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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 65

WEDNESDAY, 2 NOVEMBER 2005

1 The House met, at 9 a.m., pursuant to adjournment. The Speaker (the Honourable David Hawker) took the Chair, and read Prayers.

2 WORKPLACE RELATIONS AMENDMENT (WORK CHOICES) BILL 2005

Mr Andrews (Minister for Employment and Workplace Relations), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the law relating to workplace relations, and for related purposes.

Bill read a first time.

Suspension of standing and sessional orders moved

Mr S. F. Smith moved—That so much of the standing and sessional orders be suspended as would prevent the Member for Perth moving immediately—That:

- (1) as it is completely inappropriate for the House to consider this bill further without the opportunity for proper scrutiny, which the Government is desperate to avoid, the bill be referred immediately to the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Employment, Workplace Relations and Workforce Participation;
- (2) the Standing Committee be requested to consider the bill and provide an advisory report to the House after the Committee has received submissions and taken evidence from the people of Australia; and
- (3) the House request the Committee consult widely throughout Australia, including in the various States and Territories, with the Churches, and throughout rural and regional Australia.

Closure of Member

Mr Abbott (Leader of the House) moved—That the Member be no longer heard.

Question—put.

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

AYES, 83

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

NOES, 58

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

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ms Gillard (seconder) addressing the House—

Closure of Member

Mr Abbott moved—That the Member be no longer heard.

Question—put.

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

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Mr Abbott	Mr Dutton	Jackie Kelly	Mr Ruddock
Mr Anderson	Mrs Elson	Mr Laming	Mr Schultz
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Mr Baird	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr Lloyd	Mr Slipper
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Mr Baldwin	Ms Gambaro	Mr Macfarlane	Mr Somlyay
Mr Barresi	Mrs Gash	Mr McGauran	Dr Stone
Mr Bartlett	Mr Georgiou	Mrs Markus	Mr C. P. Thompson
Mr Billson	Mr Haase	Mrs May	Mr Ticehurst
Mrs B. K. Bishop	Mr Hardgrave	Mrs Moylan	Mr Tollner
Ms J. Bishop	Mr Hartsuyker	Mr Nairn	Mr Truss
Mr Broadbent	Mr Henry	Dr Nelson	Mr Tuckey
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Mr Cadman	Mr Howard	Ms Panopoulos	Mr M. A. J. Vaile
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Mr Ciobo	Mr Hunt	Mr Prosser	Mr Vasta
Mr Cobb	Dr Jensen	Mr Pyne	Mr Wakelin
Mr Costello	Mr Johnson	Mr Randall	Dr Washer
Mr Downer	Mr Keenan	Mr Richardson	Mr Wood
Mrs Draper	Mrs D. M. Kelly	Mr Robb	

NOES, 59

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

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the motion for the suspension of standing and sessional orders be agreed to—put.

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

AYES, 59

Mr Adams	Ms A. L. Ellis	Ms Hoare	Ms Plibersek
Mr Albanese	Ms K. M. Ellis	Mrs Irwin	Mr Price
Mr Andren	Mr Emerson	Mr Jenkins	Mr Quick
Mr Beazley	Mr L. D. T. Ferguson	Mr Kerr	Ms Roxon
Mr Bevis	Mr M. J. Ferguson	Ms C. King	Mr Rudd
Ms Bird	Mr Fitzgibbon	Dr Lawrence	Mr Sercombe
Mr Bowen	Mr Garrett	Ms Livermore	Mr S. F. Smith
Ms A. E. Burke	Mr Georganas	Mr McClelland	Mr Snowden
Mr A. S. Burke	Ms George	Ms Macklin	Mr Swan
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Mr Anderson	Mrs Elson	Mr Laming	Mr Schultz
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Mr Baird	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr Lloyd	Mr Slipper
Mr Baker	Mr Forrest*	Mr McArthur*	Mr A. D. H. Smith
Mr Baldwin	Ms Gambaro	Mr Macfarlane	Mr Somlyay
Mr Barresi	Mrs Gash	Mr McGauran	Dr Stone
Mr Bartlett	Mr Georgiou	Mrs Markus	Mr C. P. Thompson
Mr Billson	Mr Haase	Mrs May	Mr Ticehurst
Mrs B. K. Bishop	Mr Hardgrave	Mrs Moylan	Mr Tollner
Ms J. Bishop	Mr Hartsuyker	Mr Nairn	Mr Truss
Mr Broadbent	Mr Henry	Dr Nelson	Mr Tuckey
Mr Brough	Mr Hockey	Mr Neville	Mr Turnbull
Mr Cadman	Mr Howard	Ms Panopoulos	Mr M. A. J. Vaile
Mr Causley	Mrs Hull	Mr Pearce	Mrs D. S. Vale
Mr Ciobo	Mr Hunt	Mr Prosser	Mr Vasta
Mr Cobb	Dr Jensen	Mr Pyne	Mr Wakelin
Mr Costello	Mr Johnson	Mr Randall	Dr Washer
Mr Downer	Mr Keenan	Mr Richardson	Mr Wood
Mrs Draper	Mrs D. M. Kelly	Mr Robb	

