklin*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 67 **DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE—AUSTRALIAN SAFEGUARDS AND NON-PROLIFERATION OFFICE—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 18 October 2006—Ms Macklin*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 68 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—MIGRATION REVIEW TRIBUNAL AND REFUGEE REVIEW TRIBUNAL—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 18 October 2006—Ms Macklin*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 69 **DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS—AUSTRALIAN COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA AUTHORITY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 17 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Andrews—That the House take note of the document.
- 70 **DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE—GREAT BARRIER REEF MARINE PARK AUTHORITY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption

of debate (*from 17 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Andrews—That the House take note of the document.

- 71 **INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 17 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Andrews—That the House take note of the document.
- 72 **NATIONAL WATER COMMISSION—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 17 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Andrews—That the House take note of the document.
- 73 **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT AND REGIONAL SERVICES—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 17 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Andrews—That the House take note of the document.
- 74 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COURT OF AUSTRALIA—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 17 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Andrews—That the House take note of the document.
- 75 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—AUSTRALIAN TRANSACTION REPORTS AND ANALYSIS CENTRE (AUSTRAC)—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 17 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Andrews—That the House take note of the document.
- 76 **DEPARTMENT OF FAMILIES, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS—ABORIGINALS BENEFIT ACCOUNT—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 77 **HUMAN RIGHTS AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION—REPORT NO.36—BREACH OF MS CD'S HUMAN RIGHTS AT THE CURTIN IMMIGRATION PROCESSING AND RECEPTION CENTRE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 78 **DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION—MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT (STAFF) ACT 1984—CONSULTANTS ENGAGED UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE ACT—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Ms J. Bishop—That the House take note of the document.
- 79 **DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE—OFFICE OF THE RENEWABLE ENERGY REGULATOR—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Ms J. Bishop—That the House take note of the document.
- 80 **AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE—CONTROLLED OPERATIONS—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Ms J. Bishop—That the House take note of the document.
- 81 **REPATRIATION COMMISSION, DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS AND NATIONAL TREATMENT MONITORING COMMITTEE—ANNUAL REPORTS 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Ms J. Bishop—That the House take note of the document.
- 82 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—OFFICE OF THE GENE TECHNOLOGY REGULATOR—ANNUAL REPORT 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 83 **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING—NATIONAL REPORT TO THE PARLIAMENT ON INDIGENOUS EDUCATION AND TRAINING 2004—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 84 **MEDIBANK PRIVATE—ANNUAL REPORT 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 85 **MEDIBANK PRIVATE—STATEMENT OF CORPORATE INTENT 2007-2009—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 October 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 86 **ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—OMBUDSMAN'S REPORT ON INSPECTION OF THE AUSTRALIAN CRIME COMMISSION'S SURVEILLANCE DEVICE RECORDS—1 JANUARY TO**

- 30 JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 14 September 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 87 **AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE—AUTHORISATIONS FOR THE ACQUISITION AND USE OF ASSUMED IDENTITIES—2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 September 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 88 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE PALMER REPORT OF INQUIRY INTO THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE IMMIGRATION DETENTION OF CORNELIA RAU—12 MONTHS PROGRESS REPORT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 September 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 89 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—PROTECTION VISA PROCESSING TAKING MORE THAN 90 DAYS—REPORT FOR 1 MARCH TO 30 JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 September 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 90 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—REFUGEE REVIEW TRIBUNAL REVIEWS NOT COMPLETED WITHIN 90 DAYS—REPORT FOR 1 MARCH TO 30 JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 September 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 91 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—OFFICE OF THE GENE TECHNOLOGY REGULATOR—QUARTERLY REPORT FOR 1 JANUARY TO 31 MARCH 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 5 September 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 92 **DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE—AUSTRALIAN GREENHOUSE OFFICE—ENERGY USE IN AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 5 September 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 93 **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING—HIGHER EDUCATION FUNDING ACT 1988—2004 DETERMINATIONS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 August 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Brough—That the House take note of the document.
- 94 **QUARTERLY REPORT ON MOVEMENT CAP FOR SYDNEY AIRPORT—1 JANUARY TO 31 MARCH 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 August 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Brough—That the House take note of the document.
- 95 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—2005 BIENNIAL REVIEW OF THE MEDICARE PROVIDER NUMBER LEGISLATION—RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS OF SPECIAL MEETING OF 24 FEBRUARY 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 August 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 96 **DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS—REPORT ON THE REVIEW OF THE SPAM ACT 2003—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 97 **PARLIAMENTARIANS' TRAVEL PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION—JULY TO DECEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 98 **FORMER PARLIAMENTARIANS' TRAVEL PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION—JULY TO DECEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 99 **PARLIAMENTARIANS' OVERSEAS STUDY TRAVEL REPORTS—JULY TO DECEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 100 **FORMER GOVERNORS-GENERAL TRAVEL EXPENDITURE—1 JULY TO 31 DECEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.

- 101 **STEVEDORING INDUSTRY FINANCE COMMITTEE—REPORT FOR 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 102 **DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS—SECTION 24 OF THE AIR PASSENGER TICKET LEVY (COLLECTION) ACT 2001—REPORT FOR 1 APRIL 2005 TO 31 MARCH 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 103 **AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF HEALTH AND WELFARE—AUSTRALIA'S HEALTH 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 104 **NATIONAL HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL—EMBRYO RESEARCH LICENSING COMMITTEE—REPORT FOR 1 OCTOBER 2005 TO 31 MARCH 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 105 **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING—SKILLING AUSTRALIA'S WORKFORCE—2005-2008 COMMONWEALTH-STATE AGREEMENT FOR SKILLING AUSTRALIA'S WORKFORCE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 21 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 106 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—RESPONSE TO OMBUDSMAN'S STATEMENT MADE UNDER SECTION 486O OF THE MIGRATION ACT 1958—ASSESSMENT OF DETENTION ARRANGEMENTS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 20 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 107 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—RESPONSE TO OMBUDSMAN'S STATEMENT MADE UNDER SECTION 486O OF THE MIGRATION ACT 1958—STATEMENT TO PARLIAMENT—SUBSECTION 486O(5) OF THE MIGRATION ACT 1958—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 20 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 108 **HUMAN RIGHTS AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION—REPORT NO.35—INQUIRY INTO A COMPLAINT MADE BY MR AV OF A BREACH OF HIS HUMAN RIGHTS WHILE IN IMMIGRATION DETENTION—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 20 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 109 **HUMAN RIGHTS AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION—REPORT NO.33—INQUIRY INTO A COMPLAINT MADE BY MS TRACY GORDON OF DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT ON THE BASIS OF A CRIMINAL RECORD—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 15 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 110 **HUMAN RIGHTS AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION—REPORT NO.34—INQUIRY INTO A COMPLAINT MADE BY MR DANIEL CLARK AGAINST THE MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE OF A BREACH OF HIS RIGHT TO FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 15 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 111 **NATIONAL HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL—REPORT FOR 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 15 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 112 **SECURITY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (TERRORISM) ACT—REPORT OF THE REVIEW COMMITTEE JUNE 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 15 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 113 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE—REPORT ON PREMIUM INCREASES FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31 MARCH 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 13 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 114 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—OFFICE OF THE GENE TECHNOLOGY REGULATOR—QUARTERLY REPORT FOR 1 OCTOBER 2005 TO 31 DECEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 13 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 115 **DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE—OFFICE OF THE RENEWABLE ENERGY REGULATOR—INCREASING AUSTRALIA'S RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY GENERATION—ANNUAL**



- REPORT FOR 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 13 June 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 116 **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT AND REGIONAL SERVICES—ROADS TO RECOVERY PROGRAMME—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 1 June 2006—Ms Macklin*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 19 June 2006.*)
- 117 **AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE—THE SUPERANNUATION GOVERNMENT CO-CONTRIBUTION FOR LOW INCOME EARNERS—QUARTERLY REPORT FOR 1 JANUARY 2005 TO 31 OCTOBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 118 **AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION—REDISTRIBUTION OF THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY INTO ELECTORAL DIVISIONS—2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 23 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 119 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—PROTECTION VISA PROCESSING TAKING MORE THAN 90 DAYS—REPORT FOR 1 NOVEMBER 2005 TO 28 FEBRUARY 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 23 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 120 **REPORT ON THE CONDUCT OF REFUGEE TRIBUNAL REVIEWS NOT COMPLETED WITHIN 90 DAYS—1 NOVEMBER 2005 TO 28 FEBRUARY 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from February 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 121 **QUARTERLY REPORT ON MOVEMENT CAP FOR SYDNEY AIRPORT—1 APRIL TO 30 JUNE 2005 AND 1 JULY TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 122 **QUARTERLY REPORT ON MOVEMENT CAP FOR SYDNEY AIRPORT—QUARTER ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 123 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—RESPONSE TO OMBUDSMAN'S STATEMENT MADE UNDER SECTION 4860 OF THE MIGRATION ACT 1958—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 124 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN—SECTION 4860 OF THE MIGRATION ACT 1958 [PERSONAL IDENTIFIER 049/06 – 055/06]—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 10 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 125 **STATUTORY REVIEW OF THE GENE TECHNOLOGY ACT 2000 AND THE GENE TECHNOLOGY AGREEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 May 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 126 **REPORT ON THE CONDUCT OF REFUGEE REVIEW TRIBUNAL REVIEWS NOT COMPLETED WITHIN 90 DAYS—1 JULY TO 31 OCTOBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 127 **WHEAT EXPORT AUTHORITY—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 128 **REPORT ON THE COSTS OF THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT'S RUN-OFF COVER SCHEME FOR MEDICAL INDEMNITY INSURERS—2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Ruddock—That the House take note of the document.
- 129 **NATIONAL OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMISSION—REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 1 JULY TO 31 DECEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Ruddock—That the House take note of the document.

- 130 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—PROTECTION VISA PROCESSING TAKING MORE THAN 90 DAYS—REPORT FOR 1 JULY 2005 TO 31 OCTOBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 131 **AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE—THE SUPERANNUATION GOVERNMENT CO-CONTRIBUTION FOR LOW INCOME EARNERS—REPORT FOR 1 OCTOBER 2005 TO 31 OCTOBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 132 **JOINT COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT—REPORT 403: ACCESS OF INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIANS TO LAW AND JUSTICE SERVICES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 133 **JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE—AUSTRALIA'S HUMAN RIGHTS DIALOGUE PROCESS—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 134 **AUSTRALIAN POLITICAL EXCHANGE COUNCIL—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 135 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—RESPONSE TO OMBUDSMAN'S STATEMENTS MADE UNDER SECTION 4860 OF THE *MIGRATION ACT 1958*—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 136 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN—SECTION 4860 OF THE *MIGRATION ACT 1958* [PERSONAL IDENTIFIER 014/05]—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 137 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS—COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN—SECTION 4860 OF THE *MIGRATION ACT 1958* [PERSONAL IDENTIFIER 016/05]—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 138 **HEALTH INSURANCE COMMISSION—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 February 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Baldwin—That the House take note of the document.
- 139 **NATIONAL HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH COUNCIL—REPORTS OF THE LEGISLATION REVIEW COMMITTEE—SECTION 25(3) OF THE *PROHIBITION OF HUMAN CLONING ACT 2002* AND SECTION 47(3) OF THE *RESEARCH INVOLVING HUMAN EMBRYOS ACT 2002*—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 140 ***RESEARCH INVOLVING HUMAN EMBRYOS ACT 2002*—REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 1 APRIL 2005 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 141 **SENATE EMPLOYMENT WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND EDUCATION REFERENCE COMMITTEE—BEYOND COLE; THE FUTURE OF THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY: CONFRONTATION OR CO-OPERATION?—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 142 **DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY—MID-YEAR ECONOMIC AND FISCAL OUTLOOK 2005-2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2006—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 143 **PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFITS PRICING AUTHORITY—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 December 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 144 **PARLIAMENTARIANS' TRAVEL PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION—JANUARY TO JUNE 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 December 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.

- 145 **FORMER PARLIAMENTARIANS' TRAVEL PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION—JANUARY TO JUNE 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 December 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 146 **PARLIAMENTARIANS' OVERSEAS STUDY TRAVEL REPORTS—JANUARY TO JUNE 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 December 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 147 **FORMER GOVERNORS-GENERAL TRAVEL EXPENDITURE—JANUARY TO JUNE 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 December 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 148 **SUBMISSION REPORT ON ILO INSTRUMENTS—ILO RECOMMENDATION 195, HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT, 2004—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 149 **AUSTRALIAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—STATE OF THE SERVICE REPORT 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 150 **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Lloyd—That the House take note of the document.
- 151 **INDIGENOUS BUSINESS AUSTRALIA—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Lloyd—That the House take note of the document.
- 152 **PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE OMBUDSMAN—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Lloyd—That the House take note of the document.
- 153 **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR WOMEN IN THE WORKPLACE AGENCY—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Lloyd—That the House take note of the document.
- 154 **MURRAY-DARLING BASIN COMMISSION—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 155 **INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COURT OF AUSTRALIA—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 8 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 156 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGEING—PROFESSIONAL SERVICES REVIEW—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 2 November 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 157 **AUSTRALIAN TRADE COMMISSION—EXPORT MARKET DEVELOPMENT GRANTS (EMDG)—LIST OF GRANT RECIPIENTS FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 13 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 158 **DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, TOURISM AND RESOURCES—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 159 **NATIONAL OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMISSION—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 160 **STEVEDORING INDUSTRY FINANCE COMMITTEE—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 161 **MEDIBANK PRIVATE—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.

