

## THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 74

TUESDAY, 16 FEBRUARY 1971

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- 1 The House met, at three o'clock p.m., according to the terms of the resolution of 30 October last. Mr Speaker (the Honourable Sir William Aston) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2 **DEATH OF FIELD MARSHAL VISCOUNT SLIM:** Mr Gorton (Prime Minister) referred to the death of Field Marshal Viscount Slim, and moved—That this House expresses its deep regret at the death on 14 December 1970 of Field Marshal Viscount Slim, K.G., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., G.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., a former Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia from 1953 to 1960, and tenders its profound sympathy to Viscountess Slim and family in their bereavement.  
And Mr Whitlam (Leader of the Opposition) having seconded the motion, and Mr Anthony (Leader of the Australian Country Party) having addressed the House in support thereof, and all Members present having risen, in silence—  
Question—passed.
- 3 **DEATH OF SENATOR J. P. ORMONDE:** Mr Gorton (Prime Minister) referred to the death of Senator J. P. Ormonde, and moved—That this House expresses its deep regret at the death on 30 November 1970 of James Patrick Ormonde, a Senator for the State of New South Wales from 1958, and places on record its appreciation of his long and meritorious public service and tenders its profound sympathy to his widow and family in their bereavement.  
And Mr Whitlam (Leader of the Opposition) having seconded the motion, and Mr Anthony (Leader of the Australian Country Party) and Mr James having addressed the House in support thereof, and all Members present having risen, in silence—  
Question—passed.
- 4 **DEATH OF FORMER MEMBER (MRS D. A. BLACKBURN):** Mr Gorton (Prime Minister) referred to the death, on 12 December 1970, of Mrs Doris Amelia Blackburn, a Member of this House for the Division of Bourke from 1946 to 1949, paid tribute to her memory and extended sympathy to her family.  
Mr Whitlam (Leader of the Opposition), Mr Anthony (Leader of the Australian Country Party) and other honourable Members supported the remarks of the Prime Minister.  
As a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased all Members stood, in silence.
- 5 **RESIGNATION OF MEMBER AND ISSUE OF WRIT (MURRAY DIVISION):** Mr Speaker announced that, during his absence from the Commonwealth, His Excellency the Governor-General had, on 1 February 1971, received from the Right Honourable Sir John McEwen, G.C.M.G., C.H., a letter resigning his seat as Member for the Electoral Division of Murray, in the State of Victoria, that His Excellency had forwarded the letter to him, and that he had issued a writ on 15 February for the election of a Member to serve for the said Electoral Division. The dates in connection with the election were fixed as follows:
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| Date of nomination     | .. | Wednesday, 3 March 1971.            |
| Date of polling        | .. | Saturday, 20 March 1971.            |
| Date of return of writ | .. | On or before Friday, 16 April 1971. |

