

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 99

THURSDAY, 10 MAY 1979

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1 The House met, at 10.30 a.m., pursuant to adjournment. Mr Speaker (the Right Honourable Sir Billy Snedden) took the Chair, and read Prayers.

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

Mr Bradfield, Mr J. J. Brown, Mr Burns, Mr Fife, Mr Jarman, Dr Jenkins, Mr L. K. Johnson, Mr L. R. Johnson, Mr Lucock, Mr Martin and Mr Sainsbury—from certain citizens praying that pension payments be restored to twice-yearly adjustments and that pensions and unemployment benefits be raised to 30% of average weekly earnings.

Mr Bryant, Dr Everingham, Mr Howe, Mr Hurford, Dr Jenkins, Mr Kerin and Mr West—from certain citizens praying for the resignation of Members who have not honoured an election undertaking to retain twice-yearly adjustments of social security pensions in accordance with movements in the consumer price index.

Mr Bradfield, Mr Howe, Mr L. R. Johnson and Mr Neil—from certain citizens praying that the Metric Conversion Act be repealed and the traditional and familiar weights and measures be restored.

Mr Bradfield—from certain citizens praying for the prohibition of oil exploration within the Great Barrier Reef region and that the entire region be declared a Marine Park.

Mr Hayden—from certain citizens praying that pensions be adjusted at 6 monthly intervals.

Mr Keating—from certain citizens praying for the appointment of an independent inquiry into the Australian Broadcasting Commission to investigate the qualifications of commissioners and certain other matters.

Mr J. L. McMahon—from certain citizens praying that major traditional Aboriginal land areas be resumed from the States eventually to become defined Aboriginal community co-operatives.

Petitions received.

3 QUESTIONS: Questions without notice were asked.

4 PAPER: The following paper was presented, pursuant to statute:

Dairy Produce Act—Australian Dairy Corporation—3rd Annual Report and financial statements, together with the Auditor-General's Report, for year 1977-78.

5 CUSTOMS AMENDMENT BILL 1979—LEGISLATION COMMITTEE: Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House), by leave, moved—That sessional order (9) relating to the meetings of legislation committees be suspended in relation to the Customs Amendment Bill 1979.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

- 6 SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT: Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House) moved—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, 22 May next, at 2.15 p.m., unless Mr Speaker shall, by telegram or letter addressed to each Member of the House, fix an alternative day or hour of meeting.  
Question—put and passed.
- 7 FAMILY LAW ACT—JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE: Mr Speaker informed the House that the Opposition Whip had nominated Dr Blewett to be a member of the Joint Select Committee on the Family Law Act in place of Mr Stewart, deceased.
- 8 EXPENDITURE—STANDING COMMITTEE: Mr Speaker informed the House that the Opposition Whip had nominated Mr Dawkins to be a member of the Standing Committee on Expenditure in place of Mr Stewart, deceased.
- 9 CUSTOMS AMENDMENT BILL 1979—LEGISLATION COMMITTEE: Mr Speaker informed the House that Mr Hurford had been discharged from the legislation committee considering the Customs Amendment Bill 1979 and that Mr Bryant had been nominated in his place.
- 10 GRIEVANCE DEBATE: Pursuant to the provisions of standing order 106, the order of the day having been read—  
Question proposed—That grievances be noted.  
Debate ensued.  
It being 12.45 p.m., the debate was interrupted in accordance with standing order 106.  
*Suspension of standing orders—Extended time for Grievance debate:* Mr Staley (Minister for Post and Telecommunications), by leave, moved—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the consideration of order of the day No. 1, government business (Grievance debate), being continued until 1 p.m.  
Question—put and passed.  
Debate continued.  
It being 1 p.m., the debate was interrupted.  
Question—That grievances be noted—put and passed.
- 11 AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY—JOINT COMMITTEE—REPORT—STATEMENT BY MEMBER: Mr Fry (Deputy Chairman) presented the following report from the Joint Committee on the Australian Capital Territory:  
Report on the 67th series of proposed variations of the plan of lay-out of the City of Canberra and its environs, together with copies of extracts from the minutes of proceedings of the committee.  
Ordered—That the report be printed.  
Mr Fry, by leave, made a statement with reference to the report.
- 12 NATIONAL FLAG—EXTENSION OF FREE ISSUE—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: Mr McLeay (Minister for Administrative Services), by leave, made a ministerial statement informing the House of the Government's decision to extend the free issue of the national flag and cassette recordings of the national anthem and national tune and to make available colour photographs of The Queen.  
Mr Scholes and Mr Young, by leave, also made statements with reference to the matter.  
Mr Bouchier and Mr L. R. Johnson each asked leave to make a statement in connection with the matter.  
Objection being raised, leave not granted.
- 13 PROPOSED DISCUSSION OF MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE—AUSTRALIA/KOREA NUCLEAR CO-OPERATION AGREEMENT: Mr Deputy Speaker informed the House that Mr Bowen (Deputy Leader of the Opposition) had proposed that a definite matter of public importance be submitted to the House for discussion, namely, "The Government's failure to inform the Parliament of the implications of the Australia/Korea Nuclear Co-operation Agreement".