- 162 **MEDIBANK PRIVATE—STATEMENT OF CORPORATE INTENT 2006-2008—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 163 **DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 164 **COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN—REPORT—INQUIRY INTO THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE VIVIAN ALVAREZ MATTER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 165 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION, MULTICULTURAL AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS—REPORT—IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN OF THE INQUIRY INTO THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE VIVIAN ALVAREZ MATTER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 166 **DEPARTMENT OF IMMIGRATION, MULTICULTURAL AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS—REPORT—IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OMBUDSMAN OF THE INQUIRY INTO CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE IMMIGRATION DETENTION OF CORNELIA RAU—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 167 **AUSTRALIAN STRATEGIC POLICY INSTITUTE—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 168 **AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION—FUNDING DISCLOSURE REPORT—ELECTION 2004—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 169 **OFFICE OF THE EMPLOYMENT ADVOCATE—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 170 **COAL MINING INDUSTRY (LONG SERVICE LEAVE FUNDING) CORPORATION—REPORT FOR 2004-2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 October 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 171 **JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE NATIONAL CAPITAL AND EXTERNAL TERRITORIES—DIFFICULT CHOICES: INQUIRY INTO THE ROLE OF THE NATIONAL CAPITAL AUTHORITY IN DETERMINING THE EXTENT OF REDEVELOPMENT OF THE PIERCES CREEK SETTLEMENT IN THE ACT—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 15 September 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 172 **SELECT COMMITTEE ON RECENT AUSTRALIAN BUSHFIRES—A NATION CHARRED: INQUIRY INTO THE RECENT AUSTRALIAN BUSHFIRES—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 15 September 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 173 **ASIA-PACIFIC PARTNERSHIP OF CLEAN DEVELOPMENT AND CLIMATE—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 August 2005—Mr Nairn*) on the motion of Mr Nairn—That the House take note of the document.
- 174 **RESEARCH INVOLVING HUMAN EMBRYOS ACT 2002—REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 1 OCTOBER 2004 TO 31 MARCH 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 August 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 175 **REPORT ON THE INQUIRY INTO THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE IMMIGRATION DETENTION OF CORNELIA RAU—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 August 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 176 **IIF INVESTMENTS PTY LTD, IIF(CM) INVESTMENTS PTY LTD, IIF BIO VENTURES PTY LTD, IIF FOUNDATION PTY LTD, IIF NEO PTY LTD—REPORTS FOR 2003-2004—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 August 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.

- 177 **AIR PASSENGER TICKET LEVY COLLECTION ACT 2001—REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 1 APRIL 2004 TO 31 MARCH 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 August 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 178 **GENE TECHNOLOGY REGULATOR—QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY TO 31 MARCH 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 August 2005—Ms Gillard*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 179 **TARIFF PROPOSALS (Mr Hunt):**  
 Customs Tariff Proposal No. 4 (2005)—*moved 13 October 2005*—Resumption of debate (*Mr Edwards*).  
 Customs Tariff Proposal No. 5 (2005)—*moved 13 October 2005*—Resumption of debate (*Mr Edwards*).  
 Excise Tariff Proposal No. 1 (2005)—*moved 13 October 2005*—Resumption of debate (*Mr Edwards*).  
 Customs Tariff Proposal No. 1 (2006)—*moved 15 June 2006*—Resumption of debate (*Mr G. M. O'Connor*).  
 Customs Tariff Proposal No. 1 (2007)—*moved 15 February 2007*—Resumption of debate (*Mr Edwards*).  
**LEGISLATIVE INSTRUMENTS (TECHNICAL AMENDMENT) BILL 2004:** Second reading (*from 16 November 2004*).

### Contingent notices of motion

- Contingent on any bill being brought in and read a first time:* Minister to move—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the second reading being made an order of the day for a later hour.
- Contingent on any report relating to a bill being received from the Main Committee:* Minister to move—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the remaining stages being passed without delay.
- Contingent on any bill being agreed to at the conclusion of the consideration in detail stage:* Minister to move—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the motion for the third reading being moved without delay.
- Contingent on any message being received from the Senate transmitting any bill for concurrence:* Minister to move—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the bill being passed through all its stages without delay.

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## COMMITTEE AND DELEGATION REPORTS

### Orders of the day

- 1 **ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT ON REVIEW OF GREEN OFFICE PROCUREMENT AUDIT—REVIEW OF AUDIT REPORT NO. 22, 2005-2006—INTERIM REPORT—INQUIRY INTO A SUSTAINABILITY CHARTER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 September 2006*) on the motion of Dr Washer—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on 26 March 2007.*)
- 2 **TREATIES—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT NO.77: TREATIES TABLED ON 20 JUNE AND 8 AUGUST 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 October 2006*) on the motion of Dr Southcott—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 3 **INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY—PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE—REPORT ON REVIEW OF SECURITY AND COUNTER-TERRORISM LEGISLATION—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006*) on the motion of Mr Jull—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 4 **FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT ON THE REVIEW OF AUSTRALIA-NEW ZEALAND TRADE AND INVESTMENT RELATIONS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006*) on the motion of Mr Baird—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

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## PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

### Notices given for Wednesday, 21 March

\*1 **MR DANBY:** To move—That the House:

- (1) note statements by President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad of Iran:
  - (a) calling for the destruction of the State of Israel;
  - (b) warning any Muslim who supports Israel that they will burn in the Umma of Islam; and
  - (c) denying Nazi genocide against the Jews of Europe and demonising Jews;
- (2) calls on the Australian Government, Australia being a party to the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide, to:
  - (a) refer the incitements to genocide by President Ahmadinejad and other Iranian leaders to the appropriate agencies of the United Nations for account;
  - (b) initiate in the International Court of Justice an inter-state complaint against Iran for its criminal violation of the Genocide Convention; and
  - (c) urge the United Nations to act against Iran's threats to eliminate the State of Israel;
- (3) affirm the principle that no country should be allowed to call for the elimination of another; and
- (4) condemn the incitements to genocide by President Ahmadinejad and other Iranian leaders. (*Notice given 20 March 2007.*)

\*2 **MS GEORGE:** To move—That the House:

- (1) condemns the Mugabe Government in Zimbabwe for the brutal bashings in police custody of Morgan Tsvangirai and other leaders and supporters of the Opposition Party, the Movement for Democratic Change (MDC);
- (2) expresses concern at the ongoing threat of violence as evidenced by the additional vicious beating of MP Nelson Chamisa in recent days;
- (3) notes that the Mugabe Government has clearly abandoned the rule of law and tolerates no dissent;
- (4) expresses its concern for the safety of former Australian passport holder Mrs Sekai Holland and her Australian husband Jim Holland, and urges the Australian Government to use its best endeavours to intervene to have Mrs Holland released from custody and safely transported out of Zimbabwe for urgent medical attention; and
- (5) calls on the Australian Government to have the Mugabe regime's actions brought before the UN Security Council and if appropriate, the International Criminal Court, and calls on Zimbabwe's neighbours, particularly South Africa, to take action in support of human rights in Zimbabwe. (*Notice given 20 March 2007.*)

\*3 **MS LIVERMORE:** To move—That the House:

- (1) acknowledges that:
  - (a) it is now 43 years since the HMAS *Voyager* and HMAS *Melbourne* disaster;
  - (b) Australian defence force personnel who served on the HMAS *Voyager* and HMAS *Melbourne* have suffered ongoing psychological stress and trauma as a result of their experiences;
  - (c) many survivors from HMAS *Voyager* and HMAS *Melbourne* have sought compensation for psychological stress and trauma that has manifested itself in later life;
  - (d) the delays in settling these cases is causing further stress to survivors of the HMAS *Voyager* and HMAS *Melbourne* disaster; and
  - (e) in some cases, the delays in settling the case have lead to the cases being heard after the survivor of the HMAS *Voyager* and HMAS *Melbourne* collision has died; and
- (2) calls on the Government to do everything within its power to expedite the legal proceedings of the survivors of the HMAS *Voyager* and HMAS *Melbourne*. (*Notice given 20 March 2007.*)

## Notices

- 1 **MR G. M. O'CONNOR:** To move—That the House
  - (1) notes that in the lead-up to the last federal election, the Australian Labor Party promised to introduce a mandatory code of conduct to protect the interests of Australia's fruit and vegetable growers;
  - (2) notes that the Howard Government matched that promise to introduce a mandatory code of conduct;
  - (3) notes that a mandatory code of conduct is supported by the National Farmers Federation, Horticulture Australia, Growcom, Ausveg and other organisations representing farmers;
  - (4) notes that the Howard Government has failed to honour this promise to Australian fruit and vegetable growers; and
  - (5) calls on the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry to honour the Government's commitment to the Australian horticulture industry to introduce a mandatory code of conduct immediately. (*Notice given 5 September 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on 26 March 2007.*)
- 2 **MR WILKIE:** To move—That the House:
  - (1) notes:
    - (a) the substantial contribution to Australian motor sports made by the late Peter Brock;
    - (b) the substantial contribution to philanthropy made by the late Peter Brock;
    - (c) the example of professionalism in sport provided by the late Peter Brock; and
    - (d) the positive impact of Peter Brock on Australian motor racing and Australian motor industries; and
  - (2) expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Peter Brock on his sudden and shocking death. (*Notice given 11 September 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)
- 3 **MRS IRWIN:** To move—That the House:
  - (1) supports the right of democratically elected parliamentarians to freely pursue their duties;
  - (2) notes that the Inter-Parliamentary Union has expressed its alarm at the arrest and detention of Mr Adelaziz El-Dweik, Speaker of the elected Palestinian parliament;
  - (3) calls upon the Israeli authorities to show restraint and respect for the parliamentary mandate and the institution of parliament, the presidency of which was entrusted to Mr Dweik following the elections held earlier this year; and therefore,
  - (4) calls on the Israeli authorities to release Mr Adelaziz El-Dweik forthwith, along with more than 20 members of the Palestinian Legislative Council, including the Deputy Prime Minister, Mr Naser al Shaer, who were arrested in June 2006. (*Notice given 11 September 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)
- 4 **MS A. E. BURKE:** To move—That the House:
  - (1) notes that there has been an increased global trend for companies to relocate various parts of their operations to locations outside of the country where the service is being delivered—a practice often referred to as 'off-shoring';
  - (2) notes that the practice of off-shoring has seen jobs and skills lost from the IT and finance sectors in Australia and that Deloitte Research predicts that 15 percent of all financial sector jobs will be moved off-shore by 2008;
  - (3) recognises that participating in the global economy may deliver lower costs for local consumers and companies, however it must be done in a transparent and equitable manner; and
  - (4) calls on the Government to act now, before the flood of jobs off-shore sees Australia losing out, by:
    - (a) ensuring privacy protection for consumers;
    - (b) providing consumers with a 'right to know' so that service providers disclose the country of origin which provides their services, equivalent to country of origin product labelling;
    - (c) developing a national skills base that is suited to the changing needs of the economy;
    - (d) providing assistance in reskilling displaced workers; and
    - (e) ensuring employees of the country where the jobs are relocated are also protected by ILO Labour Standards. (*Notice given 11 September 2006 Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)

5 **MS A. E. BURKE:** To move—That the House:

- (1) acknowledges that Australians receive over one billion telemarketing calls each year;
- (2) notes the massive frustration that unwanted telemarketing calls cause the people of Australia;
- (3) welcomes the Government's long-overdue decision to finally adopt Labor's policy for a national Do Not Call Register;
- (4) expresses its concern over the Government's delay in setting up the national Do Not Call Register;
- (5) notes that, although the Minister promised the Do Not Call Register would be established in early 2007, there are fears that it will not be up-and-running until at least late 2007, because the Government has not yet called for tenders for a service provider; and
- (6) urges the Government to stop delaying the implementation of the national Do Not Call Register and expedite its establishment. (*Notice given 12 September 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)

6 **MR EMERSON:** To move—That the House:

- (1) notes the scientific evidence linking trans fatty acids to increased concentrations in the blood of low-density lipoprotein (LDL, or 'bad cholesterol') and reduced levels of high-density lipoprotein (HDL, or 'good cholesterol');
- (2) expresses its alarm at the adverse health effects of trans fats used in the cooking of takeaway foods;
- (3) notes international scientific evidence suggesting that reduced intakes of trans fats could reduce the incidence of heart disease by up to 19 percent;
- (4) notes the experience in other countries, which indicates that such fats can largely be replaced by unsaturated fats without increasing the cost or reducing the quality or availability of foods;
- (5) notes that Denmark has regulated maximum levels of trans fats that can be contained in cooking oils;
- (6) urges takeaway food chains to reduce the levels of trans fats in cooking oils to the Danish levels; and
- (7) in the absence of voluntary compliance, considers requesting the relevant authorities to regulate for maximum permissible levels of trans fats in the cooking of takeaway foods. (*Notice given 9 October 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

7 **MR MCCLELLAND:** To move—That the House:

- (1) notes that:
  - (a) six of the nine young Australian citizens arrested in Denpasar, Bali, Indonesia and charged with drug-related offences on 17 April 2006 have now been sentenced to death by the Indonesian Supreme Court;
  - (b) four of those Australian citizens have been sentenced to death by the Indonesian Supreme Court, even though they were sentenced only to terms of imprisonment by lower courts and the prosecution did not seek the imposition of the death penalty at their trial or on appeal;
  - (c) the right to life is a fundamental human right recognised in the *Universal Declaration of Human Rights* (1948) and the *International Covenant of Civil and Political Rights* (1966);
  - (d) the Australian Parliament passed the *Death Penalty Abolition Act 1973*, which was assented to by the Governor-General on 18 September 1973;
  - (e) Australia is party to the Second Optional Protocol to the *International Convention of Civil and Political Rights* aiming at the abolition of the death penalty;
  - (f) Article 28 A of the *Indonesian Constitution* recognises the right to life; and
  - (g) there may be further extraordinary judicial review proceedings and a constitutional challenge brought in the courts of Indonesia by the six Australian citizens; and
- (2) records:
  - (a) its opposition to the imposition of the death penalty on any Australian citizen;
  - (b) its abhorrence of all drug-related crime and the importance of international police cooperation in the detection of illicit drug-related crime;
  - (c) the importance to Australia of its continuing excellent relationship with our near neighbour, the Republic of Indonesia; and
  - (d) its expectation and confidence that all remaining legal process in Indonesia involving the six condemned Australian citizens will be fair and impartial; and