- 6 **MINISTERIAL CHANGES AND ARRANGEMENTS AND DEPARTMENTAL CHANGE:** Mr Gorton (Prime Minister) informed the House that, following the resignation of Sir John McEwen, Mr Anthony had been appointed Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry, Mr Sinclair had been appointed Minister for Primary Industry, Mr Nixon had been appointed Minister for Shipping and Transport and Mr Hunt had been appointed Minister for the Interior.
- In the Senate, Senator Sir Kenneth Anderson (Minister for Supply) would continue to represent the Minister for Trade and Industry, Senator Drake-Brockman (Minister for Air) would continue to represent the Minister for Primary Industry and Senator Cotton (Minister for Civil Aviation) would continue to represent the Minister for Shipping and Transport and the Minister for the Interior.
- Mr Gorton also informed the House that the name of the Department of External Affairs had been changed to Department of Foreign Affairs and that Mr McMahon had been sworn in as Minister for Foreign Affairs on 6 November 1970.
- 7 **LEADER OF THE AUSTRALIAN COUNTRY PARTY:** Mr Anthony (Minister for Trade and Industry) informed the House that he had been appointed Leader of the Australian Country Party, and that Mr Sinclair (Minister for Primary Industry) had been appointed Deputy Leader.
- 8 **PETITIONS:** Mr Fox presented a petition from certain residents of New South Wales praying that the export of all kangaroo products be banned immediately.
- Mr Wallis presented a petition from certain electors of the Division of Grey praying that this House take immediate steps to increase the base pension rate to 30 per cent of average weekly male earnings.
- Mr J. F. Cairns presented a petition from certain electors of the Division of Lalor praying that the House make provision for a pensioners' "Little Budget" to increase the pension rates by \$1.50 instead of the 50c now provided and a full scale public inquiry into all aspects of post-retirement and income provisions.
- Petitions severally received and read.
- Mr Peacock (Minister for the Army) presented a petition from a citizen of Victoria praying that the Government take steps to ensure that bottles are made non-returnable, fumes from aircraft are reduced, tissue and toilet paper is made to disintegrate and Councils adequately collect and bury rubbish for the better protection of the environment.
- Petition received.
- Mr Dobie presented a petition from certain citizens of Australia praying that the House take immediate steps to abolish the means test for all people who have reached retiring age or who otherwise qualify for social service benefits or pensions.
- Mr J. F. Cairns presented a petition from certain residents of Victoria praying that this House will ban the export of products made from kangaroos immediately, insist that State governments prohibit the commercial shooting of kangaroos and enact legislation to give the Commonwealth Government control of all native wildlife throughout Australia.
- Mr Klugman presented a petition from certain citizens of Australia praying that the House take immediate steps to ensure that emergency finance from the Commonwealth will be given to the States for their public education services which provide schooling for 78 per cent of Australia's children.
- Petitions severally received and read.
- A similar petition to that presented by Mr Klugman was presented by Mr L. R. Johnson, and was received.
- Petitions praying that the House seek to ensure that Commonwealth legislation bearing on films, literature and radio and television programmes is so framed and so administered as to give the maximum freedom to adults to choose what they will watch, read and listen to, even in the face of pressure from those who seek to impose their ideas and morals on others who do not share them were presented by Mr MacKellar, from certain citizens of Warringah, and by Mr Klugman, from certain citizens of New South Wales.
- Petitions severally received.

Mr Keogh presented a petition from certain citizens of Australia praying that the Government will seek the co-operation of the States and supply extra finance to the States to enable (1) proper town planning and development to halt the increase in densely populated areas which lead to increased crime, (2) the proper staffing and equipping of police forces to enable adequate crime prevention and detection measures to reduce the frightening increase of both solved and unsolved crime, (3) the proper detention of and rehabilitation of criminals and (4) compensation to victims of crimes of violence.

Petition received and read.

9 QUESTIONS: Questions without notice were asked.

10 STATEMENT BY MEMBER—LEAVE TO MAKE NOT GRANTED: Mr Wentworth (Minister for Social Services) asked leave to make a statement.

Objection being raised, leave not granted.

11 PAPERS: The following papers were presented, pursuant to statute:

Coal Industry Act—Joint Coal Board—Twenty-third Annual Report and financial accounts, together with the Auditor-General's Report, for year 1969-70.

Commonwealth Railways Act—Commonwealth Railways Commissioner—Annual Report, for year 1969-70.

Fishing Industry Act—Fourteenth Annual Report, for year 1969-70.

Fishing Industry Research Act—Fishing Industry Research Committee—First Annual Report, for year 1969-70.

Marginal Dairy Farms Agreements Act—Copy of Agreement made on 4 December 1970 between the Commonwealth of Australia and the State of Tasmania in relation to the Marginal Dairy Farms Reconstruction Scheme.

States Grants (Teachers Colleges) Act—Annual Statement of payments under the Act, for year 1969-70.

