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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 63

MONDAY, 31 OCTOBER 2005

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- 1 The House met, at 12.30 p.m., pursuant to adjournment. The Speaker (the Honourable David Hawker) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
 - 2 **AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION—REPORT—STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS**

The Speaker presented the following document:
Australian Parliamentary Delegation to China and Mongolia, 7-19 April 2005—Report, 2005—
and made a statement in connection with the report.
Mr Slipper also made a statement in connection with the report.
 - 3 **FOREIGN AFFAIRS, DEFENCE AND TRADE—JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT**

Mr Scott presented the following document:
Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade—Joint Standing Committee—Australia's defence relations with the United States—Report of the delegation to the United States, 28 June to 13 July 2005, October 2005.
Ordered to be made a Parliamentary Paper.
Statements in connection with the report were made.
The time allotted for making statements on the report having expired—
Mr Scott moved—That the House take note of the report.
In accordance with standing order 39, the debate was adjourned, and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
 - 4 **TELEMARKETING (PROTECTION OF PRIVACY RIGHTS OF RESIDENTIAL TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS) BILL 2005**

Ms A. E. Burke, pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to protect residential telephone subscribers' right to avoid receiving telephone solicitations to which they object, and for related purposes.
Ms A. E. Burke made a statement in relation to the bill.
Bill read a first time.
Ordered—That the second reading be made an order of the day for the next sitting, in accordance with standing order 41.
 - 5 **CHARTER OF BUDGET HONESTY AMENDMENT BILL 2005**

Mr Tanner, pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Charter of Budget Honesty Act 1998*, and for related purposes.
Mr Tanner made a statement in relation to the bill.
Bill read a first time.
Ordered—That the second reading be made an order of the day for the next sitting, in accordance with standing order 41.

6 LAOS AND UNEXPLODED ORDNANCE

Mr Slipper, by leave, for Mr Lindsay, pursuant to notice, moved—That this House:

- (1) acknowledges that the Lao PDR suffered the heaviest bombing that the world has ever known and remains today the most heavily contaminated country in the world;
- (2) views with concern that 30 years after the Indo-China war the effects of unexploded ordnance (UXO) are still a serious problem, two thirds of Laos is affected with ten out of eighteen provinces remaining severely contaminated;
- (3) is alarmed that there has been a substantial increase in civilian UXO casualties, particularly children, because population growth is increasing pressure to farm more land;
- (4) notes that while the world community is well aware of landmines, there is little international understanding of the problems of UXO; and
- (5) urges the Australian Government to continue to increase financial support for clearance efforts.

Debate ensued.

Mr Laming, by leave, again addressed the House.

At 1.45 p.m., the time allotted for the debate having expired, the debate was interrupted in accordance with standing order 43, Mr Laming was granted leave to continue his speech when the debate is resumed, and the resumption of the debate was made an order of the day for the next sitting.

7 MEMBERS' STATEMENTS

Members' statements were made.

8 DEATH OF FORMER MEMBER (DR W. R. LAWRENCE)

The Speaker informed the House of the death of Dr William Robert Lawrence, a Member of this House for the Division of Wimmera from 1949 to 1958.

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

9 BOMBINGS IN INDIA—STATEMENT

Mr Howard (Prime Minister), on indulgence, referred to recent terrorist bombings in New Delhi, India and expressed condolence.

10 QUESTIONS

Questions without notice being asked—

Documents

Mr Crean, by leave, presented the following documents:

Regional Partnerships funding—Newman Town Centre Revitalisation 2005 project—Letters to Allen Cooper, Chief Executive Officer, Shire of East Pilbara from—

Graham Purdy, Executive Officer, Regional Programmes, WA Regional Office, 16 September 2004.

Regional Manager, WA Regional Office, Department of Transport and Regional Services, 6 September 2004.

Questions without notice continued.