- (3) accordingly requests:
- (a) that the President and the people of Indonesia note and understand Australia's position strongly opposing the imposition of the death penalty; and
  - (b) in the event that the remaining legal process fails, that the President of Indonesia extend clemency to the six young Australians sentenced to death and that he commute their sentences. (*Notice given 9 October 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 8 **MS ROXON:** To move—That the House:
- (1) reflect on the death of Australian Olympic silver medallist, Peter Norman, at his home in Williamstown on 3 October 2006;
  - (2) recognise that Peter Norman's 200-metre 1968 sprint time of 20.06 seconds still stands and the national 200-metre sprint record;
  - (3) acknowledge the contribution of Peter Norman to Australian athletics;
  - (4) reflect on the role of Peter Norman in one of the most controversial scenes in the history of sport;
  - (4) applaud Peter Norman's support of American medallists Tommie Smith and John Carlos on the Olympic podium in 1968 in their protest against racial discrimination and poverty; and
  - (5) acknowledge the significant contribution Peter Norman made to the Civil Rights movement and international human rights through his actions and words. (*Notice given 16 October 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 3 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 9 **MR K. J. THOMSON:** To move—That clauses 11.1, 11.2 and 11.3 of Determination 2006/18: Members of Parliament—Entitlements, made pursuant to the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1973*, that provide for the aggregation of the charter and communications allowances of a member representing an electorate of 10,000 square km or more, be disapproved. (*Notice given 30 October 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 3 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 10 **MR L. D. T. FERGUSON:** To move—That the House:
- (1) notes with grave concern several reports from Amnesty International about the unabated killing of political activists in the Philippines, which, according to reports, includes up to 716 political murders and 176 political disappearances since Mrs Arroyo came to power in January 2001, with victims including political party regional leaders, clergy, church workers, lawyers, journalists, trade union and farmer union leaders, human rights monitors, 43 children and Bishop Ramento of the Philippines Independent Church;
  - (2) notes the statements by Amnesty International that these unabated killings share similar characteristics, including the political affiliations of the victims, the methodology of attacks, and reports that the armed forces or other state agents have been directly involved in the attacks, or have consented to, or been complicit in them;
  - (3) notes that Amnesty International considers there is a persistent pattern of failure to conduct prompt and effective investigations which lead to the arrest, prosecution and conviction of those responsible;
  - (4) notes that the Government of the Republic of the Philippines is duty-bound to protect the right to life of every individual in the country, irrespective of their background or political affiliation, and calls on the Government of President Arroyo to take urgent action to stop the political killings; and
  - (5) calls on Foreign Minister Alexander Downer to convey its condemnation of these political killings and its call for urgent action to stop these killings; and
  - (6) calls on Foreign Minister Alexander Downer to elicit a formal response from the Philippines Government. (*Notice given 30 November 2006. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 11 **MR PRICE:** To move—That the House:
- (1) notes, and congratulates, Red Lea Farm Fresh Chickens on its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of operation;
  - (2) notes that Red Lea has operated from its Blacktown site since 1957 and has remained a proud local Australian owned and operated business throughout its lifetime;
  - (3) notes that Red Lea currently employs more than 1,000 staff, has 35 retail outlets, 26 delivery trucks and processes in excess of 18 million chickens each year; and
  - (4) reaffirms its support for Australian owned and operated businesses, with particular emphasis on the workers they employ and communities they help build. (*Notice given 6 February 2007. Notice will be*

*removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.)*

- 12 **MR FITZGIBBON:** To move—That the House expresses concern that the Government’s mismanagement of the Defence budget and Defence procurement policy is undermining Australia’s national security. (*Notice given 12 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 13 **MS A. L. ELLIS:** To move—That the House:
- (1) notes:
    - (a) the growing incidence of, and pressures on, grandparents being called on to resume the role of parenting of grandchildren, resulting from family tragedies, family breakdown, or the devastating impacts of drug or alcohol abuse;
    - (b) the tremendous role that many community organisations and support services play in highlighting these issues, seeking funding support for services; and
    - (c) the fundamental role grandparents are playing in holding many family units together and their struggle to provide a safe, secure and supportive environment for their grandchildren;
  - (2) acknowledges:
    - (a) the support currently provided by government departments and agencies;
    - (b) the contribution of peak organisations around Australia, including research and reports developed by such bodies as Families Australia (*Grandparenting: Present and Future*, January 2007) and in the ACT, the Canberra Mothercraft Society Inc (*Grandparents Parenting Children because of Alcohol and other Drugs*, 2006); and
    - (c) that these organisations are doing a great service to families in these circumstances by their calls to achieve substantive improvements in quality of life for grandparents and the children in their care by advocating for legislative recognition of these particular family units and their unique situations;
  - (3) recognises, when considering the key issues faced by grandparents raising children:
    - (a) the need for relevant, current and accessible information as soon as children arrive as resources developed by community organisations rapidly become out-of-date as such organisations often lack funding for ongoing updates and reprints;
    - (b) the potential for significant financial hardship and compromise when grandparents take on parenting of grandchildren, including the often limited financial resources of grandparents and the hardship and challenges they face in making a suitable home and supporting children’s needs;
    - (c) the need for access to affordable legal services and support;
    - (d) that parenting over the age of 55 has significant health impacts, exacerbated when grandparents are faced with the unexpected physical and emotional toll of caring for children who are often struggling themselves as a result of the circumstances they have come from;
    - (e) the significant contribution grandparents make to the social capital of their community and our nation, the isolation and, sometimes, the stigma felt by grandparents and grandchildren in these circumstances and the relative scarcity of natural peer support and community linkages available to grandparents caring for children; and
    - (f) the need for further research to identify the extent of grandparent families, particularly indigenous grandparent families; and
  - (7) calls on the Government to seek further departmental improvements in response to these issues, including consideration of peak body representations in the areas of:
    - (a) accessibility of relevant information and advice;
    - (b) consideration of financial implications;
    - (c) legal complexities and costs;
    - (d) health impacts on grandparents and children;
    - (e) impact on grandparents and their contribution to society; and
    - (f) the need for further research. (*Notice given 12 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

14 **MR BOWEN:** To move—That the House:

- (1) notes the decision by the Federal Government to end upfront tax deductions for investors in non-forestry agribusiness Managed Investment Schemes (MIS);
- (2) notes the impact of this announcement on rural investment and job losses;
- (3) condemns the Government for its lack of consultation on the proposed tax treatment of non-forestry agribusiness MIS with the agribusiness industry; and
- (4) notes the Government's pretence that it is the 'party of business' while it flagrantly disregards the need for certainty in relation to investment decisions and the need to provide transitional arrangements when making changes such as this. (*Notice given 12 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

15 **MS LIVERMORE:** To move—That the House:

- (1) recognises that the Central Queensland Military and Artefacts Museum was established in 1999 with 90 items, but that the museum has grown to become a substantial public museum with a collection of some 37,000 items;
- (2) notes that the lease on the museum's present premises has expired, thus throwing the future of this significant institution into doubt;
- (3) recognises that the Archer Street Barracks in Rockhampton is no longer needed by the Australian Defence Force and that the barracks would make an ideal site for the Central Queensland Military and Artefacts Museum; and
- (4) calls on the Minister for Finance and Administration to transfer the barracks to the Central Queensland Military and Artefacts Museum at no cost, subject to the museum committing to:
  - (a) taking full responsibility for the maintenance and upkeep of the land and structures, both existing and in future;
  - (b) never selling any more than half of the land area and, if any of the land area is sold, using the funds obtained only to finance the maintenance or expansion of the museum; and
  - (c) the land and buildings being returned to the Commonwealth at no cost if the museum ceases to operate. (*Notice given 13 February 2007 Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

16 **MR RUDD:** To move—That the House:

- (1) notes the Prime Minister's false basis for Australia's decision to go to war in Iraq;
- (2) notes the Prime Minister's misuse of intelligence material to justify his decision to send Australian service personnel into active duty in Iraq;
- (3) notes the Prime Minister's failure to articulate a clear-cut mission statement for Australia's continued participation in the Iraq war;
- (4) notes the Prime Minister's failure to develop a clear-cut exit strategy from the war based on that mission statement;
- (5) notes the Prime Minister's refusal to explain to the Parliament and the people of Australia his strategy for winning the war in Iraq;
- (6) notes the Prime Minister's attack on the alternate administration of the United States of America and majority party in the United States Congress as Al Qaeda's party of choice; and
- (7) calls on the Prime Minister to accept the Leader of the Opposition's challenge to a nationally televised debate on Labor's plan to bring our troops home and the Prime Minister's plan to leave our troops in Iraq indefinitely. (*Notice given 14 February 2007 Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

17 **MR HARDGRAVE:** To move—That the House:

- (1) acknowledges that for the first time, Green Roofs for Healthy Australian Cities has been discussed at a conference held in Brisbane;
- (2) notes that there are 15 green roof infrastructure associations representing urban planners, educators, horticulturalists, engineers and architects, which have now formed the World Green Roof Infrastructure Network;
- (3) notes that green roofs provide a range of benefits to help counter climate change through thermal insulation, storm-water management that causes lower run-off at peak times, reduction of ambient

temperatures in cities, air and water cleaning effects, direct energy savings for government, visual beauty, habitat creation, long roof life and noise insulation;

- (4) notes that green roof spaces allow food to be grown through hydroponic, aquaculture, aquaponics, vermiculture and insect culture, providing additional revenues for building owners and tenants; and
- (5) encourages businesses and local authorities to seek the triple bottom line from environmental practices, as exemplified by the Ford Rouge Center in Dearborn, Michigan, USA. (*Notice given 15 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

18 **MS LIVERMORE:** To move—That the House:

- (1) acknowledges that the Federal Government formally recognised Australian South Sea Islanders as a distinct cultural group in 1994 and that this was followed by the Queensland Government in 2000;
- (2) recognises that Australian South Sea Islanders, as a group, experience disadvantage compared to the general Australian population;
- (3) notes with disappointment that many of the practical measures to overcome this disadvantage recommended by the Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission in its report *The Call for Recognition: A Report on the Situation of Australian South Sea Islanders* have not been implemented despite their endorsement by the Federal Government in 1994; and
- (4) calls on the Federal Government to go beyond the symbolism of formal recognition of Australian South Sea Islanders and expand current policies to enact appropriate measures designed to deliver real assistance to this group. (*Notice given 26 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

19 **MR QUICK:** To move—That the House:

- (1) notes that:
  - (a) microcredit is a proven means of eradicating poverty and that research by the World Bank in 1998 found that 40 per cent of loan borrowers had moved out of poverty after four years;
  - (b) at the Microcredit Summit in Halifax, Canada in 2006, Australia endorsed the goal of having 175 million families receiving microcredit by 2015;
  - (c) if the Microcredit Summit goal was achieved, then about half the first goal of the Millennium Development Goals, which is to halve the number of people who live on less than a dollar a day, would be met;
  - (d) Australia spent \$14.5 million on microcredit in its overseas aid program in the 2005-2006 financial year, which was less than one per cent of the overseas aid budget; and
  - (e) the USA, which has funded microcredit longer than most countries, has established a current benchmark level of 1.25 per cent of the aid budget for microcredit spending; and
- (2) urges the Australian Government to follow through with its endorsement of the 2006 Microcredit Summit Goal with an increase in funding of microcredit to \$40 million per year, or a level of 1.25 per cent of the aid budget, starting with the forthcoming Budget. (*Notice given 26 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

20 **MR EDWARDS:** To move—That the House calls on the Minister for Defence to recognise the offence and hurt caused by his remarks likening the Iraq War to the Kokoda campaign and urges him to unreservedly apologise to all veterans of the Kokoda Track and their families. (*Notice given 26 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

21 **MRS MAY:** To move—That the House:

- (1) recognises that:
  - (a) high blood pressure is a major risk factor for coronary heart disease, stroke, heart failure, peripheral vascular disease and renal failure;
  - (b) cardiovascular disease is the leading cause of death and disability in Australia, claiming the lives of 50,294 people in 2002, or 38 per cent of all deaths;
  - (c) around 3.67 million Australians are affected by heart, stroke and vascular diseases;
  - (d) 1.10 million Australians are disabled long-term by heart, stroke and vascular diseases;
  - (e) the prevalence of heart, stroke and vascular conditions increased by 18.2 per cent over the last decade; and

- (f) the total burden of heart, stroke and vascular diseases is expected to increase over the coming decades;
  - (2) also recognises that:
    - (a) salt appears to be the necessary cause of high blood pressure; and
    - (b) controlling one's salt intake plays a big role in controlling one's blood pressure, which in turn reduces the risk of cardiovascular disease;
  - (3) calls on the Australian Government to:
    - (a) educate the Australian people on the dangers of a high salt diet; and
    - (b) follow the United Kingdom's example and label food with green lights, which identify at a glance the best foods on the market for salt content; and
  - (4) on a bipartisan level, encourage Australians to reduce their salt intake and maintain a healthy lifestyle. (*Notice given 26 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 22 MR HARDGRAVE:** To move—That the House:
- (1) acknowledges that South East Queensland has the highest growth in traffic congestion of any region in Australia;
  - (2) also acknowledges that the Australian Government has allocated to Queensland authorities over \$3 billion in funding under AusLink Round 1 and \$18 billion through other road related programs since 1996;
  - (3) expresses its concern for the lack of commitment by Queensland authorities in progressing the work financed by the Australian Government and the redirection of funds away from the authorised projects;
  - (4) further expresses its concern at the unreliable project costing provided by the Queensland Government for infrastructure projects and the failure of the Queensland Government to follow the example of other State governments to value-add to the Commonwealth contribution to national highway projects with state contributions; and
  - (5) notes the Australian Labor Party plan to only widen the existing Ipswich Motorway to six lanes and keep trucks on the Brisbane Urban Corridor while the Liberals want a solution to interstate transport needs, which will take trucks off the Brisbane Urban Corridor and provide ten lanes of traffic between Brisbane and Ipswich. (*Notice given 26 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 23 MR FORREST:** To move—That the House:
- (1) notes the renewed interest being taken in the potential for cloud seeding to enhance precipitation across Australia;
  - (2) acknowledges that Snowy Hydro has rolled out an extensive cloud seeding operation over the past three winters for snow fall enhancement and that Hydro Tasmania has been undertaking cloud seeding precipitation enhancement operations for several decades;
  - (3) notes that many countries around the world continue to invest heavily in cloud seeding research, whilst in Australia it has not been enthusiastically embraced by the scientific community; and
  - (4) calls for the establishment of an Australian Cooperative Research Centre for weather modification to follow similar models in other countries. (*Notice given 27 February 2007. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

### Orders of the day

- 1 **FUEL QUALITY STANDARDS (RENEWABLE CONTENT OF MOTOR VEHICLE FUEL) AMENDMENT BILL 2006** (*Mr Katter*): Second reading (*from 4 September 2006*). (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on 26 March 2007.*)
- 2 **MICROCREDIT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 September 2006—Mr Barresi, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr Garrett— That this House.
  - (1) notes that:
    - (a) microcredit is a particularly effective and sustainable means of eradicating poverty;
    - (b) microcredit borrowers, particularly women, generate income that allows them to feed, clothe, educate and care for the health of their children;
    - (c) to date 66.6 million people in the world have been reached with microcredit services;

