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#### **BILLS LIST AS AT 5 FEBRUARY 1991**

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#### **TITLE AND CONSIDERATION OF BILL**

#### PM Abortion Funding Abolition Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Webster)

To amend the *Health Insurance Act 1973* to prevent payment of medicare benefits in respect of certain medical services relating to the procuring of an abortion, except in particular circumstances.

Reps: Intro. 6/12/90; Read a 1st time 6/12/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting Thursday

## PS Acts Interpretation (Ministerial Undertakings) Amendment Bill 1989 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Sanders)

To give the Senate a second opportunity to disallow delegated legislation where an undertaking to amend an instrument has not been honoured within a specified period of time.

Senate: Intro. 24/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 24/11/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

### Administrative Services Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To repeal and amend various Acts relating to matters dealt with by the Department of Administrative Services.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 22/8/90

Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 23/8/90; Passed 9/10/90

Committee amendment: 1 Opp/passed [Reps agreed to Senate amendment 11/10/90]

Assent: 23/10/90; Act No. 80 of 1990

#### Airlines Agreement (Termination) Bill 1990

To terminate the two airlines agreement and make the legislative changes necessary for the deregulation of the domestic aviation industry.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 31/5/90 Senate: Intro. 1/6/90; Passed 19/9/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Transport, Communications and Infrastructure 24/8/90; report tabled 13/9/90; again referred to Standing Committee on Transport, Communications and Infrastructure 13/9/90; taken to have been reported 18/9/90

Assent: 24/9/90; Act No. 73 of 1990

#### Appropriation Bill (No. 1) 1990-91

To appropriate a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending 30 June 1991.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 15/10/90 Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 29/11/90 Committee request: 1 Opp/negatived Assent: 6/12/90; Act No. 98 of 1990

#### Appropriation Bill (No. 2) 1990-91

To appropriate a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund in respect of the year ending 30 June 1991.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 16/10/90 Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 29/11/90 Assent: 6/12/90; **Act No. 99 of 1990** 

#### Appropriation Bill (No. 3) 1989-90

To appropriate an additional sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending 30 June 1990.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 14/5/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 15/5/90; Passed 25/5/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Assent: 30/5/90; Act No. 29 of 1990

#### Appropriation Bill (No. 4) 1989-90

To appropriate an additional sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund in respect of the year ending 30 June 1990.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 14/5/90 Senate: Intro. 15/5/90; Passed 25/5/90 Assent: 30/5/90; <u>Act No. 30 of 1990</u> Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill 1990-91

To appropriate certain funds out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure, in relation to the Parliamentary Departments, in respect of the year ending 30 June 1991.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 16/10/90 Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 29/11/90 Assent: 6/12/90; **Act No. 100 of 1990** 

Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No. 2) 1989-90

To appropriate certain funds out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure, in relation to the Parliamentary Departments, in respect of the year ending 30 June 1990.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 14/5/90 Senate: Intro. 15/5/90; Passed 22/5/90 Assent: 30/5/90; **Act No. 31 of 1990** 

Arts, Environment, Tourism and Territories Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing amendments to a number of Acts administered within the Arts, Sport, Environment, Tourism and Territories portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 20/9/90; Passed 10/10/90 Committee amendments: 6 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 17/10/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed Assent: 20/11/90; Act No. 88 of 1990

#### **AUSSAT Amendment Bill 1990**

To allow AUSSAT Pty Ltd to compete with Telecom and OTC and to remove from the AUSSAT Act 1984 impediments to the sale of AUSSAT.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 20/12/90 Committee amendments: 4 Opp/negatived

Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 12 of 1991

#### Australia Council Amendment Bill 1990

To make certain administrative changes to the structure of the Australia Council.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; Passed 7/11/90

Senate: Intro. 7/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 7/11/90

# PS Australian Bureau of Statistics (Parliamentary Supervision of Proposals) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Walters)

To provide for parliamentary supervision of the collection of information for statistical purposes.

Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 15/11/90

Reps: Intro. 4/12/90; Read a 1st time 4/12/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting day

#### Australian Capital Territory (Planning and Land Management) Amendment Bill 1990

To extend from one year to two years the period within which the National Capital Plan is to cover the A.C.T.

Reps: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 15/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 6/12/90 Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 104 of 1990

## PS Australian Centennial National Rail Transport Development Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Bell)

To establish a trust fund for the purpose of the grant of financial assistance for development and maintenance of a national standard gauge rail system.

Senate: Intro. 31/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 31/5/90

### Australian Centennial Roads Development Amendment Bill 1990

To broaden the scope of the land transport assistance program.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 19/12/90

Committee amendments: 6 Opp/negatived; 1 Dem/passed; 1

Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 8/1/91; Act No. 3 of 1991

#### Australian Citizenship Amendment Bill 1990

To remove an inequity based on gender in the Australian Citizenship Act 1948.

Reps: Intro. 12/11/90; Passed 15/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 6/12/90 Assent: 18/12/90; <u>Act No. 105 of 1990</u> Australian Heritage Commission Amendment Bill 1990

To change the Commission's operating procedures, to give the Commission the power to administer the National Estate Grants Program, to omit a subsection which discriminates against Aboriginal sites, to exempt certain bodies from the requirements of the Act and other administrative changes.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 12/11/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 21/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/negatived

Reference: Standing Committee on Environment, Recreation and the

Arts 29/11/90; report tabled 5/12/90 Committee amendments: 7 Opp/negatived

Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 17 of 1991

# PS Australian Heritage Commission (National Estate Protection) Amendment Bill R 1989 [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Dunn)

To allow for regulations to be made to control certain actions by corporations within the National Estate.

Senate: Intro. 22/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 22/11/89

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 21/5/90

#### Australian Horticultural Corporation Amendment Bill 1990

To establish the Australian Dried Fruits Board within the Australian Horticultural Corporation.

Reps: Intro. 4/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 4/12/90

#### Australian Maritime Safety Authority Bill 1990

To establish the Australian Maritime Safety Authority as a statutory body.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 22/8/90

Committee amendments: 6 Govt/passed

Senate: Intro. 11/9/90; Passed 10/10/90

Committee amendment: 1 Dem/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 11/10/90]

Assent: 22/10/90; Act No. 78 of 1990

Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation Act 1977 to facilitate the operation of the proposed Australian Meat and Live-stock (Quotas) Act 1990.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 17/12/90 Assent: 21/12/90; **Act No. 113 of 1990** 

#### Australian Meat and Live-stock (Quotas) Bill 1990

To provide the Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation with the power to implement and administer schemes to control the level of exports of Australian meat and live-stock in certain circumstances.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 12/11/90

Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived; 1 Opp/passed

Senate: Intro. 14/11/90; Passed 17/12/90

Committee amendments: 4 Opp/passed; 1 Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 117 of 1990

#### S Australian National Maritime Museum Bill 1989 [1990]

R To establish the Australian National Maritime Museum at Darling Harbour, NSW.

Senate: Intro. 2/5/89; Passed 19/9/90

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 9/5/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Environment, Recreation and the

Arts 24/8/90; report tabled 13/9/90

Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived; 3 Govt/passed

Reps: Intro. 9/10/90; Passed 6/11/90

Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived

Assent: 20/11/90; Act No. 90 of 1990

# PS Australian National Maritime Museum (Elimination of Age Discrimination) Amendment Bill 1990

(Senator Michael Baume)

To remove provisions of the Australian National Maritime Museum Act 1990 which prevent people 65 years or over from being members of the board or a director of the National Maritime Museum.