11 MOTION OF CLEMENCY—MR NGUYEN TUONG VAN

Mr Beazley (Leader of the Opposition), by leave, moved—

- (1) That the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia calls upon the Government of the Republic of Singapore to spare the life of Mr Nguyen Tuong Van, an Australian citizen who has been convicted of a capital offence in the Republic of Singapore.
- (2) That this Parliament's request to the Government of the Republic of Singapore is mindful of the following:
 - (a) the provisions of the Singapore Constitution which provide for acts of mercy in such cases;
 - (b) the fact that Mr Nguyen has cooperated fully with the Singapore authorities and the Australian Federal Police authorities concerning all relevant matters relating to his conviction; and

- (c) certain mitigating personal circumstances surrounding Mr Nguyen.
- (3) This Parliament requests the Speaker of the House of Representatives to convey this motion to the Speaker of the Parliament of the Republic of Singapore and the Prime Minister to convey this motion to the Government of the Republic of Singapore.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed—Mr Tuckey dissenting.

12 PETITIONS

Petitions lodged for presentation were announced.

13 HOMELESSNESS

Mr B. P. O'Connor, pursuant to notice, moved—That this House:

- (1) notes:
 - (a) that in the last census, there were an estimated 100,000 homeless people in Australia; and
 - (b) the high social costs of homelessness;
- (2) recognises that:
 - (a) the reasons behind homelessness are complex and varied but that governments do have a role to play in ameliorating homelessness; and
 - (b) the joint Commonwealth/State funded Supported Accommodation Assistance Program (SAAP) is an example of a vital service provided to the homeless and to those at risk of homelessness; and
- (3) calls on the Federal Government to:
 - (a) promote awareness of the issue of homelessness among the public;
 - (b) develop strategies aimed at preventing homelessness;
 - (c) work co-operatively with other levels of government to reduce homelessness;
 - (d) increase funding for crisis accommodation and support; and
 - (e) set realistic targets for the reduction of homelessness.

Debate ensued.

The time allotted for the debate having expired, the debate was interrupted, and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

14 EDUCATION OF REGIONAL AUSTRALIANS

Mr Wakelin, pursuant to notice, moved—That this House:

- (1) recognises that the Australian Government has made significant progress for regional Australians in further education;
- (2) notes that:
 - (a) the first principle should be that all Australians are entitled to reasonable access to education including tertiary education;
 - (b) regional Australians should not be disadvantaged by the additional costs of access to education to be competent in the workforce;
 - (c) there are significant additional costs for rural people in obtaining access to further education institutions only available in the capital cities or major urban centres; and
 - (d) the educational outcomes of regional Australians demonstrate a significantly lower proportion with university degrees and completed post-graduate studies when compared to the national outcomes; and
- (3) calls on the Australian Government:
 - (a) to recognise that about 65% of Australia's export income is derived from the regional areas of Australia;
 - (b) to recognise that the continual development of all skills will assist to maintain and expand this key economic sector;

- (c) to recognise that the cost of achieving greater educational equity is minimal when compared to the results possible; and
- (d) to further analyse equity in the education of regional Australians to achieve fairer outcomes for all Australians.

Debate ensued.

The time allotted for private Members' business having expired, the debate was interrupted, the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting, and Mr Adams was granted leave to continue his speech when the debate is resumed.

15 GRIEVANCE DEBATE

Pursuant to the provisions of standing order 44, the order of the day having been read—

Question proposed—That grievances be noted.

Debate ensued.

Document

Jackie Kelly, by leave, presented the following document:

Copy of billboard advertisement—Foster's lager.

Question—That grievances be noted—put and passed.

16 PRIVILEGE—COMPLAINT OF BREACH

Mr Schultz raised, as a matter of privilege, alleged interference in his role as a Member of Parliament in relation to interference with his telephone answering service.

Document

Mr Schultz, by leave, presented the following document:

Foul message on MP's phone—Copy of article by Nadia Jamal, *Sydney Morning Herald*, 29 October 2005.

