

## Appendix 2

### SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

| <i>Name and Division</i>  | <i>Party</i>               | <i>Government Party</i>                     | <i>Parliament</i> | <i>Periods of office *</i> | <i>Elected to Speakership and reason for vacating office</i>   |
|---|----------------------------|---|-------------------|----------------------------|--|
| <b>HOLDER</b> , Hon. Sir Frederick William, KCMG (Knighted June 1902) | Free Trade                 | Protectionist (from 1.1.1901)               | 1st               | 9.5.1901 – 23.11.1903      | Elected 9.5.1901, unopposed  |
| SA (from 30.3.1901)   | Protectionist (from 1903)  | ALP (from 27.4.1904)                        | 2nd               | 2.3.1904 – 5.11.1906       | Re-elected 2.3.1904, unopposed   |
| Wakefield, SA (16.12.1903 – 23.7.1909)                                | Anti-Socialist (from 1906) | Free Trade – Protectionist (from 18.8.1904) |                   |                            |  |
|   |                            | Protectionist (from 5.7.1905)               | 3rd               | 20.2.1907 – 19.2.1910      | Re-elected 20.2.1907, unopposed  |
|   |                            | ALP (from 13.11.1908)                       |                   |                            | Died in office, 23.7.1909  |
|   |                            | Fusion (from 2.6.1909)                      |                   |                            |  |
| <b>SALMON</b> , Hon. Charles Carty                                    | Protectionist              | ALP (from 29.4.1910)                        |                   | 28.7.1909 – 19.2.1910      | Elected 28.7.1909, opposed by 2 Members  |
| Laanecoorie, Vic. (29.3.1901 – 23.4.1913)                             | Liberal (from 1910)        |   |                   |                            | Nominated as Speaker, but not re-elected in 4th Parliament   |
| Grampians, Vic. (20.2.1915 – 15.9.1917)                               | Nationalist (from 1917)    |   |                   |                            |  |
| <b>McDONALD</b> , Hon. Charles  | ALP                        |   | 4th               | 1.7.1910 – 23.4.1913       | Elected 1.7.1910, opposed by previous Speaker  |
| Kennedy, Qld (30.3.1901 – 3.10.1925)                                  |                            |   |                   |                            | Change of government at general election. Declined invitation to continue in office and not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 5th Parliament |

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|--|--|---|--|--|---|
| <b>JOHNSON, William Elliot</b><br>Lang, NSW<br>(16.12.1903 – 9.10.1928)                                | Free Trade Anti-Socialist (from 1906)<br><br>Liberal (from 1910)                                 | Liberal (from 24.6.1913)  | 5th<br>9.7.1913 – 30.7.1914                                      | 9.7.1913 – 30.7.1914                               | Elected 9.7.1913, unopposed<br><br>Change of government at general election. Nominated but not re-elected as Speaker in 6th Parliament            |
| <b>McDONALD, Hon. Charles Kennedy, Qld</b><br>(30.3.1901 – 3.10.1925)                                  | ALP  | ALP (from 17.9.1914)<br><br>National Labour (from 14.11.1916)<br><br>Nationalist (from 17.2.1917) | 6th<br>8.10.1914 – 26.3.1917                                     | 8.10.1914 – 26.3.1917                              | Elected 8.10.1914, opposed by previous Speaker<br><br>Not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 7th Parliament                                  |
| <b>JOHNSON, Sir William Elliot, KCMG</b> (Knighted June 1920)<br>Lang, NSW<br>(16.12.1903 – 9.10.1928) | Free Trade Anti-Socialist (from 1906)<br><br>Liberal (from 1910)<br><br>Nationalist (from 1917)  |   | 7th<br>14.6.1917 – 3.11.1919<br><br>8th<br>26.2.1920 – 6.11.1922 | 14.6.1917 – 3.11.1919<br><br>26.2.1920 – 6.11.1922 | Elected 14.6.1917, unopposed<br><br>Re-elected 26.2.1920, opposed by one Member<br><br>Not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 9th Parliament |
| <b>WATT, Rt Hon. William Alexander</b><br>Balaclava, Vic.<br>(5.9.1914 – 5.7.1929)                     | Liberal<br><br>Nationalist (from 1917)<br><br>Liberal (from 1922)<br><br>Nationalist (from 1925) | Nationalist – CP (from 9.2.1923)  | 9th<br>28.2.1923 – 3.10.1925                                     | 28.2.1923 – 3.10.1925                              | Elected 28.2.1923, unopposed<br><br>Not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 10th Parliament   |