Senate: Intro. 10/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 10/12/90

#### Australian Securities Commission Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Australian Securities Commission Act 1989 and the National Companies and Securities Commission Act 1979 to allow ASC and NCSC members to hold dual appointments as full time members of both the ASC and the NCSC.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 31/5/90 Assent: 16/6/90; **Act No. 41 of 1990** 

#### Australian Sports Drug Agency Bill 1990

To establish the Australian Sports Drug Agency as a statutory authority.

Reps: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 5/12/90 Senate: Intro. 6/12/90; Passed 21/12/90

Committee amendments: 5 Opp/negatived

Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 18 of 1991

#### Beef Production Levy Bill 1990

To impose a levy on the production of beef.

Reps: Intro: 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90 Senate: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Committee request: 1 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate request for amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 140 of 1990

#### Bounty Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill providing amendments to various bounty acts.

Reps: Intro. 15/5/90; Passed 17/5/90 Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 30/5/90 Assent: 16/6/90; <u>Act No. 42 of 1990</u>

#### Bounty Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

To amend the Bounty (Computers) Act 1984 to continue the computer bounty scheme for a further five years and phase down the rate of bounty payable.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 16/10/90 Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 20/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; **Act No. 137 of 1990** 

#### Bounty (Textile Yarns) Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Bounty (Textile Yarns) Act 1981 to provide persons currently eligible for bounty under the Act with an alternative assistance scheme.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 14/5/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 28/5/90

Committee amendments: 3 Dem/passed [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 31/5/90]

Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 69 of 1990

#### **Broadcasting Amendment Bill 1990**

To enable the Australian Broadcasting Tribunal to use a range of remedies as an alternative to licence suspension or revocation where an adverse finding has been made against the suitability of a commercial radio or television licensee.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 1/6/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 11/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Reference: Standing Committee on Transport, Communications and Infrastructure 15/10/90; taken to have been reported 8/11/90

Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 102 of 1990

#### Broadcasting Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

To amend the *Broadcasting Act 1942* to change the administration of ownership and control and licensing provisions in the Act.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 1/6/90

Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 11/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Transport, Communications and Infrastructure 15/10/90; taken to have been reported 8/11/90

Committee amendments: 15 Cont/passed: 3 Opp/passetived: 5

Committee amendments: 15 Govt/passed; 3 Opp/negatived; 5

Dem/negatived; 1 Dem to Govt/negatived [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 8/1/91; Act No. 7 of 1991

## PS Broadcasting Amendment (Foreign Shareholdings) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Powell)

To amend the *Broadcasting Act 1942* in respect to foreign shareholdings. Senate: Intro. 22/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 22/5/90

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#### Broadcasting (Foreign Ownership) Amendment Bill 1990

To prevent schemes which allow foreign equity levels in radio and television in excess of the 20% aggregate limit.

Reps: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 7/11/90 Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed

Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 11/12/90 Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 103 of 1990

#### PS Broadcasting (Prohibition of Broadcasting of Tobacco Advertising) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Powell)

To amend the *Broadcasting Act 1942* to prohibit the incidental broadcasting of tobacco advertising.

Senate: Intro. 21/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 21/12/90

# PS Broadcasting (Prohibition of Violent Programs for Children) Bill 1988 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Vallentine)

To amend the *Broadcast Act 1942* to prohibit the Australian Broadcasting Corporation or a television broadcasting licensee from broadcasting a program that is designed for children and depicts acts of violence.

Senate: Intro. 7/12/88; 2nd reading adjourned 7/12/88 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 17/5/90

# Builders Labourers' Federation Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To extend the period during which the Australian Building Construction Employees' and Builders Labourers' Federation or any equivalent association is excluded from applying for registration under the *Industrial Relations Act 1988*.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90

Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 18/12/90

Committee amendments: 5 Dem/negatived

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 132 of 1990

### Carriage of Goods by Sea Bill 1990

To change existing marine cargo liability legislation to make it more similar to liability arrangements which exist for other modes of transport.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; 2nd reading adjourned 12/9/90

#### Cattle and Beef Levy Collection Bill 1990

To provide for the collection of levies and charges imposed under the *Beef Production Levy Act 1990*, the *Cattle Export Charge Act 1990* and the *Cattle Transaction Levy Act 1990*.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90 Senate: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 19/12/90

Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 1 Dem/passed; 4 Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 143 of 1990

#### Cattle Export Charge Bill 1990

To impose a charge on the export of cattle from Australia.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90 Senate: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Committee request: 1 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate request for amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 142 of 1990

# Cattle Industry Legislation (Consequential Provisions) Bill 1990

To allow payment of the moneys collected under the new levy and charge arrangements to the Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation, the Australian Meat and Live-stock Research and Development Corporation and the National Cattle Disease Eradication Trust Account.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90 Senate: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 19/12/90 Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed [Reps agreed to Senate amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 139 of 1990

### Cattle Transaction Levy Bill 1990

To impose a flat rate per head levy on the sale of cattle and the transfer of cattle from the production to the processing stage.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90 Senate: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Committee requests: 4 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate requests for amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 125 of 1990

# PS Child Care (National Children's Services Program) Amendment Bill 1989 R [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Dunn)

To establish a national public child care program.

Senate: Intro. 15/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 15/6/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 21/5/90

Child Support Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing various amendments to the Child Support (Registration and Collection) Act 1988, the Child Support (Assessment) Act 1989 and the Family Law Act 1975.

Reps: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 13/11/90 Senate: Intro. 14/11/90; Passed 19/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; <u>Act No. 138 of 1990</u>

#### S Civil Aviation Amendment Bill 1990

To implement administrative reforms to the Civil Aviation Authority.

Senate: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 10/5/90 Reps: Intro. 14/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Assent: 24/5/90; Act No. 25 of 1990

Commonwealth and State Housing Agreement (Service Personnel) Bill 1990

To give effect to the renegotiation with the states of existing agreements on the provision of housing for members of the Defence force.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Assent: 21/1/91; <u>Act No. 15 of 1991</u>

Commonwealth Banks Restructuring Bill 1990

To provide for the Commonwealth Bank's acquisition of the State Bank of Victoria, to convert the Commonwealth Bank into a public company and to set certain restrictions on the purchase of shares in the bank.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 Senate: Intro. 14/11/90; Passed 13/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

5/12/90, report tabled 10/12/90

Committee amendments: 9 Govt/passed; 3 Opp/negatived; 13

Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 118 of 1990

## PS Commonwealth Electoral Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Dunn)

To amend the Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 with respect to the method of electing members of the House of Representatives.

Senate: Intro. 14/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 14/5/90

# PS Commonwealth Electoral (Printing, Publishing and Distribution of Electoral Matters) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Macklin)

To amend the Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 with respect to the printing, publication and distribution of electoral matters.

Senate: Intro. 31/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 31/5/90

# S Commonwealth Employees' Rehabilitation and Compensation Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Commonwealth Employees' Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1988 so as to allow Comcare to consider the amount that former employees are able to earn in calculating their rate of benefits and to ensure that the Act applies to non-police staff of the Australian Federal Police appointed since 1 January 1990.

Senate: Intro. 17/5/90; Passed 31/5/90 Reps: Intro. 31/5/90; Passed 1/6/90 Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 68 of 1990

## Commonwealth Funds Management Limited Bill 1990

To provide for the conversion of the Superannuation Fund Investment Trust into a Commonwealth owned public company and to transfer the SFIT's Commonwealth Superannuation Fund function to a joint employer/employee board of trustees.