12 MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE: Messages from the Senate were reported returning the following Bills without amendment:

2 November 1970—Message No. 103—Australian Wool Commission 1970.

4 November 1970 a.m.—Message No. 104—Appropriation (No. 1) 1970-71 (*without requests*).

4 November 1970—Message—

No. 105—Appropriation (No. 2) 1970-71.

No. 106—States Grants (Aboriginal Advancement) 1970.

No. 107—Education Research 1970.

No. 108—Cairns College of Advanced Education 1970.

No. 109—Commonwealth Places (Application of Laws) 1970.

No. 110—Loans (Defence) (No. 2) 1970.

No. 111—Navigation (No. 2) 1970.

No. 112—Asian Development Bank (Special Funds Contributions) 1970.

No. 113—Phosphate Fertilizers Bounty 1970.

No. 114—States Grants (Water Resources Measurement) 1970.

No. 115—Australian Film Development Corporation (No. 2) 1970.

No. 116—Export Payments Insurance Corporation (No. 2) 1970.

No. 117—Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation (No. 2) 1970.

No. 118—Stevedoring Industry (Temporary Provisions) (No. 2) 1970.

No. 119—States Grants 1970.

No. 120—States Grants (Debt Charges Assistance) 1970.

No. 121—States Grants (Capital Assistance) 1970.

No. 122—States Grants (Special Assistance) 1970.

No. 123—States Grants (Advanced Education) 1970.

No. 124—States Grants (Universities) (No. 2) 1970.

No. 125—Papua and New Guinea Loan (International Bank) 1970.

No. 126—Bankruptcy 1970.

13 MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL—ASSENT TO BILLS: Messages from His Excellency the Governor-General were announced informing the House that His Excellency, in the name of Her Majesty, had assented to the following Bills:

2 November 1970—Message No. 87—

Seat of Government (Administration) 1970.  
Gold-Mining Industry Assistance 1970.  
Processed Milk Products Bounty (No. 2) 1970.  
Fisheries 1970.

4 November 1970—Message—

No. 88—

Air Navigation (Charges) 1970.  
Lighthouses 1970.

No. 89—

Appropriation (No. 1) 1970–71.  
Appropriation (No. 2) 1970–71.  
Loan (Housing) 1970.  
States Receipts Duties (Administration) 1970.  
States Receipts Duty (No. 1) 1970.  
States Receipts Duty (No. 2) 1970.  
States Receipts Duty (No. 3) 1970.  
States Receipts Duties (Exemption) 1970.  
States Grants (Receipts Duty) 1970.  
Australian Wool Commission 1970.  
Customs Tariff Validation 1970.

10 November 1970—Message No. 90—Papua and New Guinea Loan (International Bank) 1970.

11 November 1970—Message No. 91—

States Grants (Water Resources Measurement) 1970.  
States Grants 1970.  
States Grants (Debt Charges Assistance) 1970.  
States Grants (Capital Assistance) 1970.  
Education Research 1970.  
Asian Development Bank (Special Funds Contributions) 1970.  
Canberra College of Advanced Education 1970.  
Phosphate Fertilizers Bounty 1970.  
States Grants (Aboriginal Advancement) 1970.  
Navigation (No. 2) 1970.  
States Grants (Advanced Education) 1970.  
States Grants (Special Assistance) 1970.  
States Grants (Universities) (No. 2) 1970.  
Commonwealth Places (Application of Laws) 1970.  
Bankruptcy 1970.  
Australian Film Development Corporation (No. 2) 1970.  
Export Payments Insurance Corporation (No. 2) 1970.  
Snowy Mountains Engineering Corporation (No. 2) 1970.  
Stevedoring Industry (Temporary Provisions) (No. 2) 1970.  
Loan (Defence) (No. 2) 1970.

14 INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT BILL 1971: Mr Bury (Treasurer) presented a Bill for an Act to amend section 62AA of the *Income Tax Assessment Act* 1936–1970.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

15 BROADCASTING AND TELEVISION BILL 1970: The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed.

Question—put and passed—Bill read a second time.  
The House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

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*In the committee*

Clauses 1 to 13, by leave, taken together, and agreed to.