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|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| <b>GROOM</b> , Hon. Sir Littleton Ernest, KCMG, KC, (Knighthed Jan. 1924) | Protectionist                    |                           | 10th                   |                            |   |
|   | Liberal (from 1910)              |                           | 13.1.1926 – 9.10.1928  | 13.1.1926 – 9.10.1928      | Elected 13.1.1926, unopposed  |
| Darling Downs, Qld (14.9.1901 – 16.9.1929 and 19.12.1931 – 6.11.1936)     | Nationalist (from 1917)          |                           | 11th                   |                            |   |
|   | Independent (from 1931)          |                           | 6.2.1929 – 16.9.1929   | 6.2.1929 – 16.9.1929       | Re-elected 6.2.1929, unopposed  |
|   | UAP (from 1934)                  |                           |                        |                            | Defeated at general election 12.10.29   |
| <b>MAKIN</b> , Hon. Norman John Oswald, AO                                | ALP                              | ALP (from 22.10.1929)     | 12th                   |                            |   |
|   | Federal Labour Party (from 1931) |                           | 20.11.1929– 27.11.1931 | 20.11.1929– 27.11.1931     | Elected 20.11.1929, unopposed   |
|   | ALP (from 1936)                  |                           |                        |                            | Change of government at general election. Not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 13th Parliament |
|   | Sturt, SA (from 29.5.1954)       |                           |                        |                            |   |
| Bonython, SA (10.12.1955 – 1.11.1963)                                     |                                  |                           |                        |                            |   |
| <b>MACKAY</b> , George Hugh   | Nationalist                      | UAP (from 6.1.1932)       | 13th                   |                            |   |
|   | UAP (from 1931)                  |                           | 17.2.1932 – 7.8.1934   | 17.2.1932 – 7.8.1934       | Elected 17.2.1932, unopposed  |
| Lilley, Qld (5.5.1917 – 7.8.1934)   |                                  |                           |                        |                            | Retired from Parliament   |
| <b>BELL</b> , Hon. Sir George John, KCMG, DSO, VD (Knighthed June 1941)   | Nationalist                      | UAP – CP (from 9.11.1934) | 14th                   |                            |   |
|   | UAP (from 1931)                  |                           | 23.10.1934 – 21.9.1937 | 23.10.1934 – 21.9.1937     | Elected 23.10.1934, unopposed   |
|   |                                  | UAP (from 26.4.1939)      | 15th                   |                            |   |
| Darwin, Tas. (13.12.1919 – 6.11.1922 and 14.11.1925 – 7.7.1943)           |                                  | UAP – CP (from 14.3.1940) | 30.11.1937 – 27.8.1940 | 30.11.1937 – 27.8.1940     | Re-elected 30.11.1937, unopposed  |
|   |                                  |                           |                        |                            | Not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 16th Parliament   |