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And so it was negatived.

Point of order

Mr S. F. Smith having raised a query that under Standing Order 142(a) the second reading could not be moved as copies of the bill were not available to Members—

Speaker's ruling

The Speaker ruled that copies of the bill were available in the Chamber and from the Table Office.

Dissent from ruling

Mr S. F. Smith moved—That the ruling be dissented from.

Debate ensued.

Closure

Mr Abbott moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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

AYES, 81

Mr Abbott	Mrs Elson	Mrs Ley	Mr Scott
Mr Anderson	Mr Entsch	Mr Lindsay	Mr Secker
Mr Andrews	Mr Fawcett	Mr Lloyd	Mr Slipper
Mr Baird	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr McArthur*	Mr A. D. H. Smith
Mr Baker	Mr Forrest*	Mr Macfarlane	Mr Somlyay
Mr Baldwin	Ms Gambaro	Mr McGauran	Dr Stone
Mr Barresi	Mrs Gash	Mrs Markus	Mr C. P. Thompson
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Mr Billson	Mr Haase	Mrs Moylan	Mr Tollner
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Ms J. Bishop	Mr Hartsuyker	Dr Nelson	Mr Tuckey
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Mr Brough	Mr Hockey	Ms Panopoulos	Mr M. A. J. Vaile
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Mr Causley	Mr Hunt	Mr Prosser	Mr Vasta
Mr Ciobo	Dr Jensen	Mr Pyne	Mr Wakelin
Mr Cobb	Mr Johnson	Mr Randall	Dr Washer
Mr Costello	Mr Keenan	Mr Richardson	Mr Wood
Mr Downer	Mrs D. M. Kelly	Mr Robb	
Mrs Draper	Jackie Kelly	Mr Ruddock	
Mr Dutton	Mr Laming	Mr Schultz	

NOES, 61

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

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

AYES, 61

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

NOES, 81

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

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And so it was negatived.

Mr Andrews moved—That the bill be now read a second time.

Document

Mr Andrews presented an explanatory memorandum to the bill.

Question—That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for the next sitting.

Suspension of standing and sessional orders moved

Mr S. F. Smith moved—That so much of the standing and sessional orders be suspended as would prevent the Member for Perth moving immediately—That:

- (1) as this extreme, unfair and divisive bill represents:
- (a) a savage attack on the living standards of working Australian families;
 - (b) a savage attack on the Australian way of life, in particular our national characteristic, value and virtue of a fair go; and
 - (c) a savage attack on the rights in the workplace of working men and women;
- the debate be adjourned, and the resumption of the debate not be made an order of the day for the next sitting; and
- (2) resumption of the debate on the second reading be made an order of the day for a sitting following a debate on the bill between the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition, to be screened on national television as a matter of national importance, so that Australians can form their own opinion on this legislative proposal without the Prime Minister hiding behind his \$55 million taxpayer funded Liberal Party advertising campaign.

Closure of Member

Mr Abbott moved—That the Member be no longer heard.

Question—put.

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

AYES, 82

Mr Abbott	Mrs Elson	Mr Laming	Mr Schultz
Mr Anderson	Mr Entsch	Mrs Ley	Mr Scott
Mr Andrews	Mr Fawcett	Mr Lindsay	Mr Secker
Mr Baird	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr Lloyd	Mr Slipper
Mr Baker	Mr Forrest*	Mr McArthur*	Mr A. D. H. Smith
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Mr Barresi	Mrs Gash	Mr McGauran	Dr Stone
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Mr Brough	Mr Hockey	Mr Neville	Mr Turnbull
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Mr Downer	Mr Keenan	Mr Richardson	Mr Wood
Mrs Draper	Mrs D. M. Kelly	Mr Robb	
Mr Dutton	Jackie Kelly	Mr Ruddock	

NOES, 59

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

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ms Gillard (seconder) addressing the House—

Closure of Member

Mr Abbott moved—That the Member be no longer heard.