- (d) Goal 1 of the Millennium Development Goals (MDG) seeks to eradicate poverty, while its 2015 target is to reduce by half the number of people living on less than \$1 per day;
  - (e) if the new Microcredit Summit goal of having 175 million of the world's poorest families receiving microcredit were reached by 2015, then nearly half the MDG target would be met;
  - (f) Australia spent \$14.5 million on microcredit in the 2005-06 Aid Budget, which is 0.6% of the Aid Budget; and
  - (g) the USA, which funded microcredit longer than most donor countries, has established an international benchmark for microcredit spending, being 1.25% of the aid budget;
- (2) urges the Australian Government to agree to support the new Microcredit Summit goal of having 175 million of the world's poorest people receiving microcredit by 2015 as a means of achieving the MDG; and
- (3) urges the Australian Government to increase the proportion of money it allocates to microcredit to 1.25% of the aid budget. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on 26 March 2007.*)
- 3 HUMAN RIGHTS IN IRAN:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 September 2006*) on the motion of Mr Baird—That the House:
- (1) notes the serious discrimination that exists in Iran towards Bahá'ís, Assyrians, Chaldeans and Serbo Mandaean;
  - (2) calls on Iran to recognise the legitimate rights of minorities involving their access to university training and enrolment in professions; and
  - (3) requests the United Nations Human Rights Commission to undertake dialogue with Iran over their continued human rights concerns in that country. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on 26 March 2007.*)
- 4 HEALTHCARE:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 September 2006—Mrs Mirabella, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr Georganas—That the House condemn the Federal Government for:
- (1) failing to adequately fund healthcare in Australia;
  - (2) its role in causing the current doctor and nurse shortage in Australia; and
  - (3) Failing to adequately address this shortage. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on 26 March 2007.*)
- 5 HAWKESBURY-NEPEAN RIVER SYSTEM:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 September 2006*) on the motion of Mr Bartlett— That the House:
- (1) recognises the vital importance of the Hawkesbury-Nepean river system for Sydney's population and the New South Wales economy;
  - (2) expresses its concern at the degradation of the Hawkesbury-Nepean catchment and the poor health of the river;
  - (3) recognises that the Hawkesbury-Nepean bears the brunt of the State Government's failure to adequately plan for Sydney's water needs; and
  - (4) calls on the New South Wales Government as a matter of urgency to address the issues facing the health of the Hawkesbury-Nepean river. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)
- 6 INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 September 2006—Mr Scott, in continuation*) on the motion of Dr Lawrence—That the House:
- (1) notes that, on 7 September 2001, the United Nations General Assembly declared that the International Day of Peace should be observed annually on the fixed date of 21 September, as a day of global ceasefire and non-violence;
  - (2) notes that United Nations Secretary-General, Kofi Annan, has repeatedly urged member states of the United Nations to support the observance of global ceasefire on the day, arguing that a global ceasefire would:
    - (a) provide a pause for reflection by the international community on the threats and challenges we face;
    - (b) offer mediators a building block towards a wider truce, as has been seen in nations such as Ghana and Zambia;
    - (c) encourage those involved in violent conflict to reconsider the wisdom of further violence;

- (d) provide relief workers with a safe interlude for the provision of vital services and the supply of essential goods;
  - (e) allow freedom of movement and information, which is particularly beneficial to refugees and internally displaced persons; and
  - (f) relieve those embroiled in violent conflict of the daily burden of fear for one's own safety and the safety of others;
- (3) supports the Australian organisations that intend to hold vigils, concerts and walks on 21 September this year, in Melbourne, Sydney, Adelaide, Darwin and Brisbane;
- (4) calls on the Australian Government to actively support the observance of a ceasefire in Afghanistan, East Timor, Iraq and the Solomon Islands on 21 September of this year by ensuring that Australia's armed forces:
- (a) do not engage in hostilities for the duration of 21 September, unless provoked to do so in self-defence;
  - (b) promote the observance of a global ceasefire for the duration of 21 September; and
  - (c) promote the practice of non-violence for the duration of 21 September; and
- (5) requests that the Australian Government encourage other nation-states to follow its lead. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)
- 7 **HOUSING:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 September 2006*) on the motion of Mr Cadman— That the House acknowledges that:
- (1) the cost of housing in Australia is often more than double what it should be;
  - (2) the high cost is mainly due to the huge increase in the price of land and, as a result, land affordability is a problem in Australia, and especially in Sydney;
  - (3) Sydney is the most penalised city in the country, with affordability being worse than in London or New York;
  - (4) the main causes are State and local government planning restrictions and taxes; and
  - (5) State and local governments must play their part to reduce the cost of housing so the great Australian dream remains a reality, especially for future generations. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)
- 8 **ORGAN DONATION:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 September 2006*) on the motion of Ms Livermore— That the House:
- (1) notes with concern the low rate of organ donation in Australia;
  - (2) acknowledges the plight of the more than 1,700 Australians currently on the organ transplant waiting list;
  - (3) recognises the crucial role of public education in encouraging people to register as organ donors and discuss their choice with family members;
  - (4) welcomes the announcement from the Australian Health Ministers' Conference of the National Reform Agenda on organ and tissue donation; and
  - (5) calls on the Federal Government to investigate the experience of other countries that have adopted an 'opt-out' system of organ donor registration. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on the next sitting Monday after 26 March 2007.*)
- 9 **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AMENDMENT (ABOLITION OF CONCLUSIVE CERTIFICATES) BILL 2006** (*Ms Roxon*): Second reading (*from 9 October 2006*). (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 10 **WESTERN AUSTRALIA AND TAXES:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 October 2006*) on the motion of Mr Keenan—That the House:
- (1) notes that:
    - (a) as a result of the introduction of The New Tax System on 1 July 2000, every State and Territory will be better off in 2006-07 than they would have been had tax reform not been implemented;
    - (b) since the introduction of the GST in 2000-01, Western Australia has received around \$18.4 billion in GST revenue and is estimated to receive a further \$3.9 billion in 2006-07;
    - (c) the Western Australian Government has benefited the most from the mining boom among the States, collecting more revenue from royalties, including petroleum revenue from the North

West Shelf, than any other State, and is expected to collect almost \$1.9 billion in royalty revenue in 2005-06 and over \$2.2 billion in 2006-07;

- (d) the Western Australian Government collected \$2.36 billion in 2005-06—almost double what it collected three years earlier;
  - (e) Western Australia is estimated to be the highest taxing State in Australia on a per capita basis in 2005-06 and is set to remain one of the highest over the forward years;
  - (f) as part of the Intergovernmental Agreement on the Reform of Commonwealth-State Financial Relations, the States were to abolish nine State taxes; and
  - (g) the Western Australian Government has failed to implement this agreement and abolish all of these taxes; and
- (2) calls on the Western Australian Government to:
- (a) immediately abolish Mortgage Duty, Rental Duty and Non-real Conveyance Duty as agreed in the GST agreement;
  - (b) take immediate steps to reduce the burden on home buyers by substantially decreasing Stamp Duty and associated land charges; and
  - (c) reduce the overall tax burden on Western Australians from the highest in the nation. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

**11 POST-ARMISTICE KOREAN SERVICE REVIEW:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 October 2006—Mrs Gash, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr McClelland—That the House:

- (1) notes:
- (a) the vital role that ADF personnel played in enforcing the Armistice for the Korean War, between 28 July 1953 and 19 April 1956;
  - (b) the professionalism and courage displayed by those personnel in dangerous circumstances, promoting the furtherance of Australia's national interest;
  - (c) the findings of the Post-Armistice Korean Service Review (the Review), which stated under Recommendations 7B and 7C that veterans of this service should be awarded the Australian General Service Medal and Returned from Active Service Badge;
  - (d) the critical role that adequate recognition of service plays for the morale, retention rates and recruitment of current ADF personnel and the need to improve the transparency and reviewability of the medal system's rule-making, as acknowledged by Recommendation 8B of the Review; and
  - (e) the moral obligation of providing all veterans with the support and recognition they deserve for their service and sacrifice; and
- (2) calls on the Government to:
- (a) adopt the recommendations of the Review to award the medals for Korean Post-Armistice Service; and
  - (b) give further consideration to Recommendations 8B and 8C of the Review, regarding improvements to the medal system. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

**12 WORKCHOICES LEGISLATION:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 October 2006*) on the motion of Mr Price—That the House:

- (1) recognises the adverse affects of the federal Government's Workchoices legislation;
- (2) take immediate action to protect working Australian men and women;
- (3) take specific action to address the uneven nature of the bargaining position and pressures on young Australians entering the workforce for the first time;
- (4) take note of the Howard Government's agenda to drive down wages;
- (5) condemns national employer JetStar for its practice of charging job applicants for the application process; and
- (6) take action to prevent other employers from adopting similar practices. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)



- 13 **STEVE IRWIN:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 October 2006*) on the motion of Mr Slipper—That the House:
- (1) notes:
    - (a) the immense contribution to Australia, particularly through wildlife conservation, made by the late Steve Irwin;
    - (b) its appreciation of the late Steve Irwin for his dedication, energy and inspiration in helping to educate and inspire millions of Australians about our native wildlife and that of other nations through almost 50 documentaries and countless TV appearances;
    - (c) its appreciation of the late Steve Irwin for his positive impact on raising the appreciation levels among Australians for our native wildlife and for wildlife conservation;
    - (d) its appreciation of the late Steve Irwin for his public dedication to his family and the promotion of family values; and
    - (e) its appreciation for the late Steve Irwin's positive impact on international tourism in Australia and subsequent economic benefits; and
  - (2) expresses sincere condolences to Steve's widow Terri Irwin and their children, Bindi and Bob, and Steve's father, on the sudden and shocking loss of her husband, their father and his son. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 2 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 14 **50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE HUNGARIAN REVOLUTION:** Resumption of debate (*from 16 October 2006*) on the motion of Mr Somlyay—That the House:
- (1) commends the people of Hungary as they mark the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the 1956 Hungarian Revolution, which set the stage for the ultimate collapse of communism in 1989 throughout Central and Eastern Europe, including Hungary, and two years later in the Soviet Union itself;
  - (2) expresses condolences to the people of Hungary for those who lost their lives fighting for the cause of Hungarian freedom and independence in 1956, as well as for those individuals executed by the Soviet and Hungarian communist authorities in the five years following the Revolution, including Prime Minister Imre Nagy;
  - (3) welcomes the changes that have taken place in Hungary since 1989, believing that Hungary's integration into NATO and the European Union, together with similar developments in the neighbouring countries, will ensure peace, stability, and understanding among the great peoples of the Carpathian Basin;
  - (4) reaffirms the friendship and cooperative relations between the governments of Hungary and Australia and between the Hungarian and Australian people; and
  - (5) recognises the contribution of people of Hungarian origin to this nation. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 3 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 15 **BROADBAND COMMUNICATIONS:** Resumption of debate (*from 16 October 2006—Mr B. P. O'Connor, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr Hatton—That the House:
- (1) deplores the totally inadequate nature of Australia's current broadband communications infrastructure;
  - (2) denounces the Howard Government's piecemeal dithering with broadband over the past ten years;
  - (3) declares that Australia should be a world leader in broadband communications along with the Netherlands and South Korea, rather than one of the last to take up fast broadband; and
  - (4) demands a modern, 21<sup>st</sup> Century, national broadband communications infrastructure for Australia, as set out in federal Labor's broadband plan to build a fast network for the whole of Australia. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 3 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 16 **WORLD POVERTY:** Resumption of debate (*from 16 October 2006*) on the motion of Mr Bartlett—That the House:
- (1) expresses its concern at the tragically high incidence of extreme poverty in the world;
  - (2) supports the Australian Government's commitment to the Millennium Development Goals;
  - (3) recognises recent increases in Australia's commitment to overseas aid; and

- (4) urges continues efforts towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals and the halving of world poverty by 2015. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 3 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

17 **SUICIDE TERRORISM:** Resumption of debate (*from 16 October 2006—Mr Scott, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr McClelland—That this House:

(1) notes:

- (a) the Parliament's and the Government's abhorrence of suicide terrorism as a tool of any organisation or movement;
- (b) the global prevalence of suicide terrorism as the most lethal method of murder for many terrorist groups;
- (c) the critical roles that actors other than the perpetrators play in the process, providing incitement through:
  - (i) education of youth;
  - (ii) statements and encouragement by religious and political leaders; and
  - (iii) inflammatory materials broadcast by media outlets and made available on Internet websites; and
- (d) the vital necessity of defining terrorism for the purpose of international criminal law, and particularly suicide terrorism; and
- (e) the benefits for international law enforcement and Australia's national security in establishing such a multilateral enforcement framework; and

(2) calls on the Government to:

- (a) promote initiatives for the drafting of an International Convention on Suicide Terrorism, which would:
  - (i) provide a definition of suicide terrorism, including the meaning of the word 'terrorism'; and
  - (ii) create an offence of suicide terrorism; and
- (b) ensure that the content of such an offence would:
  - (i) be defined as a 'crime against humanity', attracting universal jurisdiction and the international legal consequences associated with such status;
  - (ii) include 'direct and public incitement to commit suicide terrorism' as a punishable offence by the same criteria as incitement under Article 3(c) of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide (the Genocide Convention);
  - (iii) be punishable against constitutionally responsible rulers, public officials or private individuals in the same form as Article 4 of the Genocide Convention;
  - (iv) include a provision requiring mandatory enactment of the offence in the domestic jurisdiction of contracting parties, in the same form as Article 5 of the Genocide Convention; and
  - (v) exclude the defence of political crimes for the offence, in the same form as Article 7 of the Genocide Convention; and
- (c) commit to sponsoring a completed Convention, and actively promoting its adoption by the international community. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 3 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

18 **GREAT BARRIER REEF MARINE PARK (PROTECTING THE GREAT BARRIER REEF FROM OIL DRILLING AND EXPLORATION) AMENDMENT BILL 2006** (*Mr Albanese*): Second reading (*from 30 October 2006*). (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 4 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

19 **WOMEN IN THE WORKFORCE:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 October 2006—Mr Keenan, in continuation*) on the motion of Ms Bird—That the House:

- (1) recognises the damaging impact upon Australian working women as a result of the federal Government's WorkChoices legislation;
- (2) recognises in particular the contribution Australian women make to workplaces and households across the country;
- (3) takes immediate action to restore employment protection for women in the workforce;