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| <b>NAIRN</b> , Walter Maxwell<br>Perth, WA<br>(12.10.1929 – 7.7.1943)          | Nationalist                            | CP – UAP<br>(from 29.8.1941   | 16th<br>20.11.1940 – 7.7.1943  | 20.11.1940 – 21.6.1943     | Elected 20.11.1940, unopposed   |
|  | UAP (from 1931)                        | ALP (from 7.10.1941)          |                                |                            | Resigned 21.6.1943  |
| <b>ROSEVEAR</b> , Hon. John Solomon<br>Dalley, NSW<br>(19.12.1931 – 21.3.1953) | NSW Labor                              |                               |                                | 22.6.1943 – 7.7.1943       | Elected 22.6.1943, unopposed  |
|  | ALP (from 1936)                        |                               | 17th<br>23.9.1943 – 16.8.1946  | 23.9.1943 – 16.8.1946      | Re-elected 23.9.1943, unopposed   |
|  | Non-Communist Labour Party (from 1940) |                               | 18th<br>6.11.1946 – 31.10.1949 | 6.11.1946 – 31.10.1949     | Re-elected 6.11.1946, opposed by one Member   |
|  | ALP (from 1943)                        |                               |                                |                            | Change of government at general election. Not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 19th Parliament |
| <b>CAMERON</b> , Hon. Archie Galbraith<br>Barker, SA<br>(15.9.1934 – 9.8.1956) | CP, Liberal (from 1944)                | Lib – CP<br>(from 19.12.1949) | 19th<br>22.2.1950 – 19.3.1951  | 22.2.1950 – 19.3.1951      | Elected 22.2.1950, unopposed  |
|  | Liberal Country League (from 1951)     |                               | 20th<br>12.6.1951 – 21.4.1954  | 12.6.1951 – 21.4.1954      | Re-elected 12.6.1951, opposed by previous Speaker   |
|  | Liberal (from 1954)                    |                               | 21st<br>4.8.1954 – 4.11.1955   | 4.8.1954 – 4.11.1955       | Re-elected 4.8.1954, opposed by one Member  |
|  |  |                               | 22nd<br>15.2.1956 – 14.10.1958 | 15.2.1956 – 9.8.1956       | Re-elected 15.2.1956, opposed by one Member   |
|  |  |                               |                                |                            | Died in office  |

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| <b>McLEAY</b> , Hon. Sir John, KCMG, MM, (Knighted Jan. 1962)    | Liberal                            |                         |                                | 29.8.1956 – 14.10.1958     | Elected 29.8.1956, opposed by one Member                     |
| Boothby, SA (10.12.1949 – 31.10.1966)                            | Liberal Country League (from 1951) |                         | 23rd<br>17.2.1959 – 2.11.1961  | 17.2.1959 – 2.11.1961      | Re-elected 17.2.1959, unopposed                              |
|  | Liberal (from 1954)                |                         | 24th<br>20.2.1962 – 1.11.1963  | 20.2.1962 – 1.11.1963      | Re-elected 20.2.1962, unopposed                              |
|  |                                    |                         | 25th<br>25.2.1964 – 31.10.1966 | 25.2.1964 – 31.10.1966     | Re-elected 25.2.1964, unopposed                              |
|  |                                    |                         |                                |                            | Retired from Parliament                                      |
| <b>ASTON</b> , Hon. Sir William John, KCMG (Knighted Jan. 1970)  | Liberal                            |                         | 26th<br>21.2.1967 – 29.9.1969  | 21.2.1967 – 29.9.1969      | Elected 21.2.1967, opposed by one Member                     |
| Phillip, NSW (10.12.1955 – 2.11.1961 and 30.11.1963 – 2.11.1972) |                                    |                         | 27th<br>25.11.1969 – 2.11.1972 | 25.11.1969 – 2.11.1972     | Re-elected 25.11.1969, opposed by one Member                 |
|  |                                    |                         |                                |                            | Defeated at general election 1.12.1972                       |
| <b>COPE</b> , Hon. James Francis, CMG                            | ALP                                | ALP (from 5.12.1972)    | 28th<br>27.2.1973 – 11.4.1974  | 27.2.1973 – 11.4.1974      | Elected 27.2.1973, unopposed                                 |
| Cook, NSW (from 21.5.1955)                                       |                                    |                         | 29th<br>9.7.1974 – 11.11.1975  | 9.7.1974 – 27.2.1975       | Re-elected 9.7.1974, opposed by one Member                   |
| Watson, NSW (from 10.12.1955)                                    |                                    |                         |                                |                            | Resigned 27.2.1975 (resignation received by Administrator)   |
| Sydney, NSW (25.10.1969 – 11.11.1975)                            |                                    |                         |                                |                            |  |