Question—put.

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

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Mr Adams	Ms K. M. Ellis	Ms Hoare	Ms Plibersek
Mr Albanese	Mr Emerson	Mrs Irwin	Mr Price
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Ms Corcoran	Ms Gillard	Mr McMullan	Mr Swan
Mr Crean	Ms Grierson	Mr Melham	Mr Tanner
Mr Danby*	Mr Griffin	Mr Murphy	Mr K. J. Thomson
Mr Edwards	Ms Hall*	Mr B. P. O'Connor	Ms Vamvakinou
Mrs Elliot	Mr Hatton	Mr G. M. O'Connor	
Ms A. L. Ellis	Mr Hayes	Ms Owens	

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the motion for the suspension of standing and sessional orders be agreed to—put.

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

AYES, 58

Mr Adams	Ms K. M. Ellis	Ms Hoare	Ms Plibersek
Mr Albanese	Mr Emerson	Mrs Irwin	Mr Price
Mr Beazley	Mr L. D. T. Ferguson	Mr Jenkins	Mr Quick
Mr Bevis	Mr M. J. Ferguson	Mr Kerr	Mr Ripoll
Ms Bird	Mr Fitzgibbon	Ms C. King	Ms Roxon
Mr Bowen	Mr Garrett	Dr Lawrence	Mr Rudd
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Ms Corcoran	Ms Gillard	Mr McMullan	Mr Swan
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Mr Danby*	Mr Griffin	Mr Murphy	Mr K. J. Thomson
Mr Edwards	Ms Hall*	Mr B. P. O'Connor	Ms Vamvakinou
Mrs Elliot	Mr Hatton	Mr G. M. O'Connor	
Ms A. L. Ellis	Mr Hayes	Ms Owens	

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Mr Andrews	Mr Fawcett	Mr Lindsay	Mr Secker
Mr Baird	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr Lloyd	Mr Slipper
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Mr Dutton	Jackie Kelly	Mr Ruddock	

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And so it was negatived.

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

3 COMMONWEALTH RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT BILL 2005

The order of the day having been read for the further consideration in detail of the bill—

Bill, as a whole—

Debate resumed on the bill and on the amendments moved together by Mr Tollner (*see Votes and Proceedings 1 November 2005, item No. 11, page 709*).

Amendments agreed to.

Question—That the bill, as amended, be agreed to—put.

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

AYES, 81

Mr Abbott	Mrs Elson	Mrs Ley	Mr Scott
Mr Anderson	Mr Entsch	Mr Lindsay	Mr Secker
Mr Andrews	Mr Fawcett	Mr Lloyd	Mr Slipper
Fran Bailey	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr McArthur*	Mr A. D. H. Smith
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Mr Cobb	Mr Keenan	Mr Richardson	Mr Wood
Mr Downer	Mrs D. M. Kelly	Mr Robb	
Mrs Draper	Jackie Kelly	Mr Ruddock	
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NOES, 56

Mr Adams	Ms K. M. Ellis	Mr Hayes	Mr G. M. O'Connor
Mr Albanese	Mr Emerson	Ms Hoare	Ms Owens
Mr Bevis	Mr L. D. T. Ferguson	Mrs Irwin	Ms Plibersek
Ms Bird	Mr M. J. Ferguson	Mr Jenkins	Mr Price
Mr Bowen	Mr Fitzgibbon	Mr Kerr	Mr Quick
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Mr Edwards	Mr Griffin	Mr Melham	Mr Tanner
Mrs Elliot	Ms Hall*	Mr Murphy	Mr K. J. Thomson
Ms A. L. Ellis	Mr Hatton	Mr B. P. O'Connor	Ms Vamvakinou

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Consideration in detail concluded.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved immediately.

Dr Nelson (Minister for Education, Science and Training) moved—That the bill be now read a third time.

Question—put.