Reps: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 12/11/90 Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 14/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Committee amendment: 1 Dem/negatived Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 13 of 1991

Commonwealth Legal Aid Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Commonwealth Legal Aid Act 1977 to ensure Part IV of the Act applies to officers of the Australian Legal Aid Office who transfer to the proposed Northern Territory Legal Aid Commission.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 17/5/90; Passed 30/5/90 Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 43 of 1990

# Commonwealth Serum Laboratories (Conversion into Public Company) Bill 1990

To establish, in four stages, the Commonwealth Serum Laboratories (CSL) as a company registered under the *Companies Act 1981*.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 23/8/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 11/9/90; Passed 9/10/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Committee amendments: 1 Dem/negatived; 2 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 11/10/90]

Assent: 22/10/90; Act No. 77 of 1990

## Community Services and Health Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing a number of amendments to Acts administered within the Community Services and Health portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 20/9/90; Passed 10/10/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee amendments: 4 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 5/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed

Reference: Part 2 of the bill to Standing Committee on Community

Affairs 18/10/90; report tabled 12/11/90

Committee amendments: 8 Govt/withdrawn; 8 Govt/passed; 1

Opp/passed; 3 Opp/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 6/12/90]

Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 106 of 1990

# Community Services and Health Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

To give effect to measures relating to nursing homes and hostels announced in the 1990 Budget as well as implementing the Government's policy on residents' rights in nursing homes and aged persons hostels.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90

Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed; 38 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 26/11/90; Passed 17/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Community Affairs 28/11/90; Part 3

only of the bill referred 5/12/90; report tabled 10/12/90 Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 52 Opp/negatived; 10

Dem/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 141 of 1990

## Companies (Insolvency Assistance) Amendment Bill 1990

To facilitate the use of schemes of arrangement in complex corporate structures.

Reps: Intro. 5/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 5/12/90

# PM Constitution Alteration (Alterations of the Constitution on the Initiative of the Electors) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Mack)

To provide for the alteration of the Constitution on the initiative of electors. Reps: Intro. 11/10/90; 2nd reading adjourned 18/10/90

# PS Constitution Alteration (Appropriations for the Ordinary Annual Services of the Government) Bill 1987 [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Macklin)

To alter the Constitution to ensure that if the Senate fails to pass a proposed law appropriation revenue or moneys for the ordinary annual services of the Government in respect of that year, an amount of money is appropriated for those services equal to the amount appropriated for those services in the preceding year.

Senate: Intro. 23/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 23/9/87 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

## PS Constitution Alteration (Electors' Initiative) Bill 1989 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Macklin)

To provide a method of altering the Constitution on the initiative of the electors.

Senate: Intro. 12/4/89; 2nd reading adjourned 12/4/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# PS Constitution Alteration (Fixed Term Parliaments) Bill 1987 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Macklin)

To alter the Constitution in relation to the duration of the House of Representatives, the terms of service of Senators, the holding of elections for the Senate and House of Representatives, and the office of Prime Minister.

Senate: Intro. 23/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 23/9/87 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# PM Constitution Alteration (Making of Laws on the Initiative of the Electors) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Mack)

To alter the Constitution to provide methods of making laws on the initiative of electors.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Read a 1st time 8/11/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting Thursday

### PS Constitution Alteration (Parliament) Bill 1987 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Macklin)

To alter the Constitution so that the number of Senators need not necessarily be increased when there is an increase in the number of members of the House of Representatives.

Senate: Intro. 23/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 23/9/87 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

#### Copyright Amendment Bill 1990

To remove certain restrictions on the importation of books. Reps: Intro. 17/10/90; 2nd reading adjourned 17/10/90

#### Corporations Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Corporations Act 1989 and related legislation.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 13/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs

11/12/90; report tabled 13/12/90 Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 110 of 1990

## PM Crimes (Bribery and Corruption) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Peacock)

To amend the Crimes Act 1914 in relation to bribery and corruption offences. Reps: Intro. 6/12/90; Read a 1st time 6/12/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting Thursday

# Crimes (Investigation of Commonwealth Offences) Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Crimes Act 1914 to provide for the introduction of a pre-charge custodial period.

Reps: Intro. 15/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 15/11/90

## Crimes Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill amending various Acts concerned with crime, law enforcement and criminal justice.

Reps: Intro. 19/9/90; 2nd reading adjourned 19/9/90

## PM Crimes (Protection of Australian Flags) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Cobb)

To amend the *Crimes Act 1914* to provide for the protection of certain Australian flags.

Reps: Intro. 31/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 23/8/90, 18/10/90

Crimes (Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances) Bill 1990

To initiate the ratification of the United Nations Convention Against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 18/10/90 Senate: Intro. 6/11/90; Passed 8/11/90 Assent: 29/11/90; <u>Act No. 97 of 1990</u>

## Customs and Excise Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing a series of amendments to the Customs Act 1901 and the Excise Act 1901 in addition to a consequential repeal to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975.

Reps: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 15/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 13/12/90 Assent: 21/12/90; **Act No. 111 of 1990** 

### Customs (Detention and Search) Bill 1990

To amend the Customs Act 1901 to repeal the current power to detain and search persons suspected of unlawfully carrying prohibited goods, and insert in its place a new division containing a more detailed range of customs detention and search powers.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 22/8/90 Senate: Intro. 23/8/90; Passed 11/10/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Industry, Science and Technology

19/9/90; taken to have been reported 10/10/90

Assent: 23/10/90; Act No. 79 of 1990

# PS Customs (Rainforest Timber) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Coulter)

To selectively ban the importation of rainforest timbers into Australia. Senate: Intro. 6/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/11/90

# Customs Tariff Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Customs Tariff Act 1987 to align a section with the International Harmonized System, to provide a free rate of duty for certain articles of rubber apparel and to make minor administrative changes.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; Passed 16/10/90 Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 21/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee request: 1 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate request for amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 127 of 1990

### S Data-matching (Assistance and Tax) Bill 1990

To give effect to data-matching measures announced in the Budget.

Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 15/11/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs 15/11/90; report tabled 11/12/90

## S Data-matching Program (Assistance and Tax) Bill 1990

To give effect to data-matching measures announced in the Budget.

Senate: Intro. 6/12/90; Passed 18/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/negatived

Reference: Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs

6/12/90; report tabled 11/12/90

Committee amendments: 4 Govt/passed; 28 Opp/passed; 1 Opp

amended/passed; 1 Dem/negatived

Proposed reference to a select committee: negatived 18/12/90

Reps: Intro. 20/12/90; Passed 21/12/90 Assent: 23/1/91; Act No. 20 of 1991

#### Debits Tax Termination Bill 1990

To transfer responsibility for debits tax from the Commonwealth to the States.

Reps: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 12/12/90 Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 136 of 1990

## PS Defence Amendment Bill 1988 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator McLean)

To repeal the Defence Act 1903 to provide for Parliamentary approval for overseas service by members of the Defence Force.

Senate: Intro. 22/2/88; 2nd reading adjourned 22/2/88 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# PS Defence (Conscientious Objection) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Vallentine)

To allow for the recognition of conscientious objector status for certain Defence service personnel.

Senate: Intro. 7/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 7/11/90

# Defence Force (Home Loans Assistance) Bill 1990

To establish a new form of housing assistance for members of the Defence Force who enlisted on or after 15 May 1985.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 14 of 1991

#### Defence Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing a series of amendments to various Acts administered within the Defence portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 22/8/90 Senate: Intro. 23/8/90; Passed 9/10/90

Committee amendment: 1 Dem/negatived

Assent: 22/10/90; Act No. 75 of 1990

#### S Defence Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

An omnibus bill proposing a series of amendments to various Acts administered within the Defence portfolio.