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| <b>SCHOLES, Hon.</b><br>Gordon Glen Denton,<br>AO<br><br>Corio, Vic.<br>(22.7.1967 –<br>8.2.1993)                                 | ALP          |                                   |   | 27.2.1975 –<br>11.11.1975   | Elected 27.2.1975,<br>opposed by one<br>Member<br><br>Change of<br>government affirmed<br>at general election.<br>Nominated for<br>Speakership but not<br>re-elected in 30th<br>Parliament   |
| <b>SNEDDEN, Rt Hon.</b><br>Sir Billy Mackie,<br>KCMG, QC<br>(Knighted Jan.1978)<br><br>Bruce, Vic.<br>(10.12.1955 –<br>21.4.1983) | Liberal      | Lib – NCP<br>(from<br>11.11.1975) | 30th<br>17.2.1976 –<br>10.11.1977<br><br>31st<br>21.2.1978 –<br>19.9.1980<br><br>32nd<br>25.11.1980 –<br>4.2.1983 | 17.2.1976 –<br>10.11.1977<br><br>21.2.1978 –<br>19.9.1980<br><br>25.11.1980<br>– 4.2.1983 | Elected 17.2.1976,<br>opposed by previous<br>Speaker<br><br>Re-elected<br>21.2.1978, opposed<br>by one Member<br><br>Re-elected<br>25.11.1980, opposed<br>by one Member<br><br>Change of<br>government at<br>general election. Not<br>nominated for re-<br>election as Speaker<br>in 33rd Parliament |
| <b>JENKINS, Hon. Dr</b><br>Henry Alfred, AM<br><br>Scullin, Vic.<br>(25.10.1969 –<br>20.12.1985)                                  | ALP          | ALP (from<br>11.3.1983)           | 33rd<br>21.4.1983 –<br>26.10.1984<br><br>34th<br>21.2.1985 –<br>5.6.1987  | 21.4.1983 –<br>26.10.1984<br><br>21.2.1985 –<br>20.12.1985                                | Elected 21.4.1983,<br>unopposed<br><br>Re-elected<br>21.2.1985, opposed<br>by one Member<br><br>Resigned from<br>Parliament<br>20.12.1985  |
| <b>CHILD, Hon. Joan,</b><br>AO<br><br>Henty, Vic.<br>(18.5.1974 –<br>13.12.1975 and<br>18.10.1980 –<br>19.2.1990)                 | ALP          |                                   | 35th<br>14.9.1987 –<br>19.2.1990  | 11.2.1986 –<br>5.6.1987<br><br>14.9.1987 –<br>28.8.1989                                   | Elected 11.2.1986,<br>opposed by one<br>Member<br><br>Re-elected<br>14.9.1987, opposed<br>by one Member<br><br>Resigned 28.8.1989  |

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|---|---|------------------------------|---|---|--|
| <b>McLEAY</b> , Hon. Leo Boyce<br>Grayndler, NSW<br>(23.6.1979 – 13.3.1993)<br>Watson, NSW<br>(13.3.1993 – 31.8.2004)             | ALP   |                              | 36th<br>8.5.1990 – 8.2.1993                                     | 29.8.1989 – 22.12.1989<br>8.5.1990 – 8.2.1993   | Elected 29.8.1989, opposed by one Member<br>Re-elected 8.5.1990, opposed by one Member<br>Resigned 8.2.1993                                      |
| <b>MARTIN</b> , Hon. Stephen Paul<br>Macarthur, NSW<br>(1.12.1984 – 13.3.1993)<br>Cunningham, NSW<br>(from 13.3.1993 – 16.8.2002) | ALP   |                              | 37th<br>4.5.1993 – 29.1.1996                                    | 4.5.1993 – 29.1.1996                            | Elected 4.5.1993, opposed by one Member<br>Change of government at general election. Not nominated for re-election as Speaker in 38th Parliament |
| <b>HALVERSON</b> , Hon. Robert George, OBE<br>Casey, Vic.<br>(1.12.1984 – 31.8.98)  | Liberal   | Lib – NP<br>(from 11.3.1996) | 38th<br>30.4.1996 – 31.8.1998                                   | 30.4.1996 – 3.3.1998                            | Elected 30.4.1996, unopposed<br>Resigned 3.3.1998  |
| <b>SINCLAIR</b> , Rt Hon. Ian McCahon, AC<br>New England, NSW<br>(30.11.1963 – 31.8.1998)   | Country Party<br>National<br>Country Party<br>(from May 1975)<br>National (from October 1982) |                              |   | 4.3.1998 – 31.8.1998                            | Elected 4.3.1998, opposed by one Member<br>Retired from Parliament   |
| <b>ANDREW</b> , Hon. John Neil, AO, FTSE<br>Wakefield, SA<br>(5.3.1983 – 31.8.2004)   | Liberal   |                              | 39th<br>10.11.1998 – 8.10.2001<br>40th<br>12.2.2002 – 31.8.2004 | 10.11.1998 – 8.10.2001<br>12.2.2002 – 31.8.2004 | Elected 10.11.1998 unopposed<br>Re-elected 12.2.2002 unopposed<br>Retired from Parliament  |

