

## AUSTRALIA

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 111

THURSDAY, 30 OCTOBER 1975

1 The House met, at ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment. Mr Speaker (the Honourable G. G. D. Scholes) took the Chair, and read Prayers.

2 PETITIONS: The Clerk announced that the following Members had each lodged petitions for presentation, viz.:

Mr Berinson (Minister for Environment), Mr Mathews, Mr Millar, Mr Morris, Mr Wallis and Mr Wilson—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the House ensure that the Government (1) prohibit the export of mineral sands from Fraser Island and (2) assist the Queensland Government and other bodies to conserve the natural environment of Fraser Island for the benefit of the people of Australia.

Mr Bonnett, Mr D. M. Cameron, Mr Killen and Mr McVeigh—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the cadet corps be continued.

Mr Bungey, Mr Connolly, Mr Graham and Mr Macphee—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the House reject the Australian Government Insurance Office Bill.

Mr Hodges and Mr McLeay—from certain citizens of Australia praying that no further measures be taken which will make home ownership unattractive to those who have a home and unachievable for those who have not.

Mr C. R. Cameron (Minister for Science and Consumer Affairs)—from certain citizens and students of Australia praying that funds provided for research in universities in 1976 through the Australian Research Grants Committee be increased.

Mr Bryant (Minister for the Capital Territory)—from certain citizens of Australia praying that (1) pensions be related to average weekly earnings and (2) no charge be made for the installation or rental of telephones for pensioners.

Mr Bouchier—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the allowance granted to students under the Tertiary Education Assistance Scheme be increased.

Mr Coates—from certain citizens of Australia praying that powers to vary income tax be not given to State Governments.

Mr Connolly—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the Government remove or substantially increase the \$300 limit on income tax deductibility on personal residential land and water rates.

Mr Garland—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the House either decrease or reject proposed increases in postal and telephone charges.

Mr Katter—from certain electors of the Division of Kennedy praying that the House take action which will require the Australian Broadcasting Control Board to provide the Electoral Division of Kennedy with a television service where it is not now provided.

Mr Mathews—from certain citizens of Australia praying that Parliament pass the Appropriation Bill (No. 1) 1975-76 and the Appropriation Bill (No. 2) 1975-76.

Mr Morris—from certain citizens of Australia praying that a system of double income tax on personal incomes be not re-introduced.

Mr Oldmeadow—from certain citizens of Australia praying that (1) the Metric Conversion Act be repealed and (2) the Government take urgent steps to cause the traditional and familiar units to be restored in those areas where the greatest inconveniences and distress are occurring.

Mr Reynolds—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the present system of uniform personal taxation be retained.

Mr Wentworth—from certain citizens of Australia praying that the House express the opinion that Members of the House who have signed a pledge as a condition of their endorsement by the Australian Labor Party should, when voting, consider that the national interest takes precedence over this pledge.

Petitions received.

3 QUESTIONS: Questions without notice were asked.

4 PAPERS: Mr Speaker presented the following papers:

Australian Constitutional Convention—Minutes of Proceedings of meetings held in—

Sydney, 3–7 September 1973.

Melbourne, 24–26 September 1975.

The following papers were presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-General:

Community facilities—Report entitled *All the people—How Belmont Shire Council, Western Australia, got funds to plan community facilities for all the people.*

Darwin Cyclone Tracy Relief Trust Fund—Report for August 1975.

Health services in the Northern Territory—Discussion paper issued by the Minister for Health, dated October 1975.

Leisure—A new perspective—National Seminar, Canberra, 22–24 April 1974—Papers presented at Seminar.

Statement by Mr Stewart (Minister for Tourism and Recreation), dated 30 October 1975.

Manufacturing industry—Policies for development—Report by the Committee to Advise on Policies for Manufacturing Industry—Volume I, dated October 1975.

North West Tasmania regional water supply scheme—Report to the Department of Urban and Regional Development by Judith A. Rees, dated May 1975.

Poverty—Commission of Inquiry—Second Main Report—Law and Poverty in Australia by Professor R. Sackville, dated October 1975.

The following papers were presented, pursuant to statute:

Australian Apple and Pear Corporation Act—Australian Apple and Pear Board—Report on the operation of the Apple and Pear Organization Act for the period 1 July 1973 to 31 August 1974.

Australian Industry Development Corporation Act—Australian Industry Development Corporation—Fifth Annual Report and financial statements, together with the auditor's report, for year 1974–75.

Defence Force Retirement and Death Benefits Act—Defence Force Retirement and Death Benefits Authority—Third Report, for year 1974–75.

Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Act—Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Board—

Further supplement to Twenty-fifth Report, for period 1 July to 30 September 1972.

Third and Final Report on Part III of the Act, for year 1974–75.

Housing Loans Insurance Act—Housing Loans Insurance Corporation—Eleventh Annual Report and financial statements, together with the Auditor-General's Report, for year 1974–75.