- (4) takes particular action to provide employment protection to women adversely affected by the WorkChoices legislation; and
- (5) notes the Howard Government's agenda to reduce employment conditions and employment security for women in the workforce. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 4 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 20 **SCHOOL CURRICULA:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 October 2006—Mr Hatton, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr M. D. Ferguson—That the House
- (1) notes as unacceptable Australia having eight different, and often inconsistent, sets of school curriculum;
- (2) calls on the Commonwealth to work cooperatively with the State and Territory governments for greater consistency in both school curricula and standards for every Australian school student; and
- (3) supports initiatives which will improve the education standards and accountability of educational authorities across the country, both government and non-government. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 4 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 21 **ANAPHYLAXIS:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 October 2006—Dr Washer*) on the motion of Ms A. E. Burke—That this House:
- (1) notes that it is estimated that anaphylaxis affects up to 380,000 Australians who experience a food allergy, 5-8 percent of whom are children;
- (2) recognises that tragically, three Australian students died between March 2002 and April 2003 during school hours as a result of an anaphylactic reaction;
- (3) acknowledges that a simple medical treatment is all that is needed to treat an anaphylactic reaction, prevent loss of life and provide the necessary time to transport the victim to hospital for further medical treatment; and
- (4) asks that the Government introduces legislation, devised in a COAG capacity, to ensure all preschools, primary and secondary schools:
- (a) have necessary policies and procedures to provide effective response to a student who experiences an anaphylactic reaction;
- (b) include policies that reduce the exposure to causative agents in the classroom environment;
- (c) ensure staff members are appropriately trained to support life in the event of an anaphylactic reaction; and
- (d) develop an individual action plan for each student that has an anaphylactic allergy that comprises treatment plans from the student's physician. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 4 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 22 **CARERS' WEEK:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 October 2006—Mr Georganas*) on the motion of Mr Baker—That the House:
- (1) notes that 15-21 October is Carers' Week;
- (2) notes that the theme of this year's Carers' Week is "Anyone, Anytime", the objective of which is identifying carers and empowering them to access support services;
- (3) recognises that there are approximately 2.6 million carers in Australia who provide unpaid help and assistance to a relative or friend, who could not otherwise manage because of disability, mental illness, chronic condition or frailty;
- (4) notes that almost everyone will provide care at some time during their life;
- (5) notes that around 1.2 billion hours of informal care are currently provided by family carers (as recently found by Access Economics in its report *Economic Value of Informal Care*);
- (6) acknowledges the enormous contribution made by carers to Australian society, often at great personal cost;
- (7) recognises the social and economic value of carers to the community; and
- (8) calls on all levels of government, businesses and schools to consider adopting carer-friendly work practices and learning environments. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 4 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

- 23 **EMPLOYMENT CONDITIONS IN RURAL AND REGIONAL AUSTRALIA:** Resumption of debate (*from 27 November 2006—Mrs Hull*) on the motion of Mr B. P. O'Connor—That the House:
- (1) recognises the enormous hurt to Australian working men and women owing to the enactment of the WorkChoices legislation;
  - (2) recognises the extraordinary contribution of Australian rural and regional workers to their communities and the national economy;
  - (3) recognises the particular damage to employment conditions and employment prospects in rural and regional Australia;
  - (4) takes immediate action to restore protection for employment conditions and employment prospects in rural and regional Australia; and
  - (5) takes note of the Howard Government's agenda to remove employment conditions and employment security, particularly in regional and rural Australia. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 5 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 24 **IRAQ:** Resumption of debate (*from 27 November 2006—Mr Scott, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr Johnson—That the House supports the Australian Government's policy of:
- (1) remaining unequivocally committed to the Iraqi people's aspirations to be a democratic and free society, with the continuing presence of Australian Defence Force personnel; and
  - (2) standing completely resolute against non-state actors determined to commit (directly or indirectly) acts of terror and violence against free peoples and free societies. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 5 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 25 **EATING DISORDERS:** Resumption of debate (*from 27 November 2006—Jackie Kelly*) on the motion of Ms A. E. Burke—That the House:
- (1) notes that:
    - (a) eating disorders—*anorexia nervosa, bulimia nervosa, binge eating disorder and related disorders*—are not illnesses of choice, but rather life-threatening mental disorders;
    - (b) *anorexia* is the third most prevalent chronic illness in adolescent girls after obesity and asthma and has one of the highest mortality rates of any psychiatric disorder;
    - (c) one in 20 Australian women has admitted to having suffered an eating disorder; and
    - (d) that dieting is the greatest risk factor for the development of an eating disorder;
  - (2) expresses serious concern about recent reports that eating disorders are on the increase, especially among school-aged children;
  - (3) condemns the lack of government funding for the prevention and treatment of eating disorders; and
  - (4) urges the Government to:
    - (a) convene a national summit on body image to develop a national code of conduct to ensure the media, fashion industry and advertisers portray a healthy and diverse range of men and women; and
    - (b) become a signatory to the Worldwide Charter for Action on Eating Disorders, which calls on those responsible for policy to educate and inform the community with programs that:
      - (i) de-stigmatise eating disorders and raise awareness of the causes of eating disorders;
      - (ii) increase public awareness of the signs and symptoms of eating disorders;
      - (iii) make available comprehensive information about eating disorder services and resources;
      - (iv) connect with the media to provide accurate information on eating disorders and to help shift the culture's perspective on body image issues and weight and food issues;
      - (v) develop and implement effective prevention programs targeting schools and universities;
      - (vi) educate and train health care practitioners at all levels in the recognition and treatment of eating disorders to improve the quality of care;
      - (vii) provide sufficient specialist services based on regional need;
      - (viii) provide people with access to fully-funded, specialised treatment and care; and
      - (ix) fund research into eating disorders. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 5 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

- 26 **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:** Resumption of debate (*from 27 November 2006—Mr Emerson*) on the motion of Mrs May—That the House:
- (1) recognises that:
    - (a) 23 percent of women who have ever been married or in a de facto relationship have experienced violence by a partner at some time during the relationship;
    - (b) the immediate impacts for children of victims include emotional and behavioural problems, lost school time, poor school performance, adjustment and relationship problems;
    - (c) child abuse is more likely to occur in families experiencing domestic violence; and
    - (d) children of victims are also at risk of continuing the violence with their own children and partners and are at heightened risk of alcohol and drug abuse and delinquency later in life;
  - (2) also recognises that:
    - (a) the social, health and psychological consequences of domestic violence have far-reaching and longstanding negative impacts on families who suffer from domestic violence and on the community as a whole; and
    - (b) there is no excuse for violence and abuse;
  - (3) calls on the Government to:
    - (a) establish a National Domestic Violence Death Review Board;
    - (b) establish a National Committee on Violence Against Women; and
    - (c) increase efforts in the area of primary prevention; and
  - (4) calls, on a bipartisan level, for a more coordinated and sustained approach to be undertaken by all levels of government in the area of domestic violence. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 5 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 27 **VIETNAM:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006*) on the motion of Mr Cadman—
- (1) notes the maturing relationship between Vietnam and Australia, the high-level contacts between Prime Ministers, Australia's development cooperation program of approximately \$81 million per year and the strong people-to-people links;
  - (2) notes continuing international concern about human rights issues in Vietnam, including gaoling, administrative detention and harassment of human rights activists for their advocacy of democracy and religious freedom;
  - (3) notes the importance of addressing the cases of individuals such as The Most Venerable Thich Quang Do and Thich Huyen Quang, Hoa Hao Elder Mr Le Quang Liem, Pastor Nguyen Cong Chinh, Dr Pham Hong Son, journalists Nguyen Khac Toan and Hguyen Vu Binh and many ethnic Montagnard people such as Siu Boch, A Brih and Y Tim Bya;
  - (4) calls on the Vietnamese Government to observe its international obligations on human rights, including the provision of free and fair elections; and
  - (5) notes the Australian Government's active support for, and promotion of, democratic freedoms and human rights in Vietnam, including through the annual human rights dialogue and other cooperation programs, and encourages the Government to continue these efforts. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 28 **YOUNG WORKERS:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006*) on the motion of Ms K. M. Ellis—
- (1) notes the detrimental impact that the Howard Government's WorkChoices legislation is having on young workers across Australia;
  - (2) expresses deep concern over the number of teenagers who now find themselves employed under the Howard Government's workplace agreements; and
  - (3) takes immediate action to restore employment protections for the 2006 graduates from Australian high schools, many of whom are entering the workforce for the first time upon their graduation and are at risk of being exploited under these new laws. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 29 **AIRPORT DEVELOPMENT AND AVIATION NOISE OMBUDSMAN BILL 2007** (*Mr Georganas*): Second reading (*from 12 February 2007*). (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

30 **HOMELESSNESS AND THE SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 February 2007*) on the motion of Ms George—That the House:

- (1) notes that:
  - (a) on nearly any night there are around 100,000 Australians who are homeless and that nearly half of these people are under 25, with young people aged 12-18 making up a quarter of all those who are homeless; and
  - (b) the Supported Accommodation Assistance Program (SAAP) is often the last resort for people who find themselves without, or at risk of being without, safe, secure or adequate housing;
- (2) expresses concern at the recent findings of the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW), which show that:
  - (a) SAAP is able to accommodate 12,335 people on an average day;
  - (b) SAAP is unable to accommodate all who request immediate accommodation, with an estimated 304 people (193 adults and unaccompanied children and 111 accompanying children) turned away on an average day;
  - (c) over half (56 per cent) of the people making valid requests for immediate accommodation on any given day were turned away;
  - (d) family groups had more difficulty in obtaining SAAP than individuals; and
  - (e) a large proportion of the homeless population do not receive SAAP accommodation; and
- (3) urges the Government to:
  - (a) recognise the immense pressure under which SAAP funded services are operating, with reduced real funding levels under the current agreement;
  - (b) provide additional funding to meet unmet demand; and
  - (c) develop strategies and work co-operatively with other levels of government to reduce homelessness. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

31 **AUSTRALIAN AID PROGRAM:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 February 2007—Ms Plibersek, in continuation*) on the motion of Mrs Hull—That the House:

- (1) supports the Australian aid program's focus on eradication of poverty and corruption in developing countries;
- (2) supports the Australian aid program's efforts to overcome the impact of poverty and corruption and to strengthen democratic institutions by promotion of good governance with specific reference to women and children in developing countries;
- (3) calls on the Parliament to encourage the Australian aid program to promote the human rights of, and the elimination of discrimination against, women and children in developing countries, in activities that:
  - (a) support the elimination of gender-based discrimination—such as land, inheritance and property rights, family law, gender-based violence and discrimination in employment; and
  - (b) support equitable access (including legal representation) for women and children to the legal system. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

32 **DAVID HICKS:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 February 2007*) on the motion of Ms Vamvakinou—That the House:

- (1) acknowledges that the ongoing detention without trial of David Hicks is inconsistent with both international and Australian legal standards (including the principle of *habeas corpus*) and contravenes the individual rights and protections for which these standards provide;
- (2) acknowledges that the newly revised rules for the US Military Commissions under which David Hicks is to be tried, but under which no US citizen can or will be tried, remain in breach of both the Geneva Conventions and the Australian Criminal Code and for this reason, do not constitute a fair trial but instead set an unacceptable precedent for the detention and trial of an Australian citizen overseas, especially by sanctioning the use of hearsay evidence and evidence obtained by coercion and by not permitting the accused to be privy to all the evidence;
- (3) notes that one of the charges laid against David Hicks relies on the use of retrospective legislation, while the Government asserts that he cannot be tried in Australia because it would require retrospective legislation;

- (4) calls for the immediate repatriation of David Hicks to Australia to face trial under Australian law;
  - (5) urges members of the United States Congress to help facilitate David Hicks' repatriation to Australia by passing a resolution in Congress to this effect;
  - (6) calls on the Government to release advice provided by the Commonwealth Director of Public Prosecutions concerning the viability of charging David Hicks in Australia;
  - (7) acknowledges that we in this place have a responsibility to monitor and protect the welfare and rights of Australian citizens imprisoned overseas; and for this reason:
  - (8) calls for an immediate and independent assessment of the mental and physical health of David Hicks by relevant experts to ascertain the validity of allegations made concerning the deteriorating well being of David Hicks;
  - (9) seeks concrete assurances that any such assessment will not jeopardise or in any way prejudice the treatment of David Hicks whilst he is in Guantanamo Bay; and
  - (10) acknowledges that the ongoing imprisonment of David Hicks, and the denial of his basic rights, runs counter to the principles of freedom and democracy in the name of which the 'war against terror' is being fought, and threatens to undermine the international effort to combat terrorism. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 33 **HUMAN RIGHTS IN BURMA:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 February 2007—Mr L. D. T. Ferguson, in continuation*) on the motion of Mr Baird—That the House:
- (1) notes that Nobel Peace Prize winner Aung San Suu Kyi, General Secretary of the National League for Democracy in Burma:
    - (a) remains under house arrest and incommunicado;
    - (b) has been in prison or under house arrest for 11 of the past 17 years; and
    - (c) is only one of over 1,100 political prisoners in Burma;
  - (2) calls on the State Peace and Development Council of Burma to:
    - (a) allow its citizens to peacefully exercise their rights to freedom of association and assembly; and
    - (b) immediately and unconditionally release all people who have been arrested for the peaceful exercise of these rights;
  - (3) notes that on 12 January 2007, nine out of 15 countries in the UN Security Council voted in support of a non-punitive resolution on Burma and in debate on the resolution all Council members registered their concern about the situation there ; and
  - (4) expresses its concern regarding the 500,000 displaced people in Burma and the further 150,000 displaced people on the Thai border in refugee camps. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 34 **AGED CARE:** Resumption of debate (*from 26 February 2007—Ms Hall*) on the motion of Mr Ticehurst—That the House:
- (1) recognises the pressures of an ageing population;
  - (2) acknowledges the enormous contribution made by senior citizens throughout their working lives;
  - (3) recognises the need to provide quality care for the frail aged in our community;
  - (4) welcomes the progress made in this area in recent years; and
  - (5) welcomes the Government's recently announced package of further measures to help provide community-based and residential care for our frail aged. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 35 **DENTAL SERVICES:** Resumption of debate (*from 26 February 2007—Mr Scott*) on the motion of Mrs Elliot—That the House:
- (1) notes that:
    - (a) since the abolition of the Commonwealth Dental Program, waiting lists for dental services have increased dramatically;
    - (b) an increasing number of Australians are unable to afford private dental treatment and are waiting years for dental care; and
    - (c) poor dental health can contribute to a deterioration in overall health; and
  - (2) calls on the Government to:

- (a) acknowledge that the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Health and Ageing inquiry of November 2006, *The Blame Game*, recommended that the Federal Government should fund dental services;
  - (b) reinstate a Commonwealth dental program; and
  - (c) end the 'Blame Game' and work cooperatively with the States and Territories to ensure that services are delivered. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 36 **HOME OWNERSHIP:** Resumption of debate (*from 26 February 2007—Mr Murphy*) on the motion of Mr Cadman—That the House condemns the New South Wales Government for presiding over the highest amount of State and local government taxes and charges levied on the cost of a new home and for having the largest shortfall of broad hectare land provision of any State or Territory—putting the dream of home ownership out of the reach of New South Wales families (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 37 **CHILDCARE:** Resumption of debate (*from 26 February 2007—Mrs B. K. Bishop*) on the motion of Ms K. M. Ellis—That the House:
- (1) supports a universal right to early learning for all Australian four-year-olds through the introduction of an entitlement to 15 hours of play-based learning per week, for a minimum of forty weeks per year, delivered by a qualified teacher;
  - (2) is committed to providing extra financial assistance to build additional childcare centres on primary school grounds and other community land in partnership with childcare providers;
  - (3) calls on the Government to increase the number of fully-funded university places in early childhood education to address the shortage of childcare provision across Australia;
  - (4) calls on the Government to introduce a 50 per cent HECS remission for 10,000 early childhood graduates working in areas of need;
  - (5) calls on the Government to eliminate TAFE fees for childcare trainees; and
  - (6) supports the transfer of responsibility for early childhood education and childcare into the Commonwealth Department of Education, Science and Training with a new Office of Early Childhood Education. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

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**COMMITTEE AND DELEGATION REPORTS** (standing orders 34, 39 and 40): Presentation and consideration of committee and delegation reports has precedence each Monday.

**PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS** (standing orders 34 and 35) has precedence from the conclusion of consideration of committee and delegation reports, being interrupted at 1.45 p.m. and then continuing for 1 hour after the presentation of petitions each Monday.

The **SELECTION COMMITTEE** is responsible for determining the order of precedence and allotting time for debate on consideration of committee and delegation reports and private Members' business. Any private Members' business not called on, or consideration of private Members' business or committee and delegation reports which has been interrupted and not re-accorded priority by the Selection Committee on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays, shall be removed from the Notice Paper (standing order 42).

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**BUSINESS OF THE MAIN COMMITTEE***Wednesday, 21 March 2007**The Main Committee meets at 9.30 a.m.***GOVERNMENT BUSINESS****Orders of the day**

- 1 **DEATHS OF FORMER SENATOR (THE HONOURABLE SIR ROBERT CARRINGTON COTTON KCMG AO) AND FORMER MEMBER (THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES DENIS KILLEN AC KCMG)—CONDOLENCE MOTION:** Resumption of debate (*from 28 February 2007—Mr C. P. Thompson*) on the motion of Mr Howard.
- 2 **AUSTRALIAN ENERGY MARKET AMENDMENT (GAS LEGISLATION) BILL 2006** (*Minister for Industry, Tourism and Resources*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 1 March 2007—Mr Neville*).
- 3 **TOURISM AUSTRALIA AMENDMENT BILL 2007** (*Minister for Small Business and Tourism*): Second reading—Resumption of debate (*from 14 February 2007—Mr Emerson*).
- \*4 **GARUDA 737 CRASH YOGYAKARTA—CONDOLENCE MOTION:** Resumption of debate (*from 20 March 2006—Mr Abbott*) on the motion of Mr Howard.
- 5 **PROCEDURE COMMITTEE—REPORT—MEDIA COVERAGE OF HOUSE PROCEEDINGS, INCLUDING THE CHAMBER, MAIN COMMITTEE AND COMMITTEES—SPEAKER'S RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 26 February 2007—Mr Garrett*) on the motion of Mr Robb—That the House take note of the document.
- 6 **REPORT OF THE INQUIRY INTO CERTAIN AUSTRALIAN COMPANIES IN RELATION TO THE UN OIL-FOR-FOOD PROGRAMME—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENTS:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 November 2006—Mr B. P. O'Connor*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 7 **STANDING COMMITTEE ON FAMILY AND HUMAN SERVICES—OVERSEAS ADOPTION IN AUSTRALIA—REPORT ON THE INQUIRY INTO ADOPTION OF CHILDREN FROM OVERSEAS—GOVERNMENT RESPONSE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 27 November 2006—Mr McMullan*) on the motion of Mr McGauran—That the House take note of the document.
- 8 **SKILLS FOR THE FUTURE—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 October 2006—Mr Wilkie*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 9 **ENERGY INITIATIVES—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 September 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.
- 10 **DEATH OF PETER BROCK AM—STATEMENTS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF STATEMENTS:** Resumption of debate (*from 16 October 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Ms Gambaro.
- 11 **AUSTRALIAN LAW REFORM COMMISSION—REPORT NO.104—FIGHTING WORDS: A REVIEW OF SEDITION LAWS IN AUSTRALIA—JULY 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 October 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mr Abbott—That the House take note of the document.

**COMMITTEE AND DELEGATION REPORTS****Orders of the day**

- 1 **EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT ON—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 26 February 2007—Ms Hall*) on the motion of Mr Hartsuyker—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 2 **AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT ON—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 26 February 2007—Mr Neville*) on the

motion of Mr Schultz—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 8 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

- 3 **COMMUNICATIONS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—COMMUNITY TELEVISION—OPTIONS FOR DIGITAL BROADCASTING—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 February 2007—Mrs Gash*) on the motion of Jackie Kelly—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 7 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 4 **FAMILY AND HUMAN SERVICES—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—BALANCING WORK AND FAMILY RESPONSIBILITIES—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 12 February 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mrs B. K. Bishop—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 5 **PROCEDURE COMMITTEE—REPORT—ENCOURAGING AN INTERACTIVE CHAMBER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2007—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mrs May—That the House take note of the reports. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 6 **PROCEDURE COMMITTEE—REPORT—MOTION TO SUSPEND STANDING ORDERS AND CONDEMN A MEMBER—REPORT ON EVENTS OF 10 OCTOBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2007—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mrs May—That the House take note of the reports. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 7 **TREATIES—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT NO. 81: TREATIES TABLED ON 8 AUGUST 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 February 2007—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Dr Southcott—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 8 **EMPLOYMENT, WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND WORKFORCE PARTICIPATION—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—EMPLOYMENT IN THE AUTOMOTIVE COMPONENT MANUFACTURING SECTOR—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 7 December 2006—Mr Randall*) on the motion of Mr Barresi—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 9 **LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—THE HARMONISATION OF LEGAL SYSTEMS WITHIN AUSTRALIA AND BETWEEN AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006*) on the motion of Mr Slipper—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 10 **MIGRATION—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—THE PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION TO NEW ZEALAND: AUSTRALIA-NEW ZEALAND COMMITTEE EXCHANGE PROGRAM—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006—Mr Adams*) on the motion of Mr Randall—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 11 **INDUSTRY AND RESOURCES—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—AUSTRALIA'S URANIUM—GREENHOUSE FRIENDLY FUEL FOR AN ENERGY HUNGRY WORLD—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006—Ms Hall*) on the motion of Mr Prosser—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 12 **ECONOMICS, FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—REVIEW OF THE RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA ANNUAL REPORT 2005 (SECOND REPORT)—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006—Ms Hall*) on the motion of Mr Baird—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 13 **HEALTH AND AGEING—STANDING COMMITTEE—THE BLAME GAME—REPORT—THE INQUIRY INTO HEALTH FUNDING—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 December 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mr Somlyay—That the House take note of the

report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

- 14 **PROCEDURE COMMITTEE—REPORT—MAINTENANCE OF THE STANDING AND SESSIONAL ORDERS: SECOND REPORT—REVIEW OF SESSIONAL ORDERS ADOPTED ON 17 MARCH 2005 AND 9 FEBRUARY 2006; AND OTHER MATTERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 27 November 2006—Mrs Gash*) on the motion of Mrs May—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 15 **TREATIES—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT NO. 79: TREATIES TABLED ON 10 MAY (2), 5 AND 6 SEPTEMBER 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 30 October 2006—Mrs Gash*) on the motion of Dr Southcott—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 16 **TREATIES—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT NO. 80: TREATIES TABLED ON 28 MARCH (4) AND 5 SEPTEMBER (2) 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 19 October 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Dr Southcott—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 17 **TREATIES—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT NO. 78: TREATY SCRUTINY: A TEN YEAR REVIEW—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 9 October 2006—Ms Hall*) on the motion of Dr Southcott—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 18 **MIGRATION—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—NEGOTIATING THE MAZE: REVIEW OF ARRANGEMENTS FOR OVERSEAS SKILLS RECOGNITION, UPGRADING AND LICENSING—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 11 September 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mr Randall—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 19 **PROCEDURE—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—LEARNING FROM OTHER PARLIAMENTS: STUDY PROGRAM 2006—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 4 September 2006—Mr C.P. Thompson*) on the motion of Mrs May—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 20 **ECONOMICS, FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—THE REVIEW OF THE RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA AND PAYMENTS SYSTEM BOARD ANNUAL REPORTS 2005 (FIRST REPORT)—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 14 August 2006*) on the motion of Mrs Gash—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 21 **FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—AUSTRALIA’S RELATIONSHIP WITH THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 14 August 2006*) on the motion of Mrs Gash—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 22 **CORPORATIONS AND FINANCIAL SERVICES—PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE—REPORT—CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITY: MANAGING RISK AND CREATING VALUE—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 14 August 2006*) on the motion of Mrs Gash—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 23 **SCIENCE AND INNOVATION—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—PATHWAYS TO TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 19 June 2006—Mr Danby*) on the motion of Mr Georgiou—That the House take note of the document. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 24 **ECONOMICS, FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—IMPROVING THE SUPERANNUATION SAVINGS OF PEOPLE UNDER 40—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE**

- OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 19 June 2006—Mr Ticehurst*) on the motion of Mr Georgiou—That the House take note of the document. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 25 **PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE—REPORT—INQUIRY INTO THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE PARLIAMENTARY PAPERS SERIES—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 May 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mrs Draper—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 26 **INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY—PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE—REPORT—REVIEW OF THE LISTING OF THE KURDISTAN WORKERS' PARTY (PKK)—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 29 May 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Mr Jull—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 27 **FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—VISIT TO AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FORCES DEPLOYED TO SUPPORT THE REHABILITATION OF IRAQ—22 TO 28 OCTOBER 2005—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 May 2006—Mrs May*) on the motion of Mr Scott—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 28 **FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—AUSTRALIA'S DEFENCE RELATION WITH THE UNITED STATES—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 May 2006—Mr Baird*) on the motion of Mr Scott—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 29 **PROCEDURE COMMITTEE—REPORT—MAINTENANCE OF THE STANDING AND SESSIONAL ORDERS—FIRST REPORT: DEBATE ON THE ELECTION OF SPEAKER—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 22 May 2006*) on the motion of Mr Melham—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)
- 30 **COMMUNICATIONS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—DIGITAL TELEVISION—WHO'S BUYING IT?—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT:** Resumption of debate (*from 13 February 2006—Mr Neville*) on the motion of Jackie Kelly—That the House take note of the report. (*Order of the day will be removed from the Notice Paper unless re-accorded priority on any of the next 6 sitting Mondays after 26 March 2007.*)

## QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

On the first sitting day of each fortnight, a complete Notice Paper is published containing all unanswered questions. On subsequent days, only new questions for the sitting are included in the Notice Paper. The full text of all unanswered questions is available at:

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### *Questions unanswered*

Nos 48, 53, 345, 507, 538, 586, 644, 782, 1139, 1140, 1253, 1272, 1325, 1454, 1598, 1673, 1714, 1924, 1958-1976, 2215, 2230, 2254, 2264, 2302-2318, 2320, 2332, 2457, 2498, 2502, 2509, 2587, 2605, 2629-2631, 2676, 2890, 2892, 2895, 2921, 2927-2930, 2932, 2990, 2992, 2999, 3013, 3104, 3111, 3164, 3178, 3215, 3250, 3273, 3276, 3277, 3299, 3301, 3311, 3314, 3315, 3366, 3367, 3369, 3372, 3374, 3378, 3385, 3406, 3435, 3483, 3499, 3500, 3511, 3556, 3570, 3589, 3590, 3595, 3645-3648, 3658, 3704, 3718, 3719, 3726, 3727, 3737, 3738, 3747, 3783, 3786, 3799, 3800, 3809, 3849, 3915, 3916, 3923, 3924, 3926, 3948, 3951, 3954, 3959, 3964, 4002, 4013, 4023, 4025, 4033, 4036, 4037, 4050, 4059, 4068, 4089, 4117-4121, 4123, 4125, 4126, 4129, 4130, 4133-4138, 4141, 4143-4145, 4148-4156, 4158, 4159, 4163-4165, 4182-4190, 4192-4219, 4282, 4283, 4292, 4297-4301, 4303-4311, 4313-4319, 4321, 4323-4326, 4338, 4339, 4341, 4342, 4345, 4348, 4355, 4357, 4358, 4360-4362, 4366-4377, 4379-4386, 4392, 4394, 4397, 4399, 4400, 4403, 4405, 4408, 4409, 4411-4420, 4422-4428, 4430, 4434-4438, 4441, 4443, 4446-4448, 4457, 4459, 4461, 4462, 4469-4487, 4495, 4497, 4498, 4507-4511, 4513-4516, 4518-4544, 4546-4565, 4569, 4571-4574, 4576, 4578, 4581, 4583, 4593, 4603, 4613-4615, 4618-4622, 4629-4631, 4633-4635, 4639, 4641-4678, 4685, 4688, 4689, 4692, 4702-4704, 4706, 4707, 4718, 4726, 4728, 4730-4733, 4737, 4745, 4757, 4759, 4760, 4766, 4770, 4771, 4773, 4781, 4783-4799, 4834, 4846-4848, 4851, 4852, 4863, 4865, 4868, 4870, 4871, 4873, 4874, 4879, 4887, 4889, 4895, 4896, 4903, 4905, 4907, 4908, 4915, 4918, 4919, 4927, 4928, 4934, 4937, 4939, 4947, 4948, 4950, 4951, 4960, 4962, 4967, 4982, 4984, 4985, 4988, 4989, 4996, 4998, 4999, 5005, 5008, 5010, 5013, 5014, 5016-5028, 5030-5036, 5038-5074, 5076-5112, 5114-5119, 5121-5125, 5127-5131, 5133-5169, 5171-5187, 5189, 5191-5199, 5201-5256, 5258-5277, 5279, 5285-5289, 5291, 5292, 5295-5301, 5305, 5306, 5310, 5312, 5313, 5315, 5316, 5318, 5319, 5321-5339, 5341-5346, 5348-5350, 5353-5357, 5359-5392, 5394-5401, 5403-5408, 5410, 5412, 5414-5419, 5424-5546.