The Deputy Speaker stated that he would draw the matter to the attention of the Speaker who would consider the matter and report back as appropriate at a later time.

17 MESSAGE FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR—ASSENT TO BILLS

Message No. 116, 19 October 2005, from His Excellency the Administrator was announced informing the House that His Excellency, in the name of Her Majesty, had assented to the following bills:

Asbestos-related Claims (Management of Commonwealth Liabilities) 2005.

Asbestos-related Claims (Management of Commonwealth Liabilities) (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) 2005.

Australian Technical Colleges (Flexibility in Achieving Australia's Skills Needs) 2005.

Medical Indemnity (Competitive Advantage Payment) 2005.

Medical Indemnity Legislation Amendment (Competitive Neutrality) 2005.

18 NATIONAL HEALTH AMENDMENT (BUDGET MEASURES—PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFITS SAFETY NET) BILL 2005

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 Ms Gillard, viz.*—That all words after "That" be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: "whilst not declining to give the bill a second reading, the House condemns the Government for:

- (1) failing to invest in the long term sustainability of the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme;
- (2) failing to tell the Australian public at the last election that additional changes to the PBS safety net and patient co-payment were planned in addition to the 21% increase in co-payments and safety nets introduced last January;
- (3) continuing to implement changes to the PBS despite the fact that PBS growth rates have already slowed substantially and despite the fact that these changes will hit the poorest and sickest Australians;

- (4) failing to ensure that the 20 day restriction rule contains sufficient exemptions to cover situations that will arise regularly to require people to get their prescriptions filled inside that timeframe; and
- (5) providing further opportunities for the Minister for Health and Ageing to intervene to limit the availability of medicines on the PBS”—

Debate resumed.

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

A division having been called for, in accordance with standing order 133 the division was deferred until 8 p.m.

Debate adjourned, and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for a later hour this day.

19 COMMONWEALTH RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT BILL 2005

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 by Ms Macklin (Deputy Leader of the Opposition) who moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “whilst not declining to give the bill a second reading, the House condemns the Government for:

- (1) its extreme, arrogant and unnecessary approach to the nuclear waste dump;
- (2) misleading Australians about the necessity of the bill despite believing that the Government already has the power under existing laws to site and establish a waste dump;
- (3) breaking its promise not to locate a waste dump in the Northern Territory;
- (4) overriding many federal legal protections including the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*, the *Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Heritage Protection Act 1984*, the *Native Title Act 1993*, and the *Lands Acquisition Act 1989*;
- (5) destroying existing or possible rights of indigenous people to the proposed waste dump sites in the Northern Territory;
- (6) trampling over Northern Territorians and other communities by overriding any existing or future State or Territory law or regulation that prohibits, or interferes with the selection of Commonwealth land as a site, the establishment of a waste dump, and the transportation of waste across the highways and by-ways of Australia;
- (7) refusing to hear the concerns of Northern Territorians and imposing nuclear waste on local communities without consultation or building trust and inclusiveness;
- (8) misleading Australians by falsely claiming that unless the waste dump site is selected urgently, medical isotope production will cease;
- (9) destroying any recourse to procedural fairness provisions for anyone wishing to challenge the Minister’s decision to put a waste dump in the Northern Territory; and
- (10) disregarding the International Atomic Energy Commission’s recommendations on good social practices like consultation and transparency in relation to nuclear waste”.

Debate continued.

Debate adjourned, and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for a later hour this day.

20 NATIONAL HEALTH AMENDMENT (BUDGET MEASURES—PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFITS SAFETY NET) BILL 2005—DEFERRED DIVISION

The following question, on which a division had been called for and deferred in accordance with standing order 133, was put, viz.:

Question—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question—put (*see item No. 18, page 694*).