The proposed discussion having received the necessary support—

Mr Bowen rising to address the House—

Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House) moved—That the business of the day be called on.

Question—put.

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

AYES, 63

Mr Aldred	Mr Chapman	Mr Howard	Mr Martyr
Mr Baillieu	Mr Connolly	Mr Hyde	Mr Moore
Mr Baume	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jarman	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Birney	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr Peacock
Mr Bouchier	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr Porter
Mr Bradfield	Mr Drummond	Mr Katter	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Killen	Mr Ruddock
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Fife	Mr Lloyd	Mr Shipton
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr Lucock	Mr Short
Mr Burr	Mr Giles	Mr Lusher	Mr Simon
Mr Cadman	Mr Gillard	Mr Lynch	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cairns	Mr Goodluck	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Staley
Mr Calder	Mr Graham	Mr McLean	Mr Street
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Groom	Mr McLeay	Mr Viner
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr McVeigh	Mr Wilson
Mr Carlton	Mr Hodgman	Mr Macphee	

NOES, 29

Mr Armitage	Mr Fry	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Dr Blewett	Mr Howe	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Mr Bowen	Mr Hurford	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Innes	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis
Mr Bryant	Mr Jacobi	Dr Klugman	Mr Young
Mr Dawkins	Mr James	Mr J. L. McMahon	
Dr Everingham	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris	
Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

- 14 WHEAT INDUSTRY STABILIZATION AMENDMENT BILL 1979: Mr Sinclair (Minister for Primary Industry), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act relating to the raising of moneys by the Australian Wheat Board.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

- 15 WHEAT INDUSTRY STABILIZATION (REIMBURSEMENT OF BORROWING COSTS) BILL 1979: Mr Sinclair (Minister for Primary Industry), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to provide for the reimbursement of the Australian Wheat Board for certain costs of borrowing or otherwise raising moneys.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

- 16 QANTAS AIRWAYS LIMITED (LOAN GUARANTEE) BILL 1979: Mr Nixon (Minister for Transport), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act relating to the provision of certain equipment for Qantas Airways Limited.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

17 INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT BILL (No. 4) 1979: Mr Howard (Treasurer) presented a Bill for an Act to amend the law relating to income tax.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

18 MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, PROPOSED EXPENDITURE FOR SERVICE OF THE YEAR, 1979-80—INTERIM PROVISION—SUPPLY BILL (No. 1) 1979-80: Message No. 145, dated 10 May 1979, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced—

(a) transmitting to the House of Representatives particulars of proposed expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending on 30 June 1980, for which interim provision is necessary and recommending an appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue Fund accordingly; and

(b) recommending to the House of Representatives an appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending on 30 June 1980, for the payment of such increases in salaries and wages and payments in the nature of salary, for which provision is made in the attached particulars of proposed expenditure as have become payable or become payable, or have commenced or commence to be paid, during that year in accordance with any law, or in accordance with an award, order or determination made under a law.