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- \*5547 **MR GEORGANAS:** To ask the Minister representing the Minister for Human Services—Following recent changes to superannuation legislation, are self-funded retirees whose retirement income is a product of savings strategies funded from after-tax income at potentially greater risk of exceeding the income test threshold and not qualifying for the Commonwealth Seniors Health Card due to loss of tax rebate.
- \*5548 **MR GEORGANAS:** To ask the Minister for Foreign Affairs—Since the 2000-01 financial year (a) which overseas Australian missions have had access to discretionary funds or grants to be made available to local organisations, (b) what sum has been made available to each overseas mission, (c) what sum has been granted by each overseas mission and (d) to which organisations have grants been made and for what purposes.
- \*5549 **MR GEORGANAS:** To ask the Minister for Education, Science and Training—Does the Government consider it appropriate to provide funding to schools for the installation of flagpoles to fly the Aboriginal flag; if not, why not.
- \*5550 **MS HOARE:** To ask the Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs—
- (1) Can he confirm that no organisation has received a Volunteer Small Equipment Grant (VSEG) in consecutive years, as stipulated in the government guidelines.
  - (2) Can he confirm that, contrary to government guidelines, the Great Lakes Historical Co-operative Society Limited received a grant in Round 2 of VESG 2004 and in 2005; if so, how does this meet the program's consecutive year requirements.
  - (3) Will he advise if there will be a round of VSEG funding for 2007.
  - (4) Can he explain why the VSEG cannot be granted to the same organisation in consecutive years.

- \*5551 **MR McCLELLAND:** To ask the Minister for Veterans' Affairs—Is he aware of allegations that the totally and permanently incapacitated pension for veterans has lost value compared with other pensions and is continuing to lose value; if so, is this the case and does the Government intend to rectify the situation.
- \*5552 **MR McCLELLAND:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—Further to his decision to reject the Sydney Airport Business Park Development, what advice did he receive from the independent expert consultant in respect of safety issues relating to the location of the proposed development and to what extent did those safety issues relate to the prospect of a plane crashing on take-off.
- \*5553 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—In view of the decision by the Victorian Government to bring Avalon Airport under State planning laws, how does the *Airports Act 1996* apply to the operation of Avalon Airport in respect of the development of the Master Plans and Major Development Plans.
- \*5554 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—
- (1) In view of the high passenger numbers at Avalon Airport, what consideration has the Government given to requiring the airport to cease operating in uncontrolled airspace and to commence operating with a crewed control tower.
  - (2) Can he confirm that the Avalon Airport control tower currently operates only during military training activities, the movement of foreign airlines for maintenance flights, the Grand Prix and the Air Show.
- \*5555 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—
- (1) On what basis did the Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) issue the instrument CASA EX 06/07 exempting Airservices Australia from the requirement to establish Hot Fire Training facilities at Avalon Airport.
  - (2) Prior to issue of the instrument CASA EX 06/07 by CASA, what consultation was undertaken to determine that Avalon Airport should be exempt from the need to establish Hot Fire Training facilities, and with whom.
- \*5556 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—
- (1) Does his department collect information from State and Territory governments on the number of learner drivers who take out a probationary driver licence; if so, how many new probationary driver licences were issued in the financial year (a) 2002-03, (b) 2003-04, (c) 2004-05, (d) 2005-06 and (e) 2006-07.
  - (2) For each financial year identified in Part (1), what proportion of new probationary licences was issued to drivers under the age of 25.
- MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Ministers listed below (questions Nos. \*5557 - \*5558)—In respect of the lease of Avalon Airport to Foxerco Pty Ltd in 1997 for \$1.5 million on a 50-year contract with a forty-nine year option, (a) what was the basis of the formula that determines the annual airfield lease payments and (b) what payments have been received from Foxerco Pty Ltd for each financial year since the initial lease of the airport.
- \*5557 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister representing the Minister for Finance and Administration.
- \*5558 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Defence.
- \*5559 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Small Business and Tourism—
- (1) What was the official title of Tourism Australia's \$180 million international campaign at its launch in February 2006.
  - (2) Has the name of Tourism Australia's international campaign changed; if so, why and when did this occur.
- \*5560 **MR M. J. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Small Business and Tourism—In respect of the decision to undertake polling to assess the success of Tourism Australia's international campaign: (a) when was the decision made; (b) by whom was the polling commissioned; (c) what is the scope of the polling and which key markets have been assessed; (d) what is the total cost of the polling to date; and (e) is it anticipated that further polling will be undertaken; if so, what financial resources have been allocated for this purpose.
- \*5561 **MR DANBY:** To ask the Minister for Foreign Affairs—
- (1) Is the Government aware that the International Criminal Court has indicted a high-ranking Sudanese interior minister and a Janjaweed militia leader on 51 counts of war crimes and crimes against humanity in Darfur.

- (2) Has the Government held discussions with the United Nations (UN) and the International Criminal Court (ICC) regarding measures that will be taken to indict other Sudanese officials and militia involved in crimes against humanity; if not, why not.
  - (3) Has the Government held discussions with the UN regarding that organisation's attempt to prevent funds from reaching Sudanese officials and militia engaged in war crimes and crimes against humanity in Dafur ; if not, why not.
  - (4) Is the Government aware of allegations that Janjaweed attackers targeted civilians believed to be supporting opposition rebels; if so, has the Government raised this matter with the UN.
  - (5) Is the Government aware that Sudan has refused to extradite those indicted to The Hague; if so, has the Government raised this matter with the UN.
- \*5562 MR DANBY:** To ask the Minister for Foreign Affairs—
- (1) Is the Government aware that the US has criticised the UN Human Rights Council for an anti-Israel bias, and for the second consecutive year has decided not to seek a seat on the UN Human Rights Council.
  - (2) Is the Government also aware that a US spokesman has said that the UN Human Rights Council has had a “singular focus” on Israel, while countries such as Cuba, Myanmar and North Korea have been spared scrutiny; if so, has the Government attempted to raise this issue with the UN; if not, why not.
- \*5563 MR DANBY:** To ask the Attorney-General—In respect of the recommendation made by Interpol's Office of Legal Affairs that international law enforcement agencies arrested and detained five officials of the former Iranian regime for planning the 1994 bombing of the Asociación Mutual Israelita Argentina (AMIA) Jewish Cultural Center in Buenos Aires, Argentina, in which 86 people were killed: (a) has the Government approached Interpol regarding progress on this matter; and (b) has the Government stressed to Interpol the need for resolution of this matter to be expedited in order to prevent unrestricted travel by officials of the former Iranian regime.
- \*5564 MR FITZGIBBON:** To ask the Minister for Defence—
- (1) What assumptions were used to produce the diagram on page 1 of the 2006-16 *Defence Capability Plan*.
  - (2) What are the reasons for the differences between the two Projected Capability Plan series and the two Total Major Capital Equipment series, and what method was used to smooth the results of these four series.
- \*5565 MS BIRD:** To ask the Treasurer—
- (1) Is he aware of legal opinion that holds that the imposition of penalty fees by Australian banks may be unlawful.
  - (2) Can he say which Commonwealth department, agency or statutory authority has responsibility for legislation and regulation of general bank fees, charges and the imposition of penalty fees; if not, why not.
- \*5566 MS MACKLIN:** To ask the Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs—For the financial year (a) 2004-05 and (b) 2005-06, what was the average payment amount, including supplements, made to families for (i) Family Tax Benefit part A and (ii) Family Tax Benefit part B.
- \*5567 MS MACKLIN:** To ask the Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs—
- (1) For each year since 2000, how many approved childcare services has his department found to be non-compliant with the requirement to (a) issue childcare service receipts in accordance with section 219E of the *A New Tax System (Family Assistance) (Administration) Act 1999* (the Act) and associated statutory rules, (b) keep specified records for 36 months in accordance with sections 219F and 219G of the Act and associated statutory rules and (c) keep children's attendance records in accordance with section 219F of the Act and associated statutory rules.
  - (2) How many of the non-compliant services identified in Part (1) have been sanctioned under the relevant Act, and what penalties were imposed in each case.
- \*5568 MS MACKLIN:** To ask the Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs—
- (1) For each year since 2000, how many approved childcare services have refused consent for an authorised officer to enter their premises to inspect documents required to be kept by the service in accordance with section 219K of the *A New Tax System (Family Assistance) (Administration) Act 1999* and associated statutory rules.
  - (2) How many of the non-compliant services identified in Part (1) have been sanctioned under the relevant Act, and what penalties were imposed in each case.

\*5569 **MS GEORGE:** To ask the Minister for Veterans' Affairs—

- (1) How many Vietnam veterans died in (a) 2006 and (b) the first two months of 2007.
- (2) Of the total number of deaths among Vietnam veterans since January 2006, how many were aged (a) 65 and over or (b) under 65.
- (3) Is the mortality rate of Vietnam veterans higher than that of their civilian counterparts for those aged (a) 65 and over or (b) under 65.

\*5570 **MR KATTER:** To ask the Minister representing the Minister for Communications, Information Technology and the Arts—

- (1) Is the Minister aware that Telstra services are inadequate in many communities in Far North Queensland under normal circumstances, but upon the impact of a disaster such as Cyclone Larry or a heavy wet season they become infinitely worse.
- (2) Is the Minister also aware that (a) satellite telephones are unreliable in some remote localities, (b) despite the present Government subsidy, the balance of the cost of any such emergency telephone plan remains beyond the reach of many fixed-income recipients and (c) the lack of access to emergency communications has resulted in the death of vulnerable and disadvantaged persons in remote communities.
- (3) Is the Minister aware that Telstra Countrywide has stated that a mobile telephone with a car 'phone kit would function in most locations in remote Far North Queensland; if so, will the Government provide appropriate emergency telephones and car kits to the vulnerable and disadvantaged in remote situations in rural Australia.

\*5571 **MR KATTER:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—

- (1) Is he aware of the repeated closures of the National Highway between Townsville and Cairns during the early part of this year, and while most road closures are warranted, that sections of the National Highway are remaining closed without justification long after flood waters have subsided;
- (2) In view of the circumstances outlined in Part (1), could he arrange for officials from his department to meet with State and local government representatives and officials to determine a mechanism for the speedy re-opening of closed sections of the highway following the subsidence and cessation of obstructive conditions, such as flooding.

\*5572 **MR KATTER:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—

- (1) Is he aware of the commitment made by the Deputy Prime Minister and the Minister for Transport and Regional Services prior to the 2004 Federal election to provide \$128 million to elevate the Murray Flats section of the National Highway south of Tully.
- (2) Is he aware that three years have passed, but road works have not commenced on this section of highway.
- (3) If the State Government is responsible for these delays, has the Federal Government considered, as on previous occasions, calling for tenders from private enterprise for the design, planning and construction of the project; if not, why not.
- (4) Is he aware that some \$200 million was announced two years ago for road improvements between Townsville and Cairns; if so, what amount, if any, of this \$200 million has been expended to date and on what sections of the highway has upgrading taken place.
- (5) Is he aware the Townsville-Thuringowa road access is being burdened by another 5,000 subdivisions currently in progress; if so, in view of this and the currently inadequate Northern Beaches-Deeragun Road access, could he advise whether the \$40 million, which was announced in the media, has been allocated; if not, when will it be allocated.

\*5573 **MR KATTER:** To ask the Minister for Transport and Regional Services—

- (1) Can he confirm that, based on press releases issued by him and his predecessors over the past decade, some \$6,000 million in Commonwealth funds has been spent on road upgrades in South East Queensland and that an additional \$2,300 million has been announced for the Goodna Bypass.
- (2) Is he aware that North Queensland has a population of some 1 million, but would have received barely one tenth of the amount of Commonwealth funding spent in South East Queensland, which has a population approaching 3 million.
- (3) Could he assure North Queenslanders that he will endeavour to ensure that a system of funding allocation based on population and road distances, or some other objective measure, will be implemented to provide North Queenslanders with a more equitable outcome.

\*5574 **MR KATTER:** To ask the Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs—

- (1) Can he move to end the apparent discrimination against prisoners of war imprisoned by Japanese forces during World War II who are required to pass a means test in order to obtain social security benefits, while those incarcerated by German forces are not subject to means testing.
- (2) Does he acknowledge that Australian taxpayers would not begrudge the small number of former prisoners of war some additional compensation through the relaxation of the social security income



test, which would help them to meet the considerable burden of health, medical and other necessitous outlays.

\*5575 **MR L. D. T. FERGUSON:** To ask the Minister for Immigration and Citizenship—How many refugee and humanitarian entrants settled in each Sydney municipality or shire in 2005-06.

\*5576 **MR MURPHY:** To ask the Minister for Education, Science and Training—

- (1) Has she read a press release titled ‘Delivering round one of the \$1 billion investment in school capital works’, issued on 21 October 2005 by the former Minister for Education, Science and Training; if not, why not.
- (2) Does this press release state that “schools are eligible to receive up to \$150,000 in funding” from the Investing in Our Schools program and that “school communities that have not received funding in this round will have until 2008 to benefit from the programme”; if not, why not.
- (3) How does she reconcile the apparent conflict between this statement and a statement issued to school principals by the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister that schools “will be able to apply for projects which will take their total approved grants from all rounds of the Investing in Our Schools program up to a maximum of \$100,000”.

\*5577 **MR MURPHY:** To ask the Minister for Education, Science and Training—

- (1) Is she aware of a letter written to all school principals by the former Minister for Education, Science and Training stating that “it is anticipated that the maximum amount an individual school community will receive [*under the Investing in Our Schools program*] is \$150,000 over the next four years”; if not, why not.
- (2) Has her department previously advised school principals, teachers, parents and any other members of a school community that they may (a) apply for several projects under the Investing in Our Schools program up to the \$150,000 limit and (b) make such applications until the end of 2008.
- (3) Is she aware of schools that had budgeted on receiving a total of \$150,000 under separate applications over three or four years.
- (4) Will she ensure that those schools identified in Part (3) that had a legitimate expectation that they would be able to apply for up to \$150,000 under the Investing in Our Schools program will still be given the opportunity to do so; if so, how; if not, why not.