Clause 14—

Mr Keating moved the following amendment: Page 6, line 40, omit “twelfth day of December”, insert “twenty-second day of October”.

Debate continued.

Amendment negatived.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 15 and 16, by leave, taken together, and agreed to.

*New clause—*

Sir Alan Hulme (Postmaster-General) moved—That the following new clause be added to the Bill:

“17. After section 132 of the Principal Act the following section is inserted:—

‘132A.—(1.) A summons for the appearance before a court of summary jurisdiction of a defendant charged with having committed a prescribed offence may be served upon the defendant by posting a copy of the summons as a registered letter addressed to the defendant at the address shown in the summons, or in any information, complaint or similar document relating to the summons, as his address.

Service by  
registered  
post of certain  
summonses.

‘(2.) An affidavit by a person stating that—

- (a) he is an officer of the Postmaster-General’s Department;
- (b) he posted, or caused to be posted, a copy of a summons referred to in the affidavit (being a summons that, under the last preceding sub-section, may be served in accordance with that sub-section) as a registered letter addressed to the defendant at the address shown in the summons, or in any information, complaint or similar document relating to the summons, as the address of the defendant;
- (c) to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, the copy of the summons so posted would, in the ordinary course of post, have been delivered before a date specified in the affidavit; and
- (d) he has no reason to believe that the copy of the summons so posted was not delivered before that date,

is evidence that the summons was served on the defendant in accordance with sub-section (1.) of this section before that date.

‘(3.) Where—

- (a) a summons has been issued for the appearance before a court of summary jurisdiction of a defendant charged with having committed a prescribed offence;
- (b) the defendant does not appear before the court as required by the summons;
- (c) the evidence before the court of the service on the defendant of the summons is an affidavit that, under the last preceding sub-section, is evidence that the summons was served on the defendant in accordance with sub-section (1.) of this section; and
- (d) the court has reason to believe that the defendant did not receive, or may not have received, a copy of the summons, or did not receive, or may not have received, a copy of the summons by such a date as would have given to him a reasonable time to comply with the summons,

the court may, before proceeding to hear and determine the charge, require such things to be done, as, in the opinion of the court, are necessary to ensure that the person has been informed of the charge and of the time when and the place where the charge will be heard,

'(4.) Where—

- (a) a person has been charged with, and convicted by a court of summary jurisdiction of, a prescribed offence;
- (b) the person did not appear before the court on the hearing of the charge;
- (c) the evidence before the court of the service on the person of the summons requiring him to appear before the court in relation to the charge was an affidavit that, under sub-section (2.) of this section, was evidence that the summons was served on the person in accordance with sub-section (1.) of this section;
- (d) application is made to the court, within two years after the date of the conviction, by the person, or by an officer of the Postmaster-General's Department, for the conviction to be set aside on the ground that the person did not receive a copy of the summons, or did not receive a copy of the summons by such a date as would have given to him a reasonable time to comply with the summons; and
- (e) the ground on which the application is made is established to the satisfaction of the court,

the court may set aside the conviction.

'(5.) Where the court sets aside the conviction, it may, unless it considers that it would be unjust so to do, hear and determine the charge as if the person had not been convicted of the offence, but, before proceeding to hear the charge, the court shall require such things to be done as, in the opinion of the court, are necessary to ensure that the person has been informed of the charge and of the time when and the place where the charge will be heard.

'(6.) A court may, on the hearing of an application referred to in sub-section (4.) of this section, make such order as to costs as it thinks proper.

'(7.) The provisions of this section have effect in addition to, and not in derogation of, any other law, whether a law of the Commonwealth or of a State or Territory of the Commonwealth, that makes provision for or in relation to the service of summonses.