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

AYES, 80

Mr Abbott	Mr Dutton	Jackie Kelly	Mr Ruddock
Mr Anderson	Mrs Elson	Mr Laming	Mr Schultz
Mr Andrews	Mr Entsch	Mrs Ley	Mr Scott
Fran Bailey	Mr Fawcett	Mr Lloyd	Mr Secker
Mr Baird	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr McArthur*	Mr Slipper
Mr Baker	Mr Forrest*	Mr Macfarlane	Mr A. D. H. Smith
Mr Baldwin	Ms Gambaro	Mr McGauran	Mr Somlyay
Mr Barresi	Mrs Gash	Mrs Markus	Dr Stone
Mr Bartlett	Mr Georgiou	Mrs May	Mr C. P. Thompson
Mr Billson	Mr Haase	Mrs Moylan	Mr Ticehurst
Mrs B. K. Bishop	Mr Hardgrave	Mr Nairn	Mr Tollner
Ms J. Bishop	Mr Hartsuyker	Dr Nelson	Mr Truss
Mr Broadbent	Mr Hockey	Mr Neville	Mr Tuckey
Mr Brough	Mrs Hull	Ms Panopoulos	Mr Turnbull
Mr Cadman	Mr Hunt	Mr Pearce	Mr M. A. J. Vaile
Mr Causley	Dr Jensen	Mr Prosser	Mrs D. S. Vale
Mr Ciobo	Mr Johnson	Mr Pyne	Mr Vasta
Mr Cobb	Mr Katter	Mr Randall	Mr Wakelin
Mr Costello	Mr Keenan	Mr Richardson	Dr Washer
Mrs Draper	Mrs D. M. Kelly	Mr Robb	Mr Wood

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Mr Adams	Ms A. L. Ellis	Mr Hatton	Mr G. M. O'Connor
Mr Albanese	Ms K. M. Ellis	Mr Hayes	Ms Owens
Mr Beazley	Mr Emerson	Ms Hoare	Ms Plibersek
Mr Bevis	Mr L. D. T. Ferguson	Mrs Irwin	Mr Price
Ms Bird	Mr M. J. Ferguson	Mr Jenkins	Mr Quick
Mr Bowen	Mr Fitzgibbon	Mr Kerr	Mr Ripoll
Ms A. E. Burke	Mr Garrett	Ms C. King	Ms Roxon
Mr A. S. Burke	Mr Georganas	Dr Lawrence	Mr Rudd
Mr Byrne	Ms George	Ms Livermore	Mr S. F. Smith
Ms Corcoran	Mr Gibbons	Mr McClelland	Mr Snowdon
Mr Crean	Ms Gillard	Ms Macklin	Mr Swan
Mr Danby*	Ms Grierson	Mr Melham	Mr Tanner
Mr Edwards	Mr Griffin	Mr Murphy	Mr K. J. Thomson
Mrs Elliot	Ms Hall*	Mr B. P. O'Connor	Ms Vamvakinou

* 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 Wilkie, in the Chair)—

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Mr Abbott	Mr Dutton	Jackie Kelly	Mr Ruddock
Mr Anderson	Mrs Elson	Mr Laming	Mr Schultz
Mr Andrews	Mr Entsch	Mrs Ley	Mr Scott
Fran Bailey	Mr Fawcett	Mr Lloyd	Mr Secker
Mr Baird	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr McArthur*	Mr Slipper
Mr Baker	Mr Forrest*	Mr Macfarlane	Mr A. D. H. Smith
Mr Baldwin	Ms Gambaro	Mr McGauran	Mr Somlyay
Mr Barresi	Mrs Gash	Mrs Markus	Dr Stone
Mr Bartlett	Mr Georgiou	Mrs May	Mr C. P. Thompson
Mr Billson	Mr Haase	Mrs Moylan	Mr Ticehurst
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Mr Broadbent	Mr Hockey	Mr Neville	Mr Tuckey
Mr Brough	Mrs Hull	Ms Panopoulos	Mr Turnbull
Mr Cadman	Mr Hunt	Mr Pearce	Mr M. A. J. Vaile
Mr Causley	Dr Jensen	Mr Prosser	Mrs D. S. Vale
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Mr Cobb	Mr Katter	Mr Randall	Mr Wakelin
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Mr A. S. Burke	Mr Georganas	Dr Lawrence	Mr Rudd
Mr Byrne	Ms George	Ms Livermore	Mr S. F. Smith
Ms Corcoran	Mr Gibbons	Mr McClelland	Mr Snowdon
Mr Crean	Ms Gillard	Ms Macklin	Mr Swan
Mr Danby*	Ms Grierson	Mr Melham	Mr Tanner
Mr Edwards	Mr Griffin	Mr Murphy	Mr K. J. Thomson
Mrs Elliot	Ms Hall*	Mr B. P. O'Connor	Ms Vamvakinou