Mr Viner (Minister for Employment and Youth Affairs) presented a Bill for an Act to make interim provision for the appropriation of moneys out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending on 30 June 1980.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

19 MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, CERTAIN PROPOSED EXPENDITURE, 1979-80—INTERIM PROVISION—SUPPLY BILL (No. 2) 1979-80: Message No. 146, dated 10 May 1979, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced transmitting to the House of Representatives particulars of certain proposed expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund in respect of the year ending on 30 June 1980, for which interim provision is necessary and recommending an appropriation of the Consolidated Revenue Fund accordingly.

Mr Viner (Minister for Employment and Youth Affairs) presented a Bill for an Act to make interim provision for the appropriation of moneys out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure in respect of the year ending on 30 June 1980.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

20 AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE BILL 1979: Mr McLeay (Minister for Administrative Services), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to establish the Australian Federal Police, and for related purposes.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

- 21 ALBURY-WODONGA DEVELOPMENT AMENDMENT BILL 1979: Mr McLeay (Acting Minister for National Development), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Albury-Wodonga Development Act 1973*.  
 Bill read a first time.  
 Mr McLeay moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
 Debate adjourned (Mr Keating), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 22 POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICES: Ordered—That notices Nos. 6 and 7, government business, be postponed until the next sitting.
- 23 BOUNTY (BOOKS) AMENDMENT BILL 1979: Mr Fife (Minister for Business and Consumer Affairs), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Bounty (Books) Act 1969*.  
 Bill read a first time.  
 Mr Fife moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
 Debate adjourned (Mr Hurford), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 24 MIGRATION AMENDMENT BILL 1979: Mr Groom (Acting Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Migration Act 1958*.  
 Bill read a first time.  
 Mr Groom moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
 Debated adjourned (Mr Hurford), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 25 BOUNTY (BED SHEETING) AMENDMENT BILL 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—  
 Debate resumed.  
 Question—put and passed—Bill read a second time.  
*Message from the Governor-General: Message No. 147, dated 29 March 1979, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.*  
 Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.  
 On the motion of Mr Staley (Minister for Post and Telecommunications), the Bill was read a third time.
- 26 BOUNTY (DENTAL ALLOYS) BILL 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—  
 Question—put and passed—Bill read a second time.  
*Message from the Governor-General: Message No. 148, dated 3 May 1979, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.*  
 Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.  
 On the motion of Mr Staley (Minister for Post and Telecommunications), the Bill was read a third time.
- 27 BOUNTY (PAPER) BILL 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—  
 Question—put and passed—Bill read a second time.  
*Message from the Governor-General: Message No. 149, dated 5 April 1979, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.*  
 The House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.
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*In the committee*

Bill, by leave, taken as a whole.

On the motion of Mr Staley (Minister for Post and Telecommunications), by leave, the following amendments were made together, after debate:

Clause 3, page 1, lines 14 and 15, omit paragraph (b) of the definition of "bountiable coated paper", substitute the following paragraph:

"(b) that contains more than 50%, or such other percentage as is prescribed, by weight of mechanical pulp;"

Clause 23, page 8, lines 36 and 37, omit "or an advance on account of bounty the payment of which has been approved under sub-section 8 (2)".

Bill, as amended, agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

The House resumed; Mr Jarman reported accordingly.

On the motion of Mr Staley, by leave, the House adopted the report, and, by leave, the Bill was read a third time.

- 28 INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT BILL (No. 2) 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—*And on the amendment moved thereto by Dr Everingham, viz.—* That all words after "That" be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: "the Bill be withdrawn and re-drafted to remove all reference to taxation on mineral royalties for Aboriginal organisations"—

Debate resumed.