Senate: Intro. 28/11/90; Passed 18/12/90 Reps: Intro. 20/12/90; Passed 20/12/90 Assent: 5/2/91; Act No. 21 of 1991

## PS Delegated Legislation Review Bill 1988 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator McLean)

To establish a Joint Committee to examine Commonwealth delegated legislation and to report to the Parliament regularly.

Senate: Intro. 15/3/88; 2nd reading adjourned 15/3/88 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

### PM Disability Services Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Braithwaite)

To alter the administration of the Disability Services Act 1988.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Read a 1st time 8/11/90; 2nd reading made order of the day for next sitting Thursday

#### Dried Fruits Levy Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the *Dried Fruits Levy Act 1971* to increase the maximum rate of levy for dried vine fruit.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 22/8/90 Senate: Intro. 23/8/90; Passed 9/10/90 Assent: 18/10/90; <u>Act No. 74 of 1990</u>

## Dried Vine Fruits Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To extend the sultana underwriting scheme by three years and to remove statutory backing for domestic consumer transfers on the sale of dried vine fruit.

Reps: Intro. 4/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 4/12/90

## Education Services (Export Regulation) Bill 1990

To regulate the marketing and provision of education services to the overseas market through the registration of institutions and courses.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 15/11/90

Senate: Intro. 26/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 26/11/90

#### PS End of War List Bill 1989

(Introduced by Senator McGauran)

To establish an End of War List for Australian service personnel who served in the Vietnam War and subsequent conflicts.

Senate: Intro. 7/9/89; Passed 2/11/89

Committee amendments: 2 Opp/passed

Reps: Intro. 21/11/89; 2nd reading adjourned 21/11/89

[Message transmitted to House of Representatives requesting resumption of consideration 23/8/90; House of Representatives refused resumption of consideration 11/9/90; Message reported in Senate 13/9/90]

#### PS End of War List Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Boswell)

To establish an End of War List for Australian service personnel who served in the Vietnam War and subsequent conflicts.

Senate: Intro. 18/9/90; Passed 18/9/90

Reps: Intro. 19/9/90; Read a 1st time 19/9/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting

# PS Environmental Protection of Coastal Waters (State and Northern Territory Powers) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Dunn)

To amend the Coastal Waters (State Powers) Act 1980 and the Coastal Waters (Northern Territory Powers) Act 1980 to increase the Commonwealth's power to protect the environment of coastal waters.

Senate: Intro. 16/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 16/5/90

# European Bank for Reconstruction and Development Bill 1990

To appropriate money for making any payment that Australia is required to make under the agreement establishing the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; Passed 6/11/90 Senate: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 20/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 129 of 1990

#### Excise Tariff Amendment Bill 1990

To provide the facility for the determination of different VOLWARE prices for different oil producing regions.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 17/10/90

Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 13/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Reference: Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs

5/12/90; report tabled 10/12/90 Committee requests: 6 Opp/negatived Assent: 21/12/90; Act No. 112 of 1990

# S Export Market Development Grants Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Export Market Development Grants Act 1974 to extend its term from 1 July 1990 to 31 December 1990.

Senate: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 11/5/90 Committee amendment: 1 Ind/passed Reps: Intro. 14/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Assent: 24/5/90; Act No. 27 of 1990

# Export Market Development Grants Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

To implement amendments to the Export Market Development Grants Scheme announced on 28 February 1990.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 13/12/90

Committee amendments: 4 Opp/passed; 3 Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 21/1/91 Act No. 8 of 1991

#### **Extradition Amendment Bill 1990**

To make various amendments to the Extradition Act 1988 to clarify the scheme for making regulations with respect to treaties, provide a scheme of consent surrender to New Zealand, extend police powers and allow an Australian magistrate to take evidence overseas.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 12/9/90 Senate: Intro. 13/9/90; Passed 9/10/90 Assent: 22/10/90; <u>Act No. 76 of 1990</u>

## Family Law Amendment Bill 1990

To make miscellaneous amendments to the Family Law Act 1975.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 16/5/90

#### S Federal Airports Corporation Amendment Bill 1990

To implement administrative reforms to the Federal Airports Corporation.

Senate: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 10/5/90 Reps: Intro. 14/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Assent: 24/5/90; <u>Act No. 26 of 1990</u>

### PS Federal Court (Grouped Proceedings) Bill 1989 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Haines)

To provide for the grouping of proceedings in the Federal Court of Australia. Senate: Intro. 11/12/89; 2nd reading adjourned 11/12/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

## PS Financial Corporations (Prudential Standards) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Spindler)

To regulate the non-bank financial system in Australia. Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 15/11/90

### PM Financial Information (Privacy) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Costello)

To regulate financial reporting and protect privacy.

Reps: Intro. 18/10/90; Read a 1st time 18/10/90; 2nd reading order of the day for next sitting Thursday

#### First Home Owners Amendment Bill 1990

To preclude payment of assistance under the *First Home Owners Act 1983* to sole or joint applicants who contract to purchase or build, or commence construction of, a dwelling on or after 22 August 1990.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 11/10/90 Senate: Intro. 15/10/90; Passed 18/10/90 Assent: 20/11/90; Act No. 89 of 1990

#### Fisheries Administration Bill 1990

To establish an Australian Fisheries Management Authority and a Fishing Industry Policy Council.

Reps: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

### PM Flags Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Hawker)

To ensure that the Australian National flag is not altered except with the approval of the Australian people voting in a referendum.

Reps: Intro. 31/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 13/9/90

#### PS Flags Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Parer)

To ensure that the Australian National flag is not altered except with the approval of the Australian people voting in a referendum.

Senate: Intro. 23/8/90; 2nd reading adjourned 23/8/90

# PS Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Amendment (Registration of Interests) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Jenkins)

To amend the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 relating to the registration of certain foreign interests in Australian property.

Senate: Intro. 31/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 31/5/90

## PS Geneva Conventions Amendment Bill 1989 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Macklin)

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

Senate: Intro. 30/8/89; 2nd reading adjourned 30/8/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

#### Geneva Conventions Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Geneva Conventions Act 1957 to enable Australia to ratify Protocol I additional to the Geneva Conventions.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; 2nd reading adjourned 22/8/90

# Governments and Government Instrumentalities (Application of Laws) Bill 1990

To clarify what kinds of State and Territory laws apply to the Commonwealth and Commonwealth instrumentalities.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 5/12/90

Committee amendments: 2 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

# Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975 to clarify the terms of the Statutory Marine Park Zoning Plans.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 15/5/90 Senate: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 30/5/90 Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 44 of 1990

#### Higher Education Funding Amendment Bill 1990

To provide, as a condition of payments under the principal Act, that States will not take any action to prevent or hinder the imposition or collection of fees by higher education institutions for organisations representing the interests of students generally.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 13/11/90 Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Negatived 18/12/90 Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negatived

### Higher Education Funding Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

To provide for funding of higher education institutions for 1993.

Reps: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 13/11/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 18/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee amendments: 2 Dem/negatived

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 122 of 1990

# Housing Loans Insurance Corporation (Sale of Assets and Abolition) Bill 1990

To provide legislative authority to sell the business of the Housing Loans Insurance Corporation.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 Senate: Intro. 14/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 16 of 1991

#### ICSID Implementation Bill 1990

To set the legislative framework in place for Australia to ratify the Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of Other States.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; Passed 18/10/90 Senate: Intro. 6/11/90; Passed 6/12/90 Assent: 18/12/90; <u>Act No. 107 of 1990</u>

#### Income Tax Amendment Bill 1990

To formally impose the rates of income tax payable by individuals, and trustees generally, for 1990-91 and, until the Parliament otherwise provides, for the 1991-92 financial year.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 10/10/90 Senate: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 18/10/90 Committee request: 1 Dem/passed

[Reps made Senate request for amendment 18/10/90]

Assent: 6/11/90; Act No. 85 of 1990

#### Income Tax Assessment Amendment Bill 1990

To introduce measures announced in the 1989-90 Budget, including twice-monthly remittance of tax instalment deductions and adjustment of provisional tax.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 31/5/90

Committee amendment: 1 Dem/negatived

Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 45 of 1990

# PS Income Tax Assessment (Housing Loan Interest) Amendment Bill 1989 [No. 2] R [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Haines)

To amend the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1936* to provide a rebate on housing loan interest.