'(8.) In this section, "prescribed offence" means—

- (a) an offence against this Act by reason of a contravention of sub-section (6.) of section one hundred and twenty-five, or of sub-section (6.) of section one hundred and twenty-six, of this Act; or
- (b) an offence referred to in sub-section (8.) of section one hundred and twenty-five, or in sub-section (8.) of section one hundred and twenty-six, of this Act.'''

Mr Stewart moved the following amendment to the proposed new clause: Proposed section 132A, sub-section (4.), paragraph (d), omit "within two years", insert "at any time".

Debate continued.

Amendment to proposed new clause negatived.

New clause agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Bill to be reported with an amendment.

The House resumed; Mr Lucock reported accordingly.

On the motion of Sir Alan Hulme, by leave, the House adopted the report, and, by leave, the Bill was read a third time.

16 AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY BILL 1970: 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.

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

- 17 **ECONOMY: REDUCTIONS IN COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURES—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—**  
**MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER:** Mr Gorton (Prime Minister), by leave, made a ministerial statement informing the House of proposals by the Government to effect reductions in Commonwealth expenditures by some \$75 million in the remaining months of this financial year, and, by command of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Commonwealth, presented the following paper:

Economy: Reductions in Commonwealth expenditures—Ministerial statement, 16 February 1971.

Mr Chipp (Minister for Customs and Excise) moved—That the House take note of the paper.

Debate adjourned (Mr Whitlam—Leader of the Opposition), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.

- 18 **AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY BILL 1970:** The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed.

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

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

On the motion of Mr N. H. Bowen (Minister for Education and Science), the Bill was read a third time.

- 19 **BILLS OF EXCHANGE BILL 1970:** The order of the day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed.

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

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

On the motion of Mr Hughes (Attorney-General), the Bill was read a third time.

- 20 **IMMIGRATION (EDUCATION) BILL 1970:** 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 Mr Daly who moved, as an amendment—That all words after “That” be omitted with a view to inserting the following words in place thereof: “whilst not refusing to give the Bill a second reading, this House condemns the Government for the delay in providing a comprehensive programme of migrant education, adequate finance facilities and capital equipment, including buildings”.

Ordered—That Mr Daly be granted an extension of time.

Debate continued.

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

- 21 **ADJOURNMENT:** Mr Lynch (Minister for Immigration) moved—That the House do now adjourn.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at twenty-seven minutes to eleven o'clock p.m., adjourned until tomorrow at half-past two o'clock p.m.

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**PAPERS:** The following papers were deemed to have been presented on 16 February 1971, pursuant to statute:

Air Navigation Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 214.

Apple and Pear Export Charges Act—Regulation—Statutory Rules 1971, No. 10.

Australian National University Act—Statutes—

No. 95—Academic and Ceremonial Dress Amendment No. 3.

No. 96—Faculties (School of General Studies) Amendment No. 10.

No. 97—Enrolment, Courses and Degrees Amendment No. 5.

Banking Act—Regulation—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 167.

Bankruptcy Act—Rules—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 169.