Mr Holding addressing the House—

*Closure:* Mr Bourchier moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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

## AYES, 61

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hyde	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Porter
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Johnston	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock
Mr Bourchier	Mr Cotter	Mr Katter	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Lloyd	Mr Shipton
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Drummond	Mr Lucock	Mr Short
Mr N. A. Brown	Dr Edwards	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Bungey	Mr Falconer	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Burns	Mr Fife	Mr McLeay	Mr Staley
Mr Burr	Mr Fisher	Sir William McMahon	Mr Street
Mr Cadman	Mr Giles	Mr McVeigh	Mr Viner
Mr Cairns	Mr Gillard	Mr Macphee	Mr Yates
Mr Calder	Mr Goodluck	Mr Millar	
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr Moore	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Nixon	

## NOES, 26

Mr Armitage	Mr Holding	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Dr Blewett	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Mr Bowen	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis
Mr Bryant	Mr James	Dr Klugman	Mr Young
Mr Dawkins	Dr Jenkins	Mr J. L. McMahon	
Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Morris	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—being accordingly put—

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

AYES, 61

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hyde	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Porter
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Johnston	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr Katter	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Lloyd	Mr Shipton
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Drummond	Mr Lucock	Mr Short
Mr N. A. Brown	Dr Edwards	Mr Lusher	Mr Simon
Mr Bungey	Mr Falconer	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Sinclair
Mr Burns	Mr Fife	Mr McLean	Mr Staley
Mr Burr	Mr Fisher	Sir William McMahon	Mr Street
Mr Cadman	Mr Giles	Mr McVeigh	Mr Viner
Mr Cairns	Mr Gillard	Mr Macphee	Mr Yates
Mr Calder	Mr Goodluck	Mr Millar	
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr Moore	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Nixon	

NOES, 26

Mr Armitage	Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Morris
Dr Blewett	Mr Holding	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr Bowen	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Bryant	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Young
Mr Dawkins	Mr James	Dr Klugman	
Dr Everingham	Dr Jenkins	Mr J. L. McMahon	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the Bill be now read a second time—put.

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

AYES, 60

Mr Aldred	Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Moore
Mr Baillieu	Mr Carlton	Mr Hyde	Mr Nixon
Mr Baume	Mr Chapman	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Birney	Mr Connolly	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Bouchier	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jull	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bradfield	Mr Cotter	Mr Katter	Mr Ruddock
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Dobie	Mr Lloyd	Mr Sainsbury
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Drummond	Mr Lucock	Mr Shipton
Mr Bungey	Dr Edwards	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Falconer	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Fife	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Fisher	Sir William McMahon	Mr Staley
Mr Cairns	Mr Gillard	Mr McVeigh	Mr Street
Mr Calder	Mr Goodluck	Mr Macphee	Mr Viner
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr Millar	Mr Yates

NOES, 27

Mr Armitage	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr J. L. McMahon
Dr Blewett	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Morris
Mr Bowen	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Mr Bryant	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Young
Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative—Bill read a second time.

*Message from the Governor-General:* Message No. 150, dated 3 May 1979, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.

The House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

*In the committee*

Clauses 1 to 3, by leave, taken together, and debated.

Mr Calder addressing the committee—

*Closure of Member moved:* Mr Innes moved—That the honourable Member be not further heard.

Question—put and negatived.

Mr Calder continued his speech.

Mr Bryant rising to address the committee—

*Closure:* Mr Hodges moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The committee divided (the Chairman, Mr Millar, in the Chair)—

## AYES, 59

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hyde	Mr Neil
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Jarman	Mr Nixon
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Bouchier	Mr Corbett*	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Bradfield	Mr Cotter	Mr Jull	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Dobie	Mr Katter	Mr Ruddock
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Drummond	Mr Killen	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bungey	Dr Edwards	Mr Lloyd	Mr Shipton
Mr Burns	Mr Falconer	Mr Lusher	Mr Short
Mr Burr	Mr Fife	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Simon
Mr Cadman	Mr Fisher	Mr McLean	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cairns	Mr Gillard	Sir William McMahon	Mr Staley
Mr Calder	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	Mr Viner
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee	Mr Yates
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Howard	Mr Moore	