* Tellers

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

Consideration in detail

Bill, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

Consideration in detail concluded.

On the motion of Mr Pyne (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health and Ageing), by leave, the bill was read a third time.

21 COMMONWEALTH RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT BILL 2005

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 Ms Macklin (Deputy Leader of the Opposition) (see item No. 19, page 265)—*

Debate resumed.

Document

Mr Snowdon, by leave, presented the following document:

Radioactive waste facility—Copy of letter from William Brown Jampijinpa, Central Land Council, to Mr Snowdon, Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Northern Australia and Indigenous Affairs, 27 October 2005.

Debate having been resumed by Mr Snowdon—

22 ADJOURNMENT

It being 9 p.m.—The question was proposed—That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

The House continuing to sit until 9.30 p.m.—The Speaker adjourned the House until 2 p.m. tomorrow.

DOCUMENTS

The following documents were deemed to have been presented on 31 October 2005:

A New Tax System (Commonwealth-State Financial Arrangements) Act—Determinations—2005—Final per capita relativities for 2004-05, 25 May [F2005L03287].

Guaranteed minimum amounts for 2004-05, 20 June [F2005L03286].

A New Tax System (Family Assistance) (Administration) Act—Determination—2005 Child Care Benefit (Eligibility of child care services for approval and continued approval) Amendment (No. 1) [F2005L03086].

ACIS Administration Act—Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 241 [F2005L03210].

Aged Care Act—Principles under subsection 96-1 (1)—2005 Residential care subsidy amendment (No. 4) [F2005L03159].

Asbestos-related Claims (Management of Commonwealth Liabilities) (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) Act—Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 232 [F2005L03189].

AusLink (National Land Transport) Act—

Determination under subsection 5(1), Part 2—2005 National Land Transport Network (No. 1) [F2005L03285].

Variation under subsection 88(3)—AusLink Roads to Recovery List [F2005L02972].

Australian Communications and Media Authority Act—Determination—2005 Radiocommunications (Charges) Amendment (No. 2) [F2005L03126].

Australian Communications and Media Authority Act and Radiocommunications Act—Determination—2005 Radiocommunications (Interpretation) Amendment (No. 2) [F2005L03125].

Australian National University Act—Statute—2005 University House Rules (No. 2) [F2005L03253].

Civil Aviation Act—

Civil Aviation Regulations—

Exemptions—2005 Nos CASA EX49, CASA EX50 [F2005L03088], [F2005L03089].

Instruments—2005 Nos CASA 379, CASA 380 [F2005L03150], [F2005L03152].

Civil Aviation Safety Regulations—Airworthiness Directives—

Part 39-105—2005—

4 October [F2005L03149].

6 October [F2005L03146].

12 (9) October [F2005L03084], [F2005L03166], [F2005L03167], [F2005L03170], [F2005L03176], [F2005L03177], [F2005L03178], [F2005L03179], [F2005L03180].

13 (10) October [F2005L03165], [F2005L03168], [F2005L03169], [F2005L03171], [F2005L03172], [F2005L03174], [F2005L03175], [F2005L03181], [F2005L03183], [F2005L03184].