- Broadcasting and Television Act—Regulation—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 196.  
 Citizenship Act—Regulation—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 189.  
 Commonwealth Banks Act—Appointment Certificates—D. L. Abbott, G. Graham,  
 C. M. Williamson.  
 Customs Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules—  
 1970—Nos. 170, 190, 194.  
 1971—No. 9.  
 Dairying Industry Equalization Legislation Referendum Act—Regulations—  
 Statutory Rules 1970, No. 178.  
 Defence Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules—  
 1970—Nos. 174, 175, 184, 192, 193, 200, 209.  
 1971—Nos. 8, 15.  
 Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970,  
 Nos. 188, 191.  
 Defence (Visiting Forces) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 202.  
 Explosives Act—Explosives Regulations—Orders—Berthing of a vessel (2).  
 Extradition (Commonwealth Countries) Act—Regulation—Statutory Rules 1970,  
 No. 201.  
 High Commissioner (United Kingdom) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970,  
 Nos. 215, 216.  
 Income Tax Assessment Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, Nos. 168, 213.  
 International Organizations (Privileges and Immunities) Act—Regulations—  
 Statutory Rules—  
 1970—No. 171.  
 1971—No. 7.  
 Lands Acquisition Act—Land, etc., acquired for—  
 Civil aviation purposes—Round Mountain, New South Wales.  
 Defence purposes—  
 Albury, New South Wales.  
 Canungra, Queensland (3).  
 Singleton, New South Wales.  
 Department of the Interior purposes—Townsville, Queensland.  
 Department of Works purposes—Townsville, Queensland.  
 Post office purposes—  
 Buldania, Western Australia.  
 Crocker, Western Australia.  
 Culver, Western Australia.  
 Five Dock, New South Wales.  
 Frazer Range, Western Australia.  
 Mount Edwards, Western Australia.  
 Warilla, New South Wales.  
 Wollongong, New South Wales.  
 Radio telephone station purposes—Mount Reid, Bothwell, Tasmania.  
 Water supply purposes—County of Palmerston, Northern Territory.  
 Lighthouses Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1971, No. 18.  
 Live-stock Slaughter Levy Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1971, No. 11.  
 Marriage Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1971, No. 6.  
 Metric Conversion Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 182.  
 National Health Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 186.  
 Naval Defence Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules—  
 1970.—Nos. 179, 180, 195, 203, 204.  
 1971.—Nos. 1, 2, 16.  
 Navigation Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, Nos. 176, 177, 187.  
 Northern Territory (Administration) Act—  
 Crown Lands Ordinance—Statement of reasons by Minister for revocation of  
 reserve in the Northern Territory at Alice Springs.



Ordinances—  
1970—

- No. 42—Town Planning (No. 2).
  - No. 43—Legal Practitioners.
  - No. 44—Records of Depositions.
  - No. 45—Hospitals and Medical Services.
  - No. 46—Local Courts.
  - No. 47—Evidence.
  - No. 48—Mining (No. 2).
  - No. 49—Local Government.
  - No. 50—Public Trustee.
  - No. 51—Police and Police Offences.
  - No. 52—Alsatian Dogs.
  - No. 53—Abattoirs and Slaughtering.
  - No. 54—Containers for Hazardous Substances.
  - No. 55—Coroners.
  - No. 56—Crown Lands Ordinance (No. 3) 1969 Amendment.
  - No. 57—Explosives Ordinance 1968 Amendment.
  - No. 58—False Advertising.
  - No. 59—Legislation Repeal.
  - No. 60—Local Courts (No. 2).
  - No. 61—Motor Vehicles (No. 3).
  - No. 62—Museums and Art Galleries.
  - No. 63—Oaths.
  - No. 64—Traffic.
  - No. 65—Auctioneers, Dealers and Agents.
  - No. 66—Hawkers.
  - No. 67—Justices (No. 2).
  - No. 68—Money-lenders.
  - No. 69—Motor Vehicles (No. 2).
  - No. 70—Road Traffic (No. 2).
  - No. 71—Weights and Measures.
  - No. 72—Housing Loans.
  - No. 73—Local Government (No. 2).
  - No. 74—Wildlife Conservation and Control.
  - No. 75—Compensation (Fatal Injuries).
  - No. 76—Justices.
  - No. 77—Poisons.
  - No. 78—Crown Lands (No. 2).
  - No. 79—Crown Lands (No. 3).
  - No. 80—Crown Lands (No. 4).
  - No. 81—Darwin Town Area Leases (No. 2).
  - No. 82—Darwin Town Area Leases (No. 3).
  - No. 83—Freehold Titles (No. 2).
  - No. 84—Housing (No. 2).
  - No. 85—Rent for Agricultural and Miscellaneous Leases (Municipality of Darwin).
  - No. 86—Special Purposes Leases Ordinance (No. 3) 1968 Amendment.
  - No. 87—Special Purposes Leases.
- 1971—No. 2—Crown Lands (No. 5) 1970.