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

AYES, 81

Mr Abbott	Mrs Elson	Mrs Ley	Mr Scott
Mr Anderson	Mr Entsch	Mr Lindsay	Mr Secker
Mr Andrews	Mr Fawcett	Mr Lloyd	Mr Slipper
Fran Bailey	Mr M. D. Ferguson	Mr McArthur*	Mr A. D. H. Smith
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Mr Danby*	Ms Grierson	Mr McMullan	Mr Swan
Mr Edwards	Mr Griffin	Mr Melham	Mr Tanner
Mrs Elliot	Ms Hall*	Mr Murphy	Mr K. J. Thomson
Ms A. L. Ellis	Mr Hatton	Mr B. P. O'Connor	Ms Vamvakinou

* Tellers

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

4 COMMONWEALTH RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT (RELATED AMENDMENT) BILL 2005

The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the bill be now read a second time—

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

Consideration in detail

Bill, by leave, taken as a whole.

Mr Tollner, by leave, moved amendments (1) to (4) together.

Amendments agreed to.

Question—That the bill, as amended, be agreed to—put.

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

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

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

* Tellers

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Consideration in detail concluded.

On the motion of Dr Nelson (Minister for Education, Science and Training), by leave, the bill was read a third time.

5 HEALTH LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2005

The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed by Ms Gillard who moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “whilst not declining to give the bill a second reading, the House condemns the Government for:

- (1) failing to complete the Fourth Pharmacy Agreement in a timely fashion;
- (2) providing an unnecessary and unjustified power to the Minister to enable him to over-ride expert advice and limit Medicare benefits in any way he sees fit; and
- (3) failing to consult with stakeholders on the need for this new power”.

Debate continued.

It being 2 p.m., the debate was interrupted in accordance with standing order 97, and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for a later hour this day.

6 MINISTERIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Mr Howard (Prime Minister) informed the House that, during the absence of Mr M. A. J. Vaile (Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade), Mr Downer (Minister for Foreign Affairs) would answer questions on his behalf.

7 QUESTIONS

Questions without notice being asked—

Member directed to leave

At 2.05 p.m. the Member for Rankin (Mr Emerson) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a warning had been given from the Chair, and he accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 2.08 p.m. the Member for Charlton (Ms Hoare) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a warning had been given from the Chair, and she accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 2.13 p.m. the Member for Fowler (Mrs Irwin) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and she accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 2.16 p.m. the Member for Grayndler (Mr Albanese) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a warning and a general warning had been given from the Chair, and he accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 2.16 p.m. the Member for Oxley (Mr Ripoll) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and he accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 2.24 p.m. the Member for Ballarat (Ms King) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and she accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 2.40 p.m. the Member for Corio (Mr G. M. O'Connor) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and he accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continuing—

Document

Mr Lloyd (Minister for Local Government, Territories and Roads) presented the following document:

Proposed Bonville deviation on the Pacific Highway—Copy of letter from Mr Lloyd to the Hon. Joe Tripodi MP, Minister for Roads, 15 September 2005.

Questions without notice continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 3.01 p.m. the Member for Calwell (Ms Vamvakinou) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and she accordingly left the Chamber.

Questions without notice continued.

8 DOCUMENTS

The following documents were presented:

Australian Institute of Criminology and the Criminology Research Council—Report for 2004-05.

Commonwealth Director of Public Prosecutions—Report for 2004-05.

Companies Auditors and Liquidators Disciplinary Board—Report for 2004-05.

Cotton Research and Development Corporation—Report for 2004-05.

Native Title and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Land Fund—Parliamentary Joint Committee—Reports—

Effectiveness of the National Native Title Tribunal—Government response.

19th Report—Second interim report for the s.206(d) inquiry—Indigenous land use agreements—Government response.

Professional Services Review—Report for 2004-05.

9 DOCUMENTS—MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENTS

Mr Abbott (Leader of the House) moved—That the House take note of the following documents:

Native Title and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Land Fund—Parliamentary Joint Committee—Report—19th Report—Second interim report for the s.206(d) inquiry—Indigenous land use agreements—Government response.

Professional Services Review—Report for 2004-05.

Debate adjourned (Ms Gillard), and the resumption of each debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

10 DISCUSSION OF MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE—INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS CHANGES

The House was informed that Mr Beazley (Leader of the Opposition) had proposed that a definite matter of public importance be submitted to the House for discussion, namely, “The Government’s attack on the living standards of Australian families and the Australian way of life through its extreme industrial relations changes”.

The proposed discussion having received the necessary support—

Mr Beazley addressed the House.

Discussion ensued.

Member directed to leave

At 3.30 p.m. the Member for Holt (Mr Byrne) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and he accordingly left the Chamber.

Discussion continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 3.32 p.m. the Member for Canberra (Ms A. L. Ellis) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and she accordingly left the Chamber.