Industries Assistance Commission Act—Industries Assistance Commission—Report for year 1974–75, accompanied by a statement by the Minister pursuant to sub-section 45 (5) of the Act.

- 5 ALTERATION OF HOUR OF NEXT MEETING: Mr Daly (Leader of the House) moved—That the House, at its rising, adjourn until eleven o'clock a.m. on Tuesday next.  
Question—put and passed.
- 6 POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICE: Ordered—That notice No. 1, government business, be postponed until a later hour this day.
- 7 STATES GRANTS (UNIVERSITIES) BILL (NO. 2) 1975: Mr Beazley (Minister for Education), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *States Grants (Universities) Act 1972–1974*, as amended by the *States Grants (Universities) Act 1975*.  
Bill read a first time.  
Mr Beazley moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
Debate adjourned (Mr Wilson), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 8 APPROPRIATION (URBAN PUBLIC TRANSPORT) BILL 1975: Mr Jones (Minister for Transport), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to appropriate Moneys out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the purpose of Urban Public Transport.  
Bill read a first time.  
Mr Jones moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
Debate adjourned (Mr Nixon), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 9 ROADS ACTS AMENDMENT BILL 1975: Mr Jones (Minister for Transport), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act relating to Financial Assistance to the States in relation to Roads.  
Bill read a first time.  
Mr Jones moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
Debate adjourned (Mr Nixon), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 10 SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS MOVED: Mr Bouchier moved—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the honourable Member for Bendigo from moving a motion to suspend notices Nos. 5 to 7, government business, until after order of the day No. 1 (Grievance debate) and so enable private Members' grievance debate to continue.  
*Closure of Member:* Mr Daly (Leader of the House) moved—That the honourable Member (Mr Bouchier) be not further heard.  
Question—put.  
The House divided (the Speaker, Mr Scholes, in the Chair)—

## AYES, 60

|                 |                |                  |                  |
|-----------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|
| Mr Armitage     | Mr Cross       | Dr Jenkins       | Mr Reynolds      |
| Mr Beazley      | Mr Daly        | Mr L. R. Johnson | Mr Riordan       |
| Mr Bennett      | Mr Davies      | Mr Jones         | Mr Sherry        |
| Mr Berinson     | Mr Dawkins     | Mr Keating       | Mr Stewart       |
| Mr Bowen        | Mr Duthie      | Mr Keogh         | Mr Thorburn      |
| Mr Bryant       | Mr Enderby     | Mr Kerin         | Mr Uren          |
| Dr J. F. Cairns | Dr Everingham  | Dr Klugman       | Mr Wallis        |
| Dr Cass         | Mr FitzPatrick | Mr Lamb          | Mr Whan          |
| Mrs Child       | Mr Fry         | Mr McKenzie      | Mr Willis        |
| Mr Clayton      | Mr Fulton      | Mr Martin        | Mr Young         |
| Mr Coates       | Mr Garrick     | Mr Mathews       |                  |
| Mr Cohen        | Dr Gun         | Mr Morris        |                  |
| Mr Collard      | Mr Hayden      | Mr Morrison      |                  |
| Mr Connor       | Mr Hurford     | Mr Mulder        | <i>Tellers:</i>  |
| Mr Cope         | Mr Innes       | Mr Oldmeadow     | Mr L. K. Johnson |
| Mr Crean        | Mr Jacobi      | Dr Patterson     | Mr Nicholls      |

## NOES, 55

|                 |              |              |                   |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Erwin     | Mr Killen    | Mr E. L. Robinson |
| Mr Anthony      | Mr Fairbairn | Mr Lloyd     | Mr I. L. Robinson |
| Mr Bonnett      | Mr Fisher    | Mr Lucock    | Mr Ruddock        |
| Mr Bouchier     | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lusher    | Mr Sinclair       |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Garland   | Mr Lynch     | Mr Snedden        |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Giles     | Mr MacKellar | Mr Staley         |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Graham    | Mr McLeay    | Mr Street         |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Hodges    | Mr McVeigh   | Mr Sullivan       |
| Mr Chipp        | Mr Holten    | Mr Macphee   | Mr Viner          |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Howard    | Mr Millar    | Mr Wentworth      |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman    | Mr Wilson         |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon     | <i>Tellers:</i>   |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe   | Mr D. M. Cameron  |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Kelly     | Mr Peacock   | Mr Corbett        |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr Viner addressing the House—

*Closure of Member:* Mr Daly moved—That the honourable Member be not further heard.

Question—put.