## NOES, 26

Mr Armitage	Mr Holding	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr Bowen	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Bryant	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis
Mr Dawkins	Mr James	Dr Klugman	Mr Young
Dr Everingham	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris	
Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes	

## \*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the clauses be agreed to—being accordingly put—

The committee divided (the Chairman, Mr Millar, in the Chair)—

## AYES, 56

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hodges*	Mr McVeigh
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Howard	Mr Macphee
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Hyde	Mr Neil
Mr Bouchier	Mr Corbett*	Mr Jarman	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Bradfield	Mr Cotter	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Porter
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Dobie	Mr Johnston	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Drummond	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock
Mr Burns	Dr Edwards	Mr Katter	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Burr	Mr Falconer	Mr Killen	Mr Short
Mr Cadman	Mr Fife	Mr Lloyd	Mr Simon
Mr Cairns	Mr Fisher	Mr Lusher	Mr Sinclair
Mr Calder	Mr Gillard	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Staley
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLean	Mr Viner
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Sir William McMahon	Mr Yates

## NOES, 28

Mr Armitage	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Morris
Dr Blewett	Mr Holding	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bowen	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis
Mr Bryant	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr West
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis
Dr Everingham	Mr James	Dr Klugman	Mr Young

## \*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.



Clause 4 debated and agreed to.

Clauses 5 to 7, by leave, taken together, and debated.

Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House) moved—That the Chairman do report progress and ask leave to sit again.

Question—put.

The committee divided (the Deputy Chairman, Mr I. L. Robinson, in the Chair)—

AYES, 64

Mr Aldred	Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Macphee
Mr Anthony	Mr Carlton	Mr Howard	Mr Millar
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hyde	Mr Moore
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Jarman	Mr Neil
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Drummond	Mr Katter	Mr Sainsbury
Mr N. A. Brown	Dr Edwards	Mr Killen	Mr Shipton
Mr Bungey	Mr Falconer	Mr Lloyd	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Fife	Mr Lucock	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Fisher	Mr Lusher	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Gillard	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Staley
Mr Cairns	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLean	Mr Street
Mr Calder	Mr Groom	Sir William McMahon	Mr Viner
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates

NOES, 24

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Mr James	Mr Morris
Dr Blewett	Mr FitzPatrick	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes
Mr Bowen	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Wallis
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr West
Mr Bryant	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr Willis
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	Mr Young

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

The House resumed; Mr I. L. Robinson reported accordingly.

Ordered—That the House will, at a later hour this day, again resolve itself into the said committee.

29 SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS—INCOME TAX BILLS AND PIPELINE AUTHORITY AMENDMENT BILL—LIMITATION OF DEBATE: Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House) moved—

- (1) That standing order 48A be suspended for this sitting, and
- (2) That, in relation to the proceedings on the following Bills, so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the Leader of the House making one declaration of urgency and moving one motion for the allotment of time in respect of all the Bills:

Income Tax Assessment Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1979

Income Tax (Mining Withholding Tax) Bill 1979

Pipeline Authority Amendment Bill 1979

Mr Young addressing the House—

Closure: Mr Sinclair moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (the Speaker, Sir Billy Snedden, in the Chair)—

AYES, 66

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hyde	Mr Neil
Mr Anthony	Mr Chapman	Mr Jarman	Mr Nixon
Mr Baillieu	Mr Connolly	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Baume	Mr Corbett*	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Birney	Mr Cotter	Mr Jull	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bouchier	Mr Dobie	Mr Katter	Mr Ruddock
Mr Bradfield	Mr Drummond	Mr Killen	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Lloyd	Mr Shipton
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Falconer	Mr Lucock	Mr Short
Mr Bungey	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Simon
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Sinclair
Mr Burr	Mr Gillard	Mr McLean	Mr Staley
Mr Cadman	Mr Goodluck	Sir William McMahon	Mr Street
Mr Cairns	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Viner
Mr Calder	Mr Haslem	Mr Macphee	Mr Yates
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Millar	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Howard	Mr Moore	