\*5578 **MR MURPHY:** To ask the Prime Minister—

- (1) Further to his reply to question 3997, why did he not provide an answer to each of the eleven parts of that question.
- (2) Did he speak with his press secretary, Mr Tony O’Leary, about that part of Mr Ian McPhedran’s report which appeared in the *Daily Telegraph* on 24 August 2006 and read “*The Daily Telegraph* can also reveal that the Prime Minister’s office reacted angrily when Major-General Jeffery appeared on Channel 10’s *Meet the Press* program in May last year. The General’s staff were bluntly told by Mr Howard’s press secretary Tony O’Leary to keep the viceroy off TV—and he has barely appeared since”; if so, what did Mr O’Leary tell him; if not, why not.
- (3) Has he seen a report by Ian McPhedran titled ‘PM snubs questions’ that appeared in the *Herald-Sun* newspaper on 20 March 2007 that read, in part, “Major-General Jeffery has the lowest profile of any Governor-General in recent history. It was reported that Mr Howard’s press secretary Tony O’Leary, criticised Government House after Major-General Jeffery appeared on Network Ten’s *Meet the Press* program in May last year. Mr O’Leary denied this, but sources close to the vice-regal office have stuck firmly by the charge of political interference”; if not, why not.
- (4) Has he spoken with Mr O’Leary about Mr McPhedran’s report in the *Herald-Sun* on 20 March 2007; if so, what are those details; if not, why not.
- (5) Will he now tell the Australian people what he proposes to do over the next nine months to raise the profile of the Governor-General, Major-General Michael Jeffery; if so, what are those full details; if not, why not.

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**I. C. HARRIS**

Clerk of the House of Representatives

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## OCCUPANTS OF THE CHAIR

### The Speaker

Mr Hawker

### The Deputy Speaker

Mr Causley

### The Second Deputy Speaker

Mr Jenkins

### Speaker's Panel Members

Mr Adams, Mr Barresi, Mrs B. K. Bishop, Ms Corcoran, Mr Haase, Mr Hatton, Mr Kerr, Mr Quick, Mr Scott, Mr Secker, Mr Somlyay, Mr Wilkie.

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## COMMITTEES

*Unless otherwise shown, appointed for life of 41st Parliament*

### Standing

*Pursuant to standing orders*

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER AFFAIRS:** Mr Wakelin (*Chair*), Dr Lawrence (*Deputy Chair*), Ms A. L. Ellis, Mr Garrett, Mr Laming, Mr Slipper, Mr Snowdon, Dr Southcott, Mr Tuckey, Mrs D. S. Vale.

*Current inquiry:*

Indigenous employment.

**AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY:** Mr Schultz (*Chair*), Mr Adams (*Deputy Chair*), Mr M. J. Ferguson, Mr M. D. Ferguson, Mr Forrest, Mrs Mirabella, Mr G. M. O'Connor, Mr Secker, Mr Tuckey, Mr Windsor.

**COMMUNICATIONS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS:** Jackie Kelly (*Chair*), Ms Owens (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs B. K. Bishop, Mr Garrett, Mr Hayes, Mr Johnson, Mr Keenan, Dr Laming, Mr Ticehurst, Ms Vamvakinou.

*Current inquiry:*

Community broadcasting in Australia.

**ECONOMICS, FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION:** Mr Baird (*Chair*), Ms Bird (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Ciobo, Mr Emerson, Mr Keenan, Ms Grierson, Mr McArthur, Mr Secker, Mr Somlyay, Mr Tanner.

*Current inquiries:*

Current and future directions of Australia's service industries.

The state of Australia's manufactured export and import competing base now and beyond the resources boom.

Review of the Reserve Bank annual reports 2005 (second report).

**EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING:** Mr Hartsuyker (*Chair*), Mr Sawford (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Bartlett, Ms Bird, Ms Corcoran, Mr Fawcett, Mr M. D. Ferguson, Mr Henry, Ms Livermore, Mrs Markus.

**EMPLOYMENT, WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND WORKFORCE PARTICIPATION:** Mr Hardgrave (*Chair*), Mr Hayes (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Baker, Ms Hall, Mr Henry, Mrs May, Mr B. P. O'Connor, Mr Price, Mr Randall, Mr Vasta.

*Current inquiries:*

Employment in the automotive component manufacturing sector.

Workforce challenges facing the Australian tourism sector.

**ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE:** Dr Washer (*Chair*), Ms George (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Broadbent, Mr Entsch, Ms Hoare, Mr Jenkins, Mr Kerr, Mr McArthur, Mr Ticehurst, Mr Wood.

*Current inquiry:*

Sustainability charter.

**FAMILY AND HUMAN SERVICES:** Mrs B. K. Bishop (*Chair*), Mrs Irwin (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Cadman, Ms K. M. Ellis, Mrs Elson, Mr Fawcett, Ms George, Mrs Markus, Mr Quick, Mr Ticehurst.

*Current inquiry:*

The impact of illicit drug use on families.

**HEALTH AND AGEING:** Mr Somlyay (*Chair*), Mr Georganas (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Cadman, Mrs Elliot, Mrs Elson, Mr Entsch, Ms Hall, Mr Johnson, Ms King, Mr Vasta.

*Current inquiries:*

Review of Audit Report No.19, 2006-2007: Administration of State and Territory Compliance with the Australian Health Care Agreements.

The health benefits of breastfeeding.

**HOUSE:** The Speaker, Mr Broadbent, Ms Hall, Mr Price, Mr Randall, Mr Sawford, Mr Somlyay.

**INDUSTRY AND RESOURCES:** Mr Prosser (*Chair*), Mr Hatton (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Adams, Mrs B. K. Bishop, Mr Cadman, Mr M. J. Ferguson, Mr Haase, Mr Katter, Jackie Kelly, Mr Tollner.

*Current inquiry:*

Developing Australia's non-fossil fuel energy industry.

**LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS:** Mr Slipper (*Chair*), Mr Murphy (*Deputy Chair*), Mr M. D. Ferguson, Mrs Hull, Mr Kerr, Mr Melham, Mrs Mirabella, Mr Secker, Mr K. J. Thomson, Mr Tollner.

*Current inquiries:*

Federal implications of statehood for the Northern Territory.

Older people and the law.

**MEMBERS' INTERESTS:** Mr Ciobo (*Chair*), Mr Jenkins (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Byrne, Mr Neville, Mr Quick, Mr Secker, Mr C. P. Thompson.

**PRIVILEGES:** Mr C. P. Thompson (*Chair*), Ms A. E. Burke (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs Draper, Mrs Gash, Mr Hartsuyker, Mr Melham, Mr McMullan, Ms Plibersek (nominee of the Deputy Leader of the Opposition), Mr Price, Mr Randall, Mr Somlyay (nominee of the Leader of the House).

*Current inquiry:*

Allegation of documents fraudulently and inaccurately written and issued in a Member's name.

**PROCEDURE:** Mrs May (*Chair*), Mr Melham (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs B. K. Bishop, Mrs Draper, Mr Hartsuyker, Ms Hoare, Mr Price.

*Current inquiries:*

Maintenance of the standing and sessional orders.

Question Time procedures.

The petitioning process.

**PUBLICATIONS:** Mrs Draper (*Chair*), Mr Adams (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Baker, Ms Corcoran, Mr Hayes, Mrs Hull, Mr Johnson.

*Current inquiry:*

Printing standards for documents presented to Parliament.

**SCIENCE AND INNOVATION:** Mr Georgiou (*Chair*), Mr Quick (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Hayes, Mr Jenkins, Dr Jensen, Jackie Kelly, Mr Price, Mr Tollner, Mrs D. S. Vale, Dr Washer.

*Current inquiry:*

Pathways to innovation.

**SELECTION:** Mr Causley (*Chair*), Mr Barresi, Mr Bartlett, Mr Danby, Mrs Gash, Ms Hall, Mrs Hull, Mr McArthur, Mr Neville, Mr Price, Mr Wilkie.

**TRANSPORT AND REGIONAL SERVICES:** Mr Neville (*Chair*), Mr Gibbons (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Bird, Mr Haase, Ms Hall, Dr Jensen, Mr McArthur, Mr Richardson, Mr Ripoll, Mr Schultz.

*Current inquiry:*

The integration of regional rail and road freight transport and their interface with ports.

**Joint Statutory****AUSTRALIAN COMMISSION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT INTEGRITY:**

**AUSTRALIAN CRIME COMMISSION:** Senator Ian Macdonald (*Chair*), Mr Kerr (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs Gash, Mr Hayes, Mr Richardson, Mr Wood, Senator Ferris, Senator Ludwig, Senator Polley.

*Current inquiry:*

The future impact of serious and organised crime on Australian society.

**BROADCASTING OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS:** The Speaker, The President, Mr Bartlett, Mr Cadman, Mr Hardgrave, Mr Murphy, Ms Vamvakinou, Senator Faulkner, Senator Ferris.

**CORPORATIONS AND FINANCIAL SERVICES:** Senator Chapman (*Chair*), Ms A. E. Burke (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Baker, Mr Bartlett, Mr Bowen, Mr McArthur, Senator Bernardi, Senator Brandis, Senator Murray, Senator Sherry, Senator Wong.

*Current inquiries:*

Exposure draft of the Corporations Amendment (Insolvency) Bill 2007.

Exposure draft of the Corporations Amendment (Takeovers) Bill 2006.

Structure and operation of the superannuation industry.

**INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY:** Mr Jull (*Chair*), Mr Byrne (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Ciobo, Mr Kerr, Mr McArthur, Senator Faulkner, Senator Ferguson, Senator Nash, Senator Ray.

*Current inquiries:*

Review of administration and expenditure: Australian Intelligence Organisations—No. 5.

Review of the re-listing of Abu Sayyaf (ASG), Jamiat ul-Ansar (JuA), Armed Islamic Group (GIA) and Salafist Group for Call and Combat (GSPC) as terrorist organisations under the *Criminal Code Act 1995*.

Terrorist Organisation Provisions of the *Criminal Code Act 1995*.

**PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT:** Mr Barresi (*Chair*), Ms Grierson (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs B. K. Bishop, Mr Broadbent, Mr Emerson, Dr Jensen, Jackie Kelly, Ms King, Dr Laming, Mr Tanner, Senator Bishop (appointed for the duration of the inquiry<sup>††</sup>), Senator Hogg, Senator Humphries, Senator Moore (discharged for the duration of the inquiry<sup>††</sup>), Senator Murray, Senator Nash, Senator Watson.

*Current inquiries:*

Certain taxation matters.

<sup>††</sup>Financial management and equipment acquisition at the Department of Defence and Defence Materiel Organisation.

Further review of aviation security in Australia.

Review of Auditor General's reports.

**PUBLIC WORKS:** Mrs Moylan (*Chair*), Mr B. P. O'Connor (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Forrest, Mr Jenkins, Mr Ripoll, Mr Wakelin, Senator Hurley, Senator Parry, Senator Troeth.

*Current inquiries:*

Adelaide, SA; Canberra, ACT; Melbourne, Vic; and Rockhampton, Qld—National Towers Program Stage 1.

Mulwala, Vic—Redevelopment of propellant manufacturing facility.

Sydney, NSW—Villawood Immigration Detention Centre redevelopment.

Townsville, Qld—Lavarack Barracks Redevelopment Stage 4.

Watsonia, Vic—Defence Force School of Signals redevelopment.

**Joint Standing**

**ELECTORAL MATTERS:** Mrs Mirabella (*Chair*), Mr Danby (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Ciobo, Mr Forrest, Mr Griffin, Senator Adams, Senator Carr, Senator Fierravanti-Wells, Senator Murray, Senator Sterle (*Formed 18 November 2004*).

*Current inquiry:*

Civics and electoral education.

**FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE:** Senator Ferguson (*Chair*), Mr Edwards (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Baird, Mr Barresi, Mr Danby, Mrs Draper, Mrs Gash, Mr Gibbons, Mr Haase, Mr Hatton, Mr Jull, Mrs Moylan, Mr Prosser, Mr Scott, Mr Sercombe, Mr Snowdon, Dr Southcott, Mr C. P. Thompson, Ms Vamvakinou, Mr Wakelin, Mr Wilkie, Senator Bartlett, Senator Crossin, Senator Eggleston, Senator Hutchins, Senator Johnston, Senator Kirk, Senator Sandy Macdonald, Senator Moore, Senator Payne, Senator Stott Despoja, Senator Webber (*Formed 18 November 2004*).

*Current inquiries:*

- Australia's aid program in the Pacific.
- Australia's Regional Strategic Defence Requirements.
- Australia's relations with India.
- Australia's relationship with Malaysia.
- Australia's trade with Mexico and the region.
- Australian Defence Force regional air superiority.
- Review of the Australia-New Zealand closer economic relations trade agreement.
- Review of the Defence Annual Report 2005-2006.

**PARLIAMENTARY LIBRARY:** Mr Adams (*Chair*), Senator Trood (*Chair*), Mr Anderson, Mr Broadbent, Mr Georgiou, Mr Hatton, Mr B. P. O'Connor, Mr Wakelin, Senator Allison, Senator Brandis, Senator Hutchins, Senator Nash, Senator Webber (*Formed 7 December 2005*).

**MIGRATION:** Mr Randall (*Chair*), Senator Polley (*Deputy Chair*), Mr L. Ferguson, Mrs Irwin, Mr Keenan, Dr Lawrence, Dr Southcott, Senator Bartlett, Senator Eggleston, Senator Parry (*Formed 18 November 2004*).

*Current inquiry:*

- Temporary business visas.

**NATIONAL CAPITAL AND EXTERNAL TERRITORIES:** Senator Lightfoot (*Chair*), Senator Lundy (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Causley, Senator Crossin, Ms A. L. Ellis, Mr Neville, Mrs Mirabella, Mr Secker, Mr Snowdon, Senator Hogg, Senator Joyce, Senator Stott Despoja (*Formed 18 November 2004*).

**TREATIES:** Dr Southcott (*Chair*), Mr Wilkie (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Adams, Mr Johnson, Mr Keenan, Mr Laming, Mrs May, Mr Ripoll, Mr Scott, Senator Bartlett, Senator C. Brown, Senator McGauran, Senator Mason, Senator Sterle, Senator Trood, Senator Wortley (*Formed 18 November 2004*).

*Current inquiries:*

- Convention on the Prevention of Marine Pollution by Dumping of Wastes and Other Matter, 1972 (CO2 sequestration in sub-seabed formations).
- Treaty tabled 20 June 2006 (V&P, 20 June 2006, page 1236).
- Treaty tabled 17 October 2006 (V&P, 17 October 2006, page 1485).

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## APPOINTMENTS TO STATUTORY BODIES

**ADVISORY COUNCIL ON AUSTRALIAN ARCHIVES:** Mr Somlyay (*appointed 11 May 2005, for a period of 3 years*).

**COUNCIL OF THE NATIONAL LIBRARY OF AUSTRALIA:** Mr M. J. Ferguson (*elected 16 August 2005, for a period of 3 years*).

**PARLIAMENTARY RETIRING ALLOWANCES TRUST:** Mr Bartlett (*appointed 11 August 2004*), Mr Price (*appointed 1 December 2004*).