14 October [F2005L03182].

19 October [F2005L03194].

Part 39-106—2005—

4 October [F2005L03147].

6 October [F2005L03140].

- 7 (2) October [F2005L03141], [F2005L03142].
 12 October [F2005L03083].
 26 (2) October, [F2005L03307], [F2005L03308].
 Regulations—Select Legislative Instruments—2005—Nos 242, 243 [F2005L03219], [F2005L03249].
 Corporations Act—Notice under section 791C—2005 Corporations (Foreign exchange markets) exemption amendment (No. 2) [F2005L03191].
 Customs Act—
 CEO Determination—2005 Specified Percentage of Total Factory Costs No. 1 [F2005L03229].
 Notice under subsection 16A(1)—2005 Customs Tariff (Safeguard goods) (No. 1) [F2005L03203]
 Orders—Tariff Concession—2005—
 30 September [F2005L03065].
 7 (49) October [F2005L03111], [F2005L03112], [F2005L03113], [F2005L03115], [F2005L03117], [F2005L03119], [F2005L03120], [F2005L03122], [F2005L03123], [F2005L03129], [F2005L03130], [F2005L03131], [F2005L03132], [F2005L03133], [F2005L03134], [F2005L03135], [F2005L03136], [F2005L03137], [F2005L03139], [F2005L03154], [F2005L03156], [F2005L03157], [F2005L03158], [F2005L03160], [F2005L03161], [F2005L03162], [F2005L03163], [F2005L03164], [F2005L03197], [F2005L03198], [F2005L03199], [F2005L03201], [F2005L03202], [F2005L03204], [F2005L03205], [F2005L03206], [F2005L03207], [F2005L03208], [F2005L03230], [F2005L03231], [F2005L03232], [F2005L03233], [F2005L03234], [F2005L03236], [F2005L03237], [F2005L03238], [F2005L03239], [F2005L03241], [F2005L03284].
 10 (2) October [F2005L03102], [F2005L03155].
 14 (15) October [F2005L03259], [F2005L03260], [F2005L03262], [F2005L03263], [F2005L03264], [F2005L03265], [F2005L03266], [F2005L03273] [F2005L03275], [F2005L03276], [F2005L03277], [F2005L03278], [F2005L03279], [F2005L03280], [F2005L03281].
 21 (10) October [F2005L03291], [F2005L03292], [F2005L03294], [F2005L03296], [F2005L03298], [F2005L03300], [F2005L03302], [F2005L03304] [F2005L03305], [F2005L03306].
 24 October [F2005L03293].
 Dairy Produce Act—Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 231 [F2005L03090].
 Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act—
 Instrument under section 269A—13 October 2005 [F2005L03256].
 Instrument under subsection 303DC(1)—11 October 2005 [F2005L03312].
 Instrument under subsection 303EC(1)(a)—13 October 2005 [F2005L03228].
 Financial Management and Accountability Act—
 Directions under section 32—2005-2006 Nos 7, 8, 9 [F2005L03251], [F2005L03252], [F2005L03270].
 Net Appropriation Agreements under section 31—2005 26 (2), 27 (2) September [F2005L03103], [F2005L03105], [F2005L03107], [F2005L03114].
 Net Appropriation Agreement variations under subsection 31 (4)—2005—
 30 September [F2005L03108].
 4 October [F2005L03109].
 Fisheries Management Act—
 Management Plans—2005—
 Eastern Tuna and Billfish Fishery [F2005L03186].
 Western Tuna and Billfish Fishery [F2005L03187].
 Southern and Eastern Scafish and Shark Fishery Management Plan 2003—Amendment—2005 (No. 1) [F2005L03250].
 Health Insurance Act—
 Declaration—2005 QAA No. 2 [F2005L03185].
 Determinations—2005—
 Health Insurance (Amendment) HS/04 [F2005L03309].
 Health Insurance (Pathologist-determinable services) (No. 2) [F2005L03151].
 Health Insurance (Vertebroplasty) HS/05 [F2005L03269].
 Regulations—Select Legislative Instruments—2005 Nos 236, 237, 238, 244 [F2005L03104], [F2005L03124], [F2005L03110], [F2005L03128].
 Medicare Australia Act—