NOES, 26

Mr Armitage	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Scholes
Dr Blewett	Mr Fry	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Wallis
Mr Bowen	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr West
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Willis
Mr Bryant	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr Young
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	
Dr Everingham	Mr James	Mr Morris	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the motion be agreed to—being accordingly put—

The House divided (the Speaker, Sir Billy Snedden, in the Chair)—

AYES, 66

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hyde	Mr Neil
Mr Anthony	Mr Chapman	Mr Jarman	Mr Nixon
Mr Baillieu	Mr Connolly	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Baume	Mr Corbett*	Mr Johnston	Mr Porter
Mr Birney	Mr Cotter	Mr Jull	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bouchier	Mr Dobie	Mr Katter	Mr Ruddock
Mr Bradfield	Mr Drummond	Mr Killen	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Lloyd	Mr Shipton
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Falconer	Mr Lucock	Mr Short
Mr Bungey	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Simon
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Sinclair
Mr Burr	Mr Gillard	Mr McLean	Mr Staley
Mr Cadman	Mr Goodluck	Sir William McMahon	Mr Street
Mr Cairns	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Viner
Mr Calder	Mr Haslem	Mr Macphee	Mr Yates
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Millar	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Howard	Mr Moore	

NOES, 26

Mr Armitage	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Scholes
Dr Blewett	Mr Fry	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Wallis
Mr Bowen	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr West
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Willis
Mr Bryant	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr Young
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	
Dr Everingham	Mr James	Mr Morris	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative by an absolute majority.

30 DECLARATION OF INCOME TAX BILLS AND PIPELINE AUTHORITY AMENDMENT BILL AS URGENT BILLS—LIMITATION OF DEBATE: Mr Sinclair (Leader of the House) declared

that the Income Tax Assessment Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1979, the Income Tax (Mining Withholding Tax) Bill 1979 and the Pipeline Authority Amendment Bill 1979 were urgent Bills.

Question—That the Bills be considered urgent Bills—put.

The House divided (the Speaker, Sir Billy Snedden, in the Chair)—

AYES, 65

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Hyde	Mr Neil
Mr Anthony	Mr Chapman	Mr Jarman	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Baillieu	Mr Connolly	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Porter
Mr Baume	Mr Corbett*	Mr Johnston	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Birney	Mr Cotter	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock
Mr Bouchier	Mr Dobie	Mr Katter	Mr Sainsbury
Mr Bradfield	Mr Drummond	Mr Killen	Mr Shipton
Mr Braithwaite	Dr Edwards	Mr Lloyd	Mr Short
Mr N. A. Brown	Mr Falconer	Mr Lucock	Mr Simon
Mr Bungey	Mr Fife	Mr Lusher	Mr Sinclair
Mr Burns	Mr Fisher	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Staley
Mr Burr	Mr Gillard	Mr McLean	Mr Street
Mr Cadman	Mr Goodluck	Sir William McMahon	Mr Viner
Mr Cairns	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Yates
Mr Calder	Mr Haslem	Mr Macphee	
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Millar	
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Howard	Mr Moore	

NOES, 26

Mr Armitage	Mr FitzPatrick	Dr Jenkins	Mr Scholes
Dr Blewett	Mr Fry	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Wallis
Mr Bowen	Mr Howe	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr West
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr Humphreys	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Willis
Mr Bryant	Mr Innes	Mr Keating	Mr Young
Mr Dawkins	Mr Jacobi	Mr Kerin	
Dr Everingham	Mr James	Mr Morris	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

*Allotment of time:* Mr Sinclair then moved—That the time allotted in connection with the Bills be as follows:

- (1) Income Tax Assessment Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1979—For the remaining stages, until 10 p.m. this day.
- (2) Income Tax (Mining Withholding Tax) Bill 1979—For all stages, until 10.15 p.m. this day.
- (3) Pipeline Authority Amendment Bill 1979—For all stages, until 11 p.m. this day.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

- 31 INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT BILL (No. 2) 1979: The House, according to order, again resolved itself into a committee of the whole for the further consideration of the Bill.