Discussion continuing—

Member directed to leave

At 3.36 p.m. the Member for Melbourne Ports (Mr Danby) was directed, under standing order 94, to leave the Chamber for one hour for continuing to interject after a general warning had been given from the Chair, and he accordingly left the Chamber.

Discussion continued.

Discussion concluded.

11 RESOLUTION FROM THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

The Deputy Speaker presented the following document:

Telecommunications infrastructure in the Territory—Letter from the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory forwarding a resolution of the Assembly and record of debate, 28 October 2005.

12 POSTPONEMENT OF BUSINESS

Ordered—That business intervening before notice No. 2, government business, be postponed until a later hour this day.

13 ANTI-TERRORISM BILL 2005

Mr Ruddock (Attorney-General), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the law relating to terrorist acts, and for other purposes.

Bill read a first time.

Mr Ruddock moved—That the bill be now read a second time.

Document

Mr Ruddock presented an explanatory memorandum to the bill.

Debate, by leave, ensued.

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

Leave granted for third reading to be moved immediately.

On the motion of Mr Ruddock, the bill was read a third time.

14 PUBLIC WORKS—PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORTS—STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

Mrs Moylan (Chair) presented the following documents:

Public Works—Parliamentary Standing Committee—Reports—

RAAF Base Amberley redevelopment stage 2, Queensland (18th report of 2005).

Relocation of RAAF College; RAAF Base East Sale, Victoria, and RAAF Base Wagga, NSW (19th report of 2005).

Reports ordered to be made Parliamentary Papers.

Mrs Moylan and Mr Jenkins, by leave, made statements in connection with the reports.

15 HEALTH LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2005

The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the bill be now read a second time—*And on the amendment moved thereto by Ms Gillard (see item No. 5, page 723)*—

Debate resumed.

Amendment negatived.

Question—That the bill be now read a second time—put and passed—bill read a second time.

Consideration in detail

Bill, by leave, taken as a whole.

Document

Ms J. Bishop (Minister for Ageing) presented a supplementary explanatory memorandum to the bill.

On the motion of Ms J. Bishop, by leave, Government amendments (1) to (3) were made together.

Bill, as amended, agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded.

On the motion of Ms J. Bishop, by leave, the bill was read a third time.

16 MIGRATION AND OMBUDSMAN LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2005

The order of the day having been read for the second reading—Mr Cobb (Minister representing the Minister for Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs) moved—That the bill be now read a second time.

Document

Mr Cobb presented an explanatory memorandum to the bill.

Debate ensued.

Mr A. S. Burke moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “whilst not declining to give the bill a second reading, the House:

- (1) notes that, for the bill to be effective in delivering more humane treatment of detainees, it is essential that the culture within the Department of Immigration, Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs needs to change;
- (2) recognises that the independent reports produced by Mr Mick Palmer AO APM and by the Commonwealth Ombudsman, Prof. John McMillan, of an inquiry undertaken by Mr Neil Comrie AO APM, each conclude that the cultural problems became entrenched in the years leading up to 2001;
- (3) condemns the refusal by the then Minister for Immigration and current Attorney-General to take responsibility for that culture;
- (4) condemns the refusal by the current Minister for Immigration to take responsibility for the continuation of that culture;
- (5) agrees with the finding of Mr Palmer’s report that “Reform must come from the top” and therefore calls on the Prime Minister to dismiss the Attorney General and the Minister for Immigration;
- (6) calls on the Government to take action to terminate the contracts which outsource the management of detention centres to Global Solutions Ltd; and
- (7) calls on the Government to return the management of detention centres to the Commonwealth and locate all detention centres on Commonwealth Territory”.

Debate continued.

Debate adjourned (Ms J. Bishop—Minister for Ageing), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

17 GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS AND VOTES OFFICER’S MINUTES—STATEMENT BY SPEAKER

The Speaker made a statement concerning access to government documents and the Votes Officer’s Minutes.

18 ADJOURNMENT

It being approximately 7.30 p.m.—The question was proposed—That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

The House continuing to sit until 8 p.m.—The Speaker adjourned the House until tomorrow at 9 a.m.

DOCUMENTS

The following documents were deemed to have been presented on 2 November 2005:

Acts Interpretation Act—Statement relating to extension of time for presentation of periodic report—Department of Defence—Report for 2004-05.

Australian Prudential Regulation Authority Act—Determination under section 57—2005 Non-confidentiality No. 10, 18 October [F2005L03214].