Regulations—1970—

- No. 22 (Veterinary Surgeons Ordinance).
- No. 23 (Public Service Ordinance).
- No. 24 (Weights and Measures (Packaged Goods) Ordinance).
- No. 25 (Coal Ordinance).

Overseas Telecommunications Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 197.

## Papua and New Guinea Act—Ordinances—

1970—

- No. 82—Dangerous Drugs (Possession).
- No. 83—Public Service Board (Delegations).
- No. 84—International Bank/I.D.A. (Highway Project) Loan and Credit Agreements.
- No. 85—Cemeteries (Exemption).
- No. 86—Papua and New Guinea Coffee Marketing Board (Carrying and Processing).
- No. 87—Royal Papua and New Guinea Constabulary (Amendment).
- No. 88—Land Titles Commission (Deputy Chief Commissioners).
- No. 89—Superannuation (Quinquennial Investigation).
- No. 90—Public Services Conciliation and Arbitration (Amendment).
- No. 91—Firearms Regulation (Fees).

1971—

- No. 1—Administrative College 1970.
- No. 2—Education Ordinance (Commencement) 1970.
- No. 3—Housing Commission (Vacation of Office) 1970.
- No. 4—Institute of Human Biology (Amendment) 1970.
- No. 5—Native Employment (Minimum Wage) 1970.
- No. 6—Public Service (Papua and New Guinea) (Amendment) 1970.
- No. 7—Water Resources (Amendment) 1970.
- No. 8—Administrative Arrangements (Deputy Administrator) 1970.
- No. 9—Industrial Safety, Health and Welfare (Amendment) 1970.
- No. 10—Workers' Compensation (Increased Benefits) 1970.

## Post and Telegraph Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, Nos. 172, 205.

## Public Service Act—

## Appointments—Department—

National Development—T. F. Quinn.

Postmaster-General's—W. V. Davies.

Trade and Industry—R. A. Ross.

Treasury—F. J. Dunster, W. R. Gill, D. H. McClintock, D. R. Mountain, J. H. P. C. Powers, C. R. Roper, A. L. Rowe, R. D. Rubie, P. H. Wegner.

## Regulations—Statutory Rules—

1970—Nos. 181, 183, 198, 199, 206, 210.

1971—Nos. 3, 4, 12, 13, 17.

## Public Service Arbitration Act—

Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission—Determination—  
1970—No. 363—Professional Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service and others; and Postal Telecommunication Technicians' Association (Australia).

## Public Service Arbitrator—Determinations—

1970—

- No. 295—Administrative and Clerical Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service; and Commonwealth Public Service Association (Fourth Division Officers).
- No. 303—Civil Air Operations Officers' Association of Australia.
- No. 304—Association of Railway Professional Officers of Australia; and Association of Professional Engineers, Australia.
- No. 305—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- No. 306—Civil Air Operations Officers' Association of Australia.
- No. 307—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- No. 308—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- Nos. 310 and 311—Hospital Employees' Federation of Australia.
- No. 312—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- No. 313—Australian Federated Union of Locomotive Enginemmen.
- No. 314—North Australian Workers' Union.