*In the committee*

Clauses 5 to 7 further debated.

*Limitation of debate:* At 10 p.m., the Chairman having called the attention of the committee to the fact that the time allotted for the remaining stages of the Bill had expired—

Clauses agreed to.

Further question—That the remainder of the Bill be agreed to and that the Bill be reported without amendment—put and passed.

The House resumed; Mr Millar reported accordingly.

Question—That the report be adopted and the Bill be now read a third time—put and passed—Bill read a third time.

32 INCOME TAX (MINING WITHHOLDING TAX) BILL 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—

Question—put and passed—Bill read a second time.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

Mr Macphee (Minister for Productivity) moved—That the Bill be now read a third time.

Debate ensued.

*Limitation of debate:* At 10.15 p.m., Mr Deputy Speaker having called the attention of the House to the fact that the time allotted for all stages of the Bill had expired—

Question—That the Bill be now read a third time—put and passed—Bill read a third time.

33 PIPELINE AUTHORITY AMENDMENT BILL 1979: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed.

Mr West moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “That the Bill be withdrawn and re-drafted to provide that the Pipeline Authority may construct pipelines without the express approval of both Houses of Parliament”.

Debate continued.

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

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

AYES, 63

Mr Aldred	Mr Carlton	Mr Howard	Mr Moore
Mr Baillieu	Mr Chapman	Mr Hyde	Mr Neil
Mr Baume	Mr Connolly	Mr Jarman	Mr O'Keefe
Mr Birney	Mr Corbett*	Mr P. F. Johnson	Mr Porter
Mr Bouchier	Mr Cotter	Mr Johnston	Mr I. L. Robinson
Mr Bradfield	Mr Dobie	Mr Jull	Mr Ruddock
Mr Braithwaite	Mr Drummond	Mr Katter	Mr Sainsbury
Mr N. A. Brown	Dr Edwards	Mr Killen	Mr Shipton
Mr Bungey	Mr Falconer	Mr Lloyd	Mr Short
Mr Burns	Mr Fife	Mr Lucock	Mr Simon
Mr Burr	Mr Fisher	Mr Lusher	Mr Sinclair
Mr Cadman	Mr Gillard	Mr MacKenzie	Mr Staley
Mr Cairns	Mr Goodluck	Mr McLean	Mr Street
Mr Calder	Mr Groom	Mr McVeigh	Mr Viner
Mr D. M. Cameron	Mr Haslem	Mr Macphee	Mr Yates
Mr E. C. Cameron	Mr Hodges*	Mr Millar	

NOES, 21

Mr Armitage	Dr Everingham	Mr Keating	Mr West
Dr Blewett	Mr Howe	Mr Kerin	Mr Willis
Mr Bowen	Mr Humphreys	Mr Morris	Mr Young
Mr J. J. Brown	Mr L. K. Johnson*	Mr Scholes	
Mr Byrant	Mr L. R. Johnson*	Mr Uren	
Mr Dawkins	Mr C. K. Jones	Mr Wallis	

\*Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

*Limitation of debate:* The time allotted for all stages of the Bill having expired—

Question—That the second reading and the remaining stages of the Bill be agreed to—put and passed—Bill read a third time.

34 ADJOURNMENT: Mr Viner (Minister for Employment and Youth Affairs) moved—That the House do now adjourn.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at 11.08 p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, 22 May next, at 2.15 p.m., unless Mr Speaker shall, by telegram or letter addressed to each Member of the House, fix an alternative day or hour of meeting.

MEMBERS PRESENT: All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr Adermann, Mr C. R. Cameron, Mr Dean, Mr Ellicott, Mr Fraser, Mr Garland, Mr Hunt, Mr B. O. Jones\*, Mr MacKellar, Mr Martin, Mr Newman, Mr Shack and Mr Thomson.

\* On leave

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J. A. PETTIFER,  
Clerk of the House of Representatives