Corporations Act—Order under paragraph 926A(2)(c)—Australian Securities and Investments Commission—Class Order CO 05/1070 [F2005L03335].

Customs Act—Orders—Tariff Concession—2005—21 (20) October [F2005L03313], [F2005L03314], [F2005L03315], [F2005L03316], [F2005L03317], [F2005L03318], [F2005L03319], [F2005L03320], [F2005L03321], [F2005L03322], [F2005L03329], [F2005L03330], [F2005L03331], [F2005L03332], [F2005L03333], [F2005L03334], [F2005L03336], [F2005L03337], [F2005L03338], [F2005L03339].

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act—Notices under section 33—
 Accreditation of plans for a declaration—
 Eastern Tuna and Billfish Fishery Management Plan 2005, 28 July 2005
 Western Tuna and Billfish Fishery Management Plan 2005, 21 October 2005
 Accreditation of an amendment to a plan for a declaration—Southern and Eastern Scalefish and Shark
 Fishery Plan of Management Amendment 2005 (No. 1), 25 October 2005.

Health Insurance Act—
 Determination—2005 Health Insurance (Allied health and dental services) Amendment (No. 1)
 [F2005L03310].
 Instrument—2005 Common form of undertaking for participating optometrists [F2005L03325].
 Regulations—Select Legislative Instrument—2005 No. 239 [F2005L03098].

Higher Education Support Act—Higher education provider—Notice of approval—2005 No. 12
 [F2005L03356].

Migration Act—Migration Regulations—Notices—2005—
 Addresses for trade skills training sponsor and visa applications [F2005L03311].
 Classes of persons applying for a student visa from outside Australia [F2005L03301].
 Classes of persons applying for a student visa from within Australia [F2005L03303].
 Educational institutions in regional and low population growth metropolitan areas [F2005L03327].
 Migration occupations in demand [F2005L03326].
 Persons who may apply for a working holiday maker visa [F2005L03295].
 Postal and courier delivery addresses for distinguished talent visas and special eligibility visas
 [F2005L03345].
 Skilled Australian sponsored (Migrant) visa: Residential postcodes, “skilled occupations” and points
 [F2005L03346].
 Working holiday maker visa—Definitions of ‘seasonal work’ and ‘regional Australia’ [F2005L03299].
 Working holiday maker visa—Post office box address [F2005L03297].

National Health Act—Determinations under paragraph (bj) of Schedule 1—2005 Nos HIB 19, HIB 20,
 HIB 21 [F2005L03323], [F2005L03290], [F2005L03289].

ATTENDANCE

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

* On leave

I. C. HARRIS
 Clerk of the House of Representatives

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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No. 65

MAIN COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, 2 NOVEMBER 2005

1 The Main Committee met at 9.31 a.m.

2 **MEMBERS' STATEMENTS**

Members' statements were made.

3 **ENERGY EFFICIENCY OPPORTUNITIES BILL 2005**

The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the bill be now read a second time—*And on the amendment moved thereto by Mr M. J. Ferguson, viz.*—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to substituting the following words: “whilst not declining to give the bill a second reading, the House:

(1) calls on the Government to introduce energy efficiency to all sectors of the community, including transport, and housing, as well as business;

(2) condemns the Government for failing to support the alternative fuel and renewable energy industries; and

(3) condemns the Government for not adopting the bipartisan recommendations put forward by the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Environment and Heritage in its report on Sustainable Cities”—

Debate resumed.

Suspension of sitting

At 10.05 a.m., a division having been called in the House, the proceedings were suspended.

Resumption of sitting

At 10.20 a.m., the proceedings were resumed.

Debate continued.

Suspension of sitting

At 10.47 a.m., a division having been called in the House, the proceedings were suspended.

Resumption of sitting

At 11.06 a.m., the proceedings were resumed.

Debate continued.

Suspension of sitting

At 11.40 a.m., a division having been called in the House, the proceedings were suspended.

Resumption of sitting

At 12 p.m., the proceedings were resumed.

Debate continued.

Suspension of sitting

At 12.03 p.m., a division having been called in the House, the proceedings were suspended.

Resumption of sitting

At 12.14 p.m., the proceedings were resumed.

Debate continued.

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

4 ADJOURNMENT

On the motion of Mr Hartsuyker, the Main Committee adjourned at 1.04 p.m.

The Deputy Speaker fixed tomorrow at 9.30 a.m. for the next meeting of the Main Committee.

B. C. WRIGHT
Clerk of the Main Committee