Senate: Intro. 16/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 16/6/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# PS Income Tax Assessment (Savings Accounts Interest) Amendment Bill 1989 [No. 2] [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Haines)

To amend the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1936* to grant exemption from income tax of certain income from savings accounts.

Senate: Intro. 16/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 16/6/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# PS Income Tax Assessment (Substantiation Requirements) Amendment Bill 1990 (Introduced by Senator Watson)

To amend the substantiation provisions of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936.

Senate: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 8/11/90

Reps: Intro. 12/11/90; Read a 1st time 12/11/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting day

## PM Industrial Relations Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Charles)

To amend the *Industrial Relations Act 1988* to replace paragraph 299(1)(d) relating to bringing the commission into disrepute.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Read a 1st time 8/11/90; 2nd reading order of the day for next sitting Thursday

#### S Industrial Relations Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To change the provisions of the *Industrial Relations Act 1988* which deal with the registration, size, coverage and amalgamation of industrial organisations.

Senate: Intro. 23/8/90; Passed 10/12/90

Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 14 Dem/passed; 1

Opp/negatived

Reps: Intro. 20/12/90; Passed 21/12/90 Assent: 23/1/91; Act No. 19 of 1991

# Industrial Relations Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

An omnibus bill proposing a number of amendments to Acts administered within the Industrial Relations portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 17/10/90

Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 18/10/90; Passed 5/12/90

Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 108 of 1990

# PM Industrial Relations (Membership of Associations) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Charles)

To ensure voluntary membership of industrial organisations.

Reps: Intro. 6/12/90; Read a 1st time 6/12/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting day

# PS Industrial Relations (Right to Strike) Amendment Bill 1989 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator McLean)

To provide workers with the right to strike whether or not they are a member of a trade union.

Senate: Intro. 14/12/89; 2nd reading adjourned 14/12/89

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 9/5/90

### Insurance Amendment Bill 1990

To amend one of the conditions applying to insurers seeking, or operating under, an exemption granted pursuant to section 37 of the *Insurance Act 1973*. Reps: Intro. 5/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 5/12/90

# International Development Association (Further Payment) Bill 1990

To authorise a contribution by Australia to the Ninth Replenishment of the International Development Association.

Reps: Intro. 18/10/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 20/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/passed

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 130 of 1990

#### PS Koongarra Project Area Repeal Bill 1988 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator McLean)

To repeal the Koongarra Project Area Act 1981.

Senate: Intro. 22/2/88; 2nd reading adjourned 22/2/88

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 9/5/90

#### Law and Justice Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing amendments to a number of Acts within the Attorney-General's portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 20/9/90; Passed 12/11/90

Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 13/12/90 Assent: 21/12/90; Act No. 115 of 1990

### PS Legislation (Non-Sexist Language) Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Dunn)

To remove sexist and discriminatory language from Commonwealth legislation. Senate: Intro. 30/5/90; 2nd reading adjourned 30/5/90

#### PS Legislative Initiative Bill 1989 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Macklin)

To provide for the holding of referenda on bills proposed by members of the public.

Senate: Intro. 12/4/89; 2nd reading adjourned 12/4/89

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 9/5/90

#### Live-stock Export Charge Amendment Bill 1990

To set the levy rate for cattle at zero to allow for the introduction of the Cattle Export Charge, the Cattle Transaction Levy and the Beef Production Levy.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90

Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed

Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Committee requests: 4 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate requests for amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 144 of 1990

## Live-stock Slaughter Levy Amendment Bill 1990

To set the levy rate for cattle, calves and bobby calves at zero to allow for the introduction of the Cattle Transaction Levy and the Beef Production Levy.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90

Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed

Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 21/12/90 Committee requests: 6 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate requests for amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 126 of 1990

#### Medicare Levy Amendment Bill 1990

To impose the basic rate of Medicare levy for 1990-91 and, until the Parliament otherwise provides, for the 1991-92 financial year.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 10/10/90 Senate: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 18/10/90 Committee request: 1 Dem/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate request for amendment 18/10/90]

Assent: 6/11/90; Act No. 86 of 1990

#### Ministers of State Amendment Bill 1990

To increase the limit on the annual sum appropriated for ministerial salaries to cover the increase provided for by the Remuneration and Allowances Act 1990.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 14/11/90 Senate: Intro. 14/11/90; Passed 6/12/90 Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 109 of 1990

## PS Motor Vehicles Standards (Emission Quotas) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Coulter)

To set a limit to the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from each fleet of motor vehicles sold by a manufacturer or importer which would be reduced by 5% each succeeding year.

Senate: Intro. 16/10/90; 2nd reading adjourned 16/10/90

#### National Cattle Disease Eradication Trust Account Bill 1990

To retain the National Cattle Disease Eradication Trust Account to allow the continuity of financial operations of the national program for cattle disease eradication.

Reps: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 5/12/90

Senate: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

# PS National Crime Authority (Duties and Powers of Parliamentary Joint Committee) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Spindler)

To amend sections 51 and 55 of the National Crime Authority Act 1984 relating to the prohibition of certain committee investigations and the requirement of the NCA to provide certain information to the Parliamentary Joint Committee.

Senate: Intro. 21/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 21/12/90

# PS National Crime Authority (Powers of Parliamentary Joint Committee) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Crichton-Browne)

To amend section 51 of the National Crime Authority Act 1984 to make it clear that this section does not have any application to the provision of information to the Parliamentary Joint Committee on the NCA.

Senate: Intro. 8/11/90; 2nd reading adjourned 8/11/90

# PS National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits Determinations) Amendment Bill 1989 [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Coulter)

To revoke a determination of the Pharmaceutical Benefits Remuneration

Tribunal and make future determinations disallowable instruments.

Senate: Intro. 1/9/89; 2nd reading adjourned 1/9/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# PS National Identification System (Reference to the People) Bill 1987 [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Haines)

To ensure that the Australia Card Act 1987 does not come into operation until a referendum has been held.

Senate: Intro. 15/9/87; 2nd reading adjourned 15/9/87

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 9/5/90

#### Northern Prawn Fishery Voluntary Adjustment Scheme Loan Guarantee Amendment Bill 1990

To alter the operation of the current Voluntary Adjustment Scheme and allow a higher Government guarantee against commercial loans.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 15/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 20/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 123 of 1990

## PS Nuclear Non-Proliferation (Exports) Bill 1988 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Sanders)

To prevent the proliferation of nuclear weapons by regulating the exportation of nuclear material and certain associated items from Australia.

Senate: Intro. 1/6/88; 2nd reading adjourned 1/6/88 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# Occupational Health and Safety (Commonwealth Employment) Bill 1990

To provide for the protection of the health and safety of Commonwealth employees by imposing on Commonwealth employers and employees a general duty of care and specific obligations.