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|--|---|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| <b>HAWKER</b> , Hon.<br>David Peter<br>Maxwell, AO                       | Liberal   |                                 | 41st<br>16.11.2004 –<br>17.10.2007 | 16.11.2004 –<br>17.10.2007 | Elected 16.11.2004<br>unopposed   |
| Wannon, Vic.<br>(7.5.1983 –<br>19.7.2010)                                |   |                                 |                                    |                            | Change of<br>government at<br>general election. Not<br>nominated for re-<br>election as Speaker<br>in 42nd Parliament |
| <b>JENKINS</b> , Harry<br>Alfred, AO                                     | ALP   | ALP (from<br>3.12.2007)         | 42nd<br>12.2.2008 –<br>19.7.2010   | 12.2.2008 –<br>19.7.2010   | Elected 12.2.2008<br>unopposed  |
| Scullin, Vic.<br>(8.2.1986 –<br>5.8.2013)                                |   |                                 | 43rd<br>28.9.2010 –<br>5.8.2013    | 28.9.2010 –<br>24.11.2011  | Re-elected 28.9.2010<br>unopposed<br><br>Resigned 24.11.2011  |
| <b>SLIPPER</b> , Hon.<br>Peter Neil                                      | National  |                                 |                                    | 24.11.2011–<br>9.10.2012   | Elected 24.11.2011<br>unopposed   |
| Fisher, Qld<br>(1.12.1984 –<br>11.7.1987 and<br>13.3.1993 –<br>5.8.2013) | Liberal<br>(from 1989)<br><br>Independent<br>(from<br>24.11.2011) |                                 |                                    |                            | Resigned 9.10.2012  |
| <b>BURKE</b> , Anna<br>Elizabeth   | ALP   |                                 |                                    | 9.10.2012 –<br>5.8.2013    | Elected 9.10.2012<br>unopposed  |
| Chisholm, Vic.<br>(3.10.1998 –<br>9.5.2016)                              |   |                                 |                                    |                            | Change of<br>government at<br>general election. Not<br>nominated for re-<br>election as Speaker<br>in 44th Parliament |
| <b>BISHOP</b> , Hon.<br>Bronwyn Kathleen                                 | Liberal   | Lib – NP<br>(from<br>18.9.2013) | 44th<br>12.11.2013 –<br>9.5.2016   | 12.11.2013–<br>2.8.2015    | Elected 12.11.2013,<br>opposed by one<br>Member   |
| Mackellar, NSW<br>(26.3.1994 –<br>9.5.2016)                              |   |                                 |                                    |                            | Resigned 2.8.2015   |
| <b>SMITH</b> , Hon.<br>Anthony David<br>Hawthorn                         | Liberal   |                                 |                                    | 10.8.2015 –<br>9.5.2016    | Elected 10.8.2015<br>unopposed  |
| Casey, Vic.<br>(10.11.2001 –   |   |                                 | 45th<br>30.8.2016 –                | 30.8.2016 –                | Re-elected 30.8.2016<br>unopposed   |

\* The *Parliamentary Presiding Officers Act 1965* provides that the person who was Presiding Officer immediately before a dissolution shall, for the purposes of the exercise of any powers or functions by the Presiding Officer under a law of the Commonwealth, be deemed to continue to be the Presiding Officer until a Presiding Officer is chosen by the House. Similarly, if the Speaker resigns his or her office or seat, he or she is deemed to continue to be Presiding Officer until a Presiding Officer is chosen by the House.