- No. 315—Administrative and Clerical Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service.
- No. 316—Professional Radio Employees' Institute of Australasia.
- No. 317—Commonwealth Legal Professional Officers' Association.
- No. 318—Federated Clerks' Union of Australia.
- No. 319—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- No. 320—Electrical Trades Union of Australia.
- No. 321—Australian Workers' Union.
- No. 322—Administrative and Clerical Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service.
- No. 323—Commonwealth Public Service Association (Fourth Division Officers) and others.
- No. 324—Postal Telecommunication Technicians' Association (Australia).
- No. 325—Amalgamated Postal Workers' Union of Australia and others.
- No. 326—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- Nos 327 and 328—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- Nos 329 and 330—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- No. 331—Commonwealth Public Service Association (Fourth Division Officers).
- No. 332—Australian Journalists' Association.
- No. 333—Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners of Australia and others.
- No. 334—Arbitration Inspectors' Association.
- No. 335—Electrical Trades Union of Australia.
- No. 336—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- No. 337—Postal Telecommunication Technicians' Association (Australia).
- Nos. 339 and 340—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- No. 341—Electrical Trades Union of Australia.
- No. 342—Repatriation Department Medical Technologists' Association.
- No. 343—Australian Postmasters' Association.
- No. 344—Postal Telecommunication Technicians' Association (Australia).
- No. 346—Association of Architects, Engineers, Surveyors and Draughtsmen of Australia; and Professional Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service.
- Nos. 347 and 348—Professional Radio Employees' Institute of Australasia.
- No. 349—Electrical Trades Union of Australia.
- No. 350—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- No. 351—Australian Workers' Union.
- No. 352—Federated Storemen and Packers' Union of Australia.
- No. 353—Commonwealth Telephone and Phonogram Officers' Association.
- No. 354—Union of Postal Clerks and Telegraphists.
- No. 355—Administrative and Clerical Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service; and Federated Clerks' Union of Australia.
- No. 356—Postal Telecommunication Technicians' Association (Australia); and Electrical Trades Union of Australia.
- No. 357—Commonwealth Public Service Association (Fourth Division Officers).
- Nos. 358 and 359—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- No. 360—Commonwealth Public Service Association (Fourth Division Officers).
- No. 361—Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners of Australia and others.
- No. 362—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- No. 364—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.
- No. 365—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- No. 366—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.

- No. 367—Administrative and Clerical Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service.
- No. 368—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- Nos. 369 and 370—Hospital Employees' Federation of Australia.
- No. 371—Commonwealth Public Service Association (Fourth Division Officers).
- No. 373—Commonwealth Public Service Artisans' Association.
- No. 374—Australian Broadcasting Commission Senior Officers' Association; and Professional Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service.
- No. 375—Professional Musicians' Union of Australia.
- No. 376—Association of Professional Engineers, Australia and others.
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- No. 1—Commonwealth Public Service Artisans' Association.
- No. 2—Repatriation Department Medical Officers' Association.
- No. 3—Actors and Announcers' Equity Association of Australia.
- No. 4—Commonwealth Legal Professional Officers' Association.
- No. 5—Administrative and Clerical Officers' Association, Commonwealth Public Service and others.
- No. 6—Postmaster-General's Department Telecommunications Traffic and Supervisory Officers' Association.
- No. 9—Australian Broadcasting Commission Staff Association.
- No. 10—Australian Journalists' Association.
- No. 11—Meat Inspectors' Association, Commonwealth Public Service.
- Sales Tax (Exemptions and Classifications) Act—Regulation—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 212.
- Seat of Government (Administration) Act—
- Ordinances—1970—
- No. 43—Legal Practitioners (No. 2).
- No. 44—Land Rent (Validation and Re-appraisalment).
- No. 45—City Area Leases.
- No. 46—Leases (Special Purposes).
- No. 47—Rates.
- No. 48—Companies (Uranium Mining Companies).
- No. 49—Water Rates.
- No. 50—Sewerage Rates.
- No. 51—Legal Practitioners (No. 3).
- Regulations—1970—
- Nos. 10 and 11 (Commonwealth Motor Omnibus Services Ordinance).
- No. 12 (Public Health Ordinance).
- States Receipts Duties (Administration) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1970, No. 185.
- Superannuation Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules—
- 1970—Nos. 173, 211.
- 1971—No. 5.
- Wine Grapes Charges Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1971, No. 14.

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MEMBERS PRESENT: All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr K. M. K. Cairns, Mr Calwell, Mr Collard, Mr Drury, Mr Gun, Mr Howson, Mr Hurford and Mr Mackay.

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A. G. TURNER,  
Clerk of the House of Representatives