Reps: Intro. 18/10/90; Passed 6/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 10/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 10/12/90

# Occupational Superannuation (Reasonable Benefit Limits) Amendment Bill 1990

To establish the reasonable benefit limit as the maximum amount of benefits a person is permitted to receive is on a concessionally taxed basis.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 17/5/90; Passed 28/5/90 Committee amendments: 5 Govt/passed [Reps agreed to Senate amendments 31/5/90]

Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 61 of 1990

## Overseas Students Charge Amendment Bill 1990

To fix the charges payable under the Overseas Students Charge Act 1979 for the 1991 academic year.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 7/11/90 Senate: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 18/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 133 of 1990

### Overseas Students (Refunds) Bill 1990

To facilitate the refunding of payments made by overseas students unable to undertake or complete courses of study in Australia.

Reps: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 7/11/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 18/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 128 of 1990

# PS Ozone Depleting Substances Regulation Bill 1988 (No. 2) [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Coulter)

To regulate the use of certain substances that can significantly deplete or otherwise modify the Ozone layer in a manner that is likely to have adverse effect on human health and the environment.

Senate: Intro. 12/10/88; 2nd reading adjourned 12/10/88, 3/11/88 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# Parliamentary Entitlements Bill 1990

To provide various entitlements for Members of the House of Representatives and Senators.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 10/5/90

Committee amendments: 7 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 10/5/90; Passed 16/5/90

Committee amendments: 8 Opp/passed; 1 Opp amended/passed;

3 Opp/negatived; 2 Dem/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 17/5/90]

Assent: 24/5/90; Act No. 28 of 1990

#### Parliamentary Presiding Officers Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Parliamentary Presiding Officers Act 1965 to remove sexist language.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Read a 1st time 8/5/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting

#### S Patents Bill 1990

To repeal and replace the Patents Act 1952.

Senate: Intro. 29/5/90; Passed 20/9/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Industry, Science and Technology

24/8/90; report tabled 13/9/90

Committee amendments: 9 Dem/negatived; 2 Ind/passed; 5 Govt/passed

Reps: Intro. 9/10/90; Passed 16/10/90 Assent: 30/10/90; Act No. 83 of 1990

#### PM Pay-Television Transmission Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Brown)

To amend the Radiocommunications Act 1983 by repealing the prohibition on the transmission of certain pay-television programs.

Reps: Intro. 31/5/90; Read a first time 31/5/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting Thursday

### PS Peace Trust Fund Bill 1989 [1990]

R (Introduced by Senator Vallentine)

To allow those with a conscientious objection to paying military taxes to allocate a proportion of their tax to be paid into a Peace Tax Trust Fund.

Senate: Intro. 15/6/89; 2nd reading adjourned 15/6/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 17/5/90

# Petroleum (Australia-Indonesia Zone of Cooperation) Bill 1990

To give effect to the Treaty between Australia and the Republic of Indonesia on the Zone of Cooperation in an area between the Indonesian Province of East Timor and Northern Australia.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 9/5/90 Senate: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 28/5/90 Assent: 7/6/90; Act No. 36 of 1990

# Petroleum (Australia-Indonesia Zone of Cooperation) (Consequential Provisions) Bill 1990

To amend certain Acts in consequence of the enactment of the Petroleum (Australia-Indonesia Zone of Cooperation) Bill 1990.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 9/5/90 Senate: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 28/5/90 Assent: 7/6/90; Act No. 37 of 1990

#### Petroleum Excise (Prices) Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Petroleum Excise (Prices) Act 1987 to enable the calculation of a volume weighted average of realised prices of sales of crude oil.

Reps: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 17/10/90

Committee amendments: 7 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 13/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee amendments: 7 Opp/negatived

Assent: 21/12/90; Act No. 114 of 1990

# PS Petroleum Retail Marketing Sites Amendment (Divorcement of Ownership) R Bill 1987 [1990]

(Introduced by Senator McLean)

To propose that petrol companies should not be permitted to own or operate petrol sites.

Senate: Intro. 8/12/87; 2nd reading adjourned 8/12/87

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 9/5/90

#### Pig Slaughter Levy Amendment Bill 1990

To increase the maximum rate of the research and development levy to \$1 per each pig slaughtered and the maximum rate of levy for marketing and promotion purposes to \$2.50 per pig slaughtered.

Reps: Intro. 4/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 4/12/90

### Pipeline Authority (Charges) Bill 1990

To provide new haulage tariff arrangements for the Pipeline Authority.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 13/11/90

Committee amendments: 3 Govt/passed

Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Negatived at 2nd reading 19/12/90

# Primary Industries and Energy Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing a series of amendments to Acts administered within the Primary Industries and Energy portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 18/10/90; Passed 12/11/90

Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 17/12/90 Committee amendment: 1 Dem/negatived

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 134 of 1990

# Primary Industries and Energy Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

An omnibus bill proposing a series of amendments to Acts administered within the Primary Industries and Energy Portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

# Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection Bill 1990

To provide a single Act which will deal with all levy and export charge collection.

Reps: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 5/12/90

Senate: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

#### Primary Industries Levies and Charges Collection (Consequential Provisions) Bill 1990

To make the consequential amendments to each of the levy and export charge imposition acts needed following on from the main collection bill.

Reps: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 5/12/90

Senate: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

#### S Privacy Amendment Bill 1989 [1990]

R To change the provisions for privacy protection for individuals in relation to consumer credit records.

Senate: Intro. 16/6/89; Passed 12/11/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived 22/12/89

Restored to Notice Paper at 2nd reading 1/6/90

Proposed reference to Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional

Affairs: negatived 22/12/89
Reference: Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs

10/10/90; report presented to President 22/10/90; report tabled 6/11/90

Committee amendments: 71 Govt/passed; 11 Opp/passed; 4

Opp/negatived; 12 Dem/passed Reps: Intro. 4/12/90; Passed 6/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Assent: 24/12/90; Act No. 116 of 1990

# Remuneration and Allowances Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the proposed Remuneration and Allowances Act 1990.

Reps: Intro. 1/6/90; Passed 1/6/90 Senate: Message reported 1/6/90 Bill not proceeded with 1/6/90

# Remuneration and Allowances (Amendment) Bill 1990

To amend the proposed Remuneration and Allowances Act 1990.

Reps: Intro. 1/6/90; Passed 1/6/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 1/6/90; Passed 1/6/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed

Assent: 20/6/90; Act No. 72 of 1990

#### Remuneration and Allowances Bill 1990

To provide increased rates of salary for judicial office holders, Secretaries of Departments, Members of Parliament, holders of public offices and office holders of the Parliament.

Reps: Intro. 31/5/90; Passed 31/5/90

Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed

Senate: Intro. 31/5/90; Passed 31/5/90 Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed

[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 1/6/90]

Assent: 20/6/90; Act No. 71 of 1990

# PS Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1989 R [1990]

(Introduced by Senator Coulter)

To remove sales tax on certain paper made from recycled pulp.

Senate: Intro. 1/9/89; 2nd reading adjourned 1/9/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

# Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Amendment Bill 1990

To ensure that printed material inserted into a publication which is exempt from sales tax is only exempt itself if, as goods separate from the exempt publication, it is specifically covered by an exemption.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 10/10/90 Senate: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 15/10/90

Committee amendments: 2 Dem/negatived

Assent: 23/10/90; Act No. 82 of 1990

# Sales Tax Laws Amendment Bill 1990

To implement measures announced in the Government's February 1990 Economic Statement for an increase in the rate of sales tax payable on "luxury" motor cars and station wagons and a decrease in the rate of sales tax payable on motor vehicles fitted for transporting disabled persons.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 15/5/90 Senate: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 22/5/90

Committee amendment: 1 Opp (to negative clause)/passed

[Reps disagreed to Senate amendment and made substitute; Senate did not

insist on amendment and accepted substitute 31/5/90]

Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 55 of 1990

# Sales Tax Laws Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

To effect changes to the wholesale sales tax system announced in the Budget.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 10/10/90 Senate: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 15/10/90 Assent: 23/10/90; <u>Act No. 81 of 1990</u>

## Sales Tax Laws Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1990

To exempt items of computer equipment from sales tax if they are used in certain activities.