- Direction—2005 Medicare Australia (Functions of Chief Executive Officer) Amendment (No. 1) [F2005L03254].
- Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 220 [F2005L03040].
- Migration Act—
- Migration Agents Regulations—Notices—2005—
- Migration Agents (Continuing professional development—Attendance at a seminar, workshop, conference or lecture) [F2005L03193].
- Migration Agents (Continuing professional development—Miscellaneous activities) [F2005L03195].
- Migration (Liberia—United Nations Security Council Resolutions) Regulations—Notice—2005 Specification of persons [F2005L03144].
- Migration Regulations—
- Instrument—2005 Transit passengers who are eligible for a special purpose visa [F2005L03268].
- Notices—2005—
- Specification of assessment levels for kinds of eligible passports in relation to subclasses of student visa [F2005L03212].
- Specification of post office box address and address for courier delivery [F2005L03224].
- Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 240 [F2005L03190].
- National Health Act—
- Deletion from Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme—Calcium Tablets—Advice to Minister. July 2005.
- Determination under subsections 73AAG (6) and (7)—2005 No. HIB 18 [F2005L03200].
- Parliamentary Entitlements Act—
- Advice under paragraph 18(a)—14 October 2005.
- Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 235 [F2005L03257].
- Privacy Act—Determination under subparagraph 11B(1)(d)(ii)—2005 No. 1 [F2005L03258].
- Public Service Act—Prime Minister's Public Service Amendment Direction—2005 (No. 1) [F2005L03093].
- Radiocommunications Act—
- Class Licence—2005 Radiocommunications (Communication with AUSSAT C 156 E GOV Satellite Network) [F2005L03097].
- Determinations—2005—
- Radiocommunications (Qualified operators) [F2005L03116].
- Radiocommunications (Section 145(3) certificates) Amendment (No. 1) [F2005L03101].
- Radiocommunications Licence Conditions (Amateur licence) Amendment (No. 1) [F2005L03106].
- Principles—2005 Radiocommunications (Accreditation-Prescribed certificates) Amendment (No. 1) [F2005L03100].
- Remuneration Tribunal Act—Remuneration Tribunal—Determination—2005 No. 16 [F2005L03213].
- Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Act—Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 233 [F2005L03091].
- Schools Assistance (Learning Together-Achievement Through Choice and Opportunity) Act—Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 234 [F2005L03211].
- Sydney Airport Curfew Act—Notice—Specifying jet aircraft permitted to take-off or land during a curfew period, 4 October 2005 [F2005L03079].
- Taxation Administration Act—
- Determinations—2005—
- No. SCD 6.
- Nos TD 37, TD 38, TD 39, TD 40, TD 41, TD D40 (Erratum), TD D41 (Erratum), TD 42, TD 43, TD 44, TD 45, TD 46.
- Rulings—
- 1998—No. TR 22 (Addendum).
- 2003—Nos PR 5 (Addendum), PR 32 (Addendum), PR 33 (Addendum), PR 42 (Addendum), PR 50 (Addendum).
- 2004—Nos PR 40 (Addendum), PR 54 (Addendum), PR 71 (Addendum), PR 97 (Addendum), PR 98 (Addendum), PR 105 (Withdrawal).
- 2005—
- Nos CR 10 (Withdrawal), CR 81, CR 82, CR 83, CR 84, CR 85, CR 86, CR 87, CR 88, CR 89, CR 90.

Nos IT 2498 (Addendum), IT 2623 (Withdrawal).
Nos PR 28 (Addendum) PR 29 (Addendum), PR 109, PR 110.



ATTENDANCE

All Members attended (at some time during the sitting) except Mr Farmer, Mr Henry, Mr Jull*, Mr Lindsay, Mr Sawford, Mr Sercombe, Dr Southcott* and Mr Windsor.

* On leave



I. C. HARRIS
Clerk of the House of Representatives