Reps: Intro. 18/10/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 20/12/90

Committee amendments: 2 Dem/negatived

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 131 of 1990

## Sales Tax (Nos 1 to 9) Amendment Bills 1990

To impose tax at the rate of 50% on the sale value of goods covered by the proposed Sixth Schedule of the Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Act 1935.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 15/5/90 Senate: Intro. 16/5/90; Passed 31/5/90

Committee requests: 1 Opp (to negative clause)/passed to each bill [Reps disagreed to Senate requests and made substitutes; Senate did not

press requests and accepted substitutes 31/5/90] Assent: 16/6/90; Acts Nos 46 to 54 of 1990

Senate (Quorum) Bill 1989 [1990]

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R To reduce the quorum of the Senate from one-third to one-quarter.

Senate: Intro. 7/12/89; 2nd reading adjourned 7/12/89 Restored to *Notice Paper* at 2nd reading 9/5/90

## Sex Discrimination Amendment Bill 1990

To remove from the Sex Discrimination Act 1984 the exemption of discrimination in superannuation on the ground of sex or marital status and to insert a number of more limited exemptions dealing with superannuation practices.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; 2nd reading adjourned 12/9/90

# Social Security and Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill intended to implement measures announced in the Governments' February 1990 Economic Statement.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 15/5/90

Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed

Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 29/5/90

Committee amendments: 1 Ind amended/withdrawn;

1 Dem/negatived

Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 56 of 1990

Social Security and Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

An omnibus bill intended to implement measures announced in the 1990-91 Budget and February Statements.

Reps: Intro. 23/8/90; Passed 20/9/90

Committee amendments: 11 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 18/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/negatived

Reference: Clauses 9, 10, 11, 24 and 37 to 42 to Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs 11/10/90, report tabled 11/12/90; and remainder of bill to Standing Committee on Community Affairs 11/10/90, report tabled 12/11/90

Committee amendments: 10 Dem/negatived

Proposed reference of clauses 9, 10, 11, 24 and 37 to 42 to a select

committee: negatived 18/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 119 of 1990

#### Social Security Bill 1990

To repeal and replace the Social Security Act 1947. Reps: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

# Social Security Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To implement a number of measures announced in the February 1990 Economic Statement and the 1990 Budget.

Reps: Intro. 18/10/90; Passed 13/11/90

Committee amendments: 26 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 26/11/90; Passed 18/12/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Dem/negatived

Reference: Certain clauses to Senate Standing Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs 18/10/90, report tabled 11/12/90; and certain clauses to Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs 26/11/90, report tabled 5/12/90

Committee amendments: 20 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/passed; 1 Opp/negatived; 5 Dem/negatived; 1 clause negatived

Proposed reference of certain clauses to a select committee: negatived 18/12/90

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 21/12/90]

Assent: 8/1/91; Act No. 6 of 1991

### Social Welfare Legislation (Pharmaceutical Benefits) Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the National Health Act 1953, the Social Security Act 1947 and the Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986 to provide for major changes to the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme.

Reps: Intro. 23/8/90; Passed 20/9/90

Committee amendments: 14 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 18/10/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Community Affairs 11/10/90; report

tabled 18/10/90

Assent: 30/10/90; Act No. 84 of 1990

#### States Grants (General Purposes) Bill 1990

To arrange for the provision of general purpose assistance to the States and the Northern Territory in 1990-91.

Reps: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 12/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Assent: 18/12/90; Act No. 101 of 1990

#### States Grants (Schools Assistance) Amendment Bill 1990

To implement decisions announced in the Budget on Commonwealth programs for schools in 1991 and to supplement for cost increases grants already appropriated for schools programs for 1990.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 13/11/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 18/12/90
2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed
Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed
[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 8/1/91; Act No. 1 of 1991

# States Grants (TAFE Assistance) Amendment Bill 1990

To make provision for grants of financial assistance to the States and Territories for technical and further education for 1991 and also provide for the supplementation of grants for 1990.

Reps: Intro. 10/10/90; Passed 13/11/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 18/12/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 120 of 1990

#### Stevedoring Industry Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Stevedoring Industry Finance Committee Act 1977 and the Stevedoring Industry Levy Collection Act 1977, to implement reforms to stevedoring industry employment arrangements.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; Passed 11/10/90 Senate: Intro. 15/10/90; Passed 20/12/90 Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 9 of 1991

#### Stevedoring Industry Levy Amendment Bill 1990

To facilitate the phasing out of the general statutory levy imposed in respect of Division B waterside workers.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; Passed 11/10/90

Committee amendment: 1 Opp/negatived Senate: Intro. 15/10/90; Passed 20/12/90 Committee requests: 2 Opp/negatived Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 10 of 1991

# Superannuation Benefits (Supervisory Mechanisms) Bill 1990

To establish supervisory mechanisms for the provision of superannuation benefits to certain persons, and for related purposes.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90

Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 28/5/90 Assent: 7/6/90; Act No. 39 of 1990

#### Superannuation Bill 1990

To establish a new Superannuation Scheme for Commonwealth employees.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 28/5/90 2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/passed

Committee amendment: 1 Opp amended/negatived

Assent: 7/6/90; Act No. 38 of 1990

## Superannuation Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To amend, in association with the introduction of a new Scheme by the Superannuation Bill 1990, the Superannuation Act 1976, the Superannuation Benefit (Interim Arrangement) Act 1988, the Superannuation Act 1922 and the Papua New Guinea (Staffing Assistance) Act 1973.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90

Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 28/5/90

Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negatived

Assent: 7/6/90; Act No. 40 of 1990

#### Supply Bill (No. 1) 1990-91

To make interim provisions for the appropriation of money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending 30 June 1991.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 14/5/90 Senate: Intro. 15/5/90; Passed 25/5/90 Assent: 1/6/90; Act No. 32 of 1990

#### Supply Bill (No. 2) 1990-91

To make interim provisions for the appropriation of money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure in respect of the year ending 30 June 1991.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 14/5/90 Senate: Intro. 15/5/90; Passed 25/5/90 Assent: 1/6/90; Act No. 33 of 1990

## Supply (Parliamentary Departments) Bill 1990-91

To make interim provisions for the appropriation of money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for certain expenditure in relation to the Parliamentary departments in respect of the year ending 30 June 1991.

Reps: Intro. 8/5/90; Passed 14/5/90 Senate: Intro. 15/5/90; Passed 25/5/90 Assent: 1/6/90; <u>Act No. 34 of 1990</u>

# Taxation (Interest on Non-resident Trust Distributions) Bill 1990

To formally impose the interest charge proposed by the Taxation Laws Amendment (Foreign Income) Bill 1990.

Reps: Intro. 13/9/90; Passed 16/10/90 Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 19/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

13/12/90, report tabled 17/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 124 of 1990

#### Taxation Laws Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the capital gains tax legislation in relation to capital gains tax measures announced in the 1989-90 Budget and the Research and Development Act 1986 in relation to particular research and development activities.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90

Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 9 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 29/5/90

Committee amendments: 3 Opp/negatived

Assent: 7/6/90; Act No. 35 of 1990

### Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 2) 1990

To amend taxation laws to implement many of the measures announced in the 1989-90 Budget, to authorise regulations to be made concerning pensioner and beneficiary rebates and to modify Medicare levy provisions.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 31/5/90 Assent: 16/6/90; <u>Act No. 57 of 1990</u>

#### Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 3) 1990

To amend taxation law in relation to share buy-backs, thin capitalisation, trading ships, actuary certificates, tax file number provisions and gift provisions.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 31/5/90 Assent: 16/6/90; **Act No. 58 of 1990** 

# Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 4) 1990

To amend taxation law in relation to thin capitalisation, gold mining, imputation, quarrying, zone rebate, livestock, gifts, self-assessment and debits tax.

Reps: Intro. 12/9/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 19/12/90

Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 2 Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 20/12/90]

Assent: 8/1/91; Act No. 4 of 1991

# Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 5) 1990

To amend taxation law in relation to superannuation, Defence Force personnel in the Gulf, gift provisions, eligible termination payments and capital gains, provisional tax, fringe benefits tax, sex discrimination and tax file numbers.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 12/12/90

Committee amendments: 10 Dem/negatived

Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 135 of 1990

#### Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 6) 1990

To amend taxation law in relation to personal tax cuts, capital gains tax, franking credits, bereavement payments, foreign income provisions and the protection of taxation information.

Reps: Intro. 6/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 6/12/90

#### Taxation Laws Amendment (Foreign Income) Bill 1990

To introduce, with effect from the beginning of the 1990-91 income year, an accruals system of taxing certain foreign source income.

Reps: Intro. 13/9/90; Passed 16/10/90 Senate: Intro. 17/10/90; Passed 19/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

13/12/90, report tabled 17/12/90

Committee amendments: 2 Dem/negatived

Assent: 8/1/91; Act No. 5 of 1991

#### Taxation Laws Amendment (International Agreements) Bill 1990

To provide for the entry into force of comprehensive double taxation agreements between Australia and China, Australia and Sri Lanka and Australia and Fiji.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 12/11/90 Senate: Intro. 13/11/90; Passed 19/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

13/12/90, report tabled 17/12/90 Assent: 28/12/90; Act No. 121 of 1990

## Taxation Laws Amendment (Rates and Provisional Tax) Bill 1990

To reduce personal tax rates and the rebate for medical expenses exceeding \$1,000 and to change the calculation of provisional tax.

Reps: Intro. 21/8/90; Passed 10/10/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Committee amendments: 1 Govt/passed; 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 11/10/90; Passed 17/10/90

Committee amendments: 1 Opp/negatived; 1 Dem/passed; 2

Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendment 18/10/90]

Assent: 6/11/90; Act No. 87 of 1990

#### PM Telecommunications Reform Bill 1990

(Introduced by Mr Brown)

To allow for greater competition in telecommunications in Australia.

Reps: Intro. 23/8/90; Read a 1st time 23/8/90; 2nd reading order of day for next sitting Thursday

#### Trade Practices Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the mergers and acquisitions provision of the Trade Practices Act 1974.

Reps: Intro. 21/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 21/12/90

# Trade Practices (Misuse of Trans-Tasman Market Power) Bill 1990

To implement Australia's obligations under Article 4 of the Protocol to the Australia New Zealand Closer Economic Relations - Trade Agreement on Acceleration of Free Trade in Goods.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 17/5/90 Senate: Intro. 22/5/90; Passed 30/5/90 Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 70 of 1990

## Training Guarantee (Administration) Bill 1990

Relating to the establishment and administration of the Training Guarantee Scheme.

Reps: Intro. 10/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 17/5/90; Passed 31/5/90

Proposed reference to Standing Committee on Employment, Education

and Training: negatived

Committee amendments: 4 Opp/negatived

Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 60 of 1990

#### Training Guarantee Bill 1990

To impose a requirement, on employers resident in Australia, to spend a minimum amount on structured training every financial year starting 1 July 1990.

Reps: Intro. 10/5/90; Passed 16/5/90 Senate: Intro. 17/5/90; Passed 31/5/90

Proposed reference to Standing Committee on Employment, Education and Training: negatived 30/5/90

Assent: 16/6/90; Act No. 59 of 1990

# Transport and Communications Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing amendments to 15 Acts administered within the Transport and Communications portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 14/11/90

Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 20/12/90 Assent: 21/1/91; Act No. 11 of 1991

#### Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

An omnibus bill proposing amendments to various Acts administered within the Veterans' Affairs portfolio.

Reps: Intro. 8/11/90; Passed 14/11/90

Committee amendments: 5 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 26/11/90; Passed 18/12/90

Reference: Standing Committee on Community Affairs 28/11/90, report

tabled 5/12/90

Committee amendments: 4 Opp/passed; 3 Dem/negatived

[Reps agreed to Senate amendments 20/12/90]

Assent: 8/1/91; Act No. 2 of 1991

### PS War Crimes (Crimes Against Humanity) Amendment Bill 1990

(Introduced by Senator Peter Baume)

To amend the War Crimes Amendment Act 1988 to extend the scope of the Act.

Senate: Intro. 19/12/90; 2nd reading adjourned 19/12/90

### Wildlife Protection (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Amendment Bill 1990

To increase penalties for the illegal export or import of wildlife and to make certain administrative changes to the principal act.

Reps: Intro. 22/8/90; 2nd reading adjourned 22/8/90

#### Wool Legislation Amendment Bill 1990

To make various amendments to the Wool Marketing Act 1987 and the Wool Tax (Administration) Act 1964.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 13/11/90

Committee amendments: 2 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 15/11/90 Assent: 29/11/90; Act No. 96 of 1990

### Wool Marketing Amendment Bill 1990

To amend the Wool Marketing Act 1987.

Reps: Intro. 1/6/90; Passed 1/6/90

2nd reading amendment: 1 Opp/negatived

Senate: Intro. 1/6/90; Passed 1/6/90 Assent: 16/6/90; <u>Act No. 62 of 1990</u>

## Wool Tax (Nos 1 to 5) Amendment Bills 1990

To increase the maximum rate of wool tax from 10 per cent to 20 per cent.

Reps: Intro. 9/5/90; Passed 17/5/90 Senate: Intro. 21/5/90; Passed 1/6/90

2nd reading amendments: 1 Opp/negatived to each bill Committee requests: 1 Dem/negatived to each bill

Assent: 16/6/90; Acts Nos 63 to 67 of 1990

### Wool Tax (Nos 1 to 3) Further Amendment Bills 1990

To increase the maximum rate of wool tax from 20 per cent to 30 per cent, to allow an operational rate of wool tax lower than the maximum rate to be set by regulation and to reduce the rate of tax on carpet wool from 18% to 3.85%.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 13/11/90 Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 15/11/90

2nd reading amendments: 1 Dem/negatived to each bill Committee requests: 1 Opp/negatived to each bill

Assent: 29/11/90; Acts Nos 91 to 93 of 1990

### Wool Tax (No. 4) Further Amendment Bill 1990

To increase the maximum rate of wool tax from 20 per cent to 30 per cent, to allow an operational rate of wool tax lower than the maximum rate to be set by regulation and to reduce the rate of tax on carpet wool from 18% to 3.85%.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 13/11/90 Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 15/11/90 Committee request: 1 Opp/negatived Assent: 29/11/90; Act No. 94 of 1990

# Wool Tax (No. 5) Further Amendment Bill 1990

To increase the maximum rate of wool tax from 20 per cent to 30 per cent, to allow an operational rate of wool tax lower than the maximum rate to be set by regulation and to reduce the rate of tax on carpet wool from 18% to 3.85%.

Reps: Intro. 7/11/90; Passed 13/11/90 Committee amendment: 1 Govt/passed Senate: Intro. 15/11/90; Passed 15/11/90 Committee request: 1 Opp/negatived Assent: 29/11/90; Act No. 95 of 1990

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S Senate Bill

PS Private Senator's Bill

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