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

## AYES, 60

|                 |                |                  |                  |
|-----------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|
| Mr Armitage     | Mr Cross       | Dr Jenkins       | Mr Reynolds      |
| Mr Beazley      | Mr Daly        | Mr L. R. Johnson | Mr Riordan       |
| Mr Bennett      | Mr Davies      | Mr Jones         | Mr Sherry        |
| Mr Berinson     | Mr Dawkins     | Mr Keating       | Mr Stewart       |
| Mr Bowen        | Mr Duthie      | Mr Keogh         | Mr Thorburn      |
| Mr Bryant       | Mr Enderby     | Mr Kerin         | Mr Uren          |
| Dr J. F. Cairns | Dr Everingham  | Dr Klugman       | Mr Wallis        |
| Dr Cass         | Mr FitzPatrick | Mr Lamb          | Mr Whan          |
| Mrs Child       | Mr Fry         | Mr McKenzie      | Mr Willis        |
| Mr Clayton      | Mr Fulton      | Mr Martin        | Mr Young         |
| Mr Coates       | Mr Garrick     | Mr Mathews       |                  |
| Mr Cohen        | Dr Gun         | Mr Morris        | <i>Tellers:</i>  |
| Mr Collard      | Mr Hayden      | Mr Morrison      | Mr L. K. Johnson |
| Mr Connor       | Mr Hurford     | Mr Mulder        | Mr Nicholls      |
| Mr Cope         | Mr Innes       | Mr Oldmeadow     |                  |
| Mr Crean        | Mr Jacobi      | Dr Patterson     |                  |

## NOES, 55

|                 |              |              |                   |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Erwin     | Mr Killen    | Mr E. L. Robinson |
| Mr Anthony      | Mr Fairbairn | Mr Lloyd     | Mr I. L. Robinson |
| Mr Bonnett      | Mr Fisher    | Mr Lucock    | Mr Ruddock        |
| Mr Bouchier     | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lusher    | Mr Sinclair       |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Garland   | Mr Lynch     | Mr Snedden        |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Giles     | Mr MacKellar | Mr Staley         |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Graham    | Mr McLeay    | Mr Street         |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Hodges    | Mr McVeigh   | Mr Sullivan       |
| Mr Chipp        | Mr Holten    | Mr Macphee   | Mr Viner          |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Howard    | Mr Millar    | Mr Wentworth      |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman    | Mr Wilson         |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon     | <i>Tellers:</i>   |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe   | Mr D. M. Cameron  |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Kelly     | Mr Peacock   | Mr Corbett        |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Several Members rising to address the House—

*Closure:* Mr Nicholls moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put and passed.

And the question—That the motion for the suspension of standing orders be agreed to—being accordingly put—

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

## AYES, 54

|                 |              |                   |                   |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Erwin     | Mr Lloyd          | Mr I. L. Robinson |
| Mr Anthony      | Mr Fairbairn | Mr Lucock         | Mr Ruddock        |
| Mr Bonnett      | Mr Fisher    | Mr Lusher         | Mr Sinclair       |
| Mr Bouchier     | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lynch          | Mr Snedden        |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Garland   | Mr MacKellar      | Mr Staley         |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Giles     | Mr McLeay         | Mr Street         |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Graham    | Mr McVeigh        | Mr Sullivan       |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Hodges    | Mr Macphee        | Mr Viner          |
| Mr Chipp        | Mr Holten    | Mr Millar         | Mr Wentworth      |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman         | Mr Wilson         |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon          |                   |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe        | <i>Tellers:</i>   |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Kelly     | Mr Peacock        | Mr D. M. Cameron  |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Killen    | Mr E. L. Robinson | Mr Corbett        |

## NOES, 61

|                 |                |                  |                 |
|-----------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Mr Armitage     | Mr Cross       | Dr Jenkins       | Dr Patterson    |
| Mr Beazley      | Mr Daly        | Mr L. K. Johnson | Mr Reynolds     |
| Mr Bennett      | Mr Davies      | Mr L. R. Johnson | Mr Riordan      |
| Mr Berinson     | Mr Dawkins     | Mr Jones         | Mr Sherry       |
| Mr Bowen        | Mr Duthie      | Mr Keating       | Mr Stewart      |
| Mr Bryant       | Mr Enderby     | Mr Keogh         | Mr Thorburn     |
| Dr J. F. Cairns | Dr Everingham  | Mr Kerin         | Mr Uren         |
| Dr Cass         | Mr FitzPatrick | Dr Klugman       | Mr Wallis       |
| Mrs Child       | Mr Fry         | Mr Lamb          | Mr Whan         |
| Mr Clayton      | Mr Fulton      | Mr McKenzie      | Mr Willis       |
| Mr Coates       | Mr Garrick     | Mr Martin        | Mr Young        |
| Mr Cohen        | Dr Gun         | Mr Mathews       |                 |
| Mr Collard      | Mr Hayden      | Mr Morris        | <i>Tellers:</i> |
| Mr Connor       | Mr Hurford     | Mr Morrison      | Mr James        |
| Mr Cope         | Mr Innes       | Mr Mulder        | Mr Nicholls     |
| Mr Crean        | Mr Jacobi      | Mr Oldmeadow     |                 |

And so it was negatived.

- 11 POSTPONEMENT OF NOTICE: Ordered—That notice No. 5, government business, be postponed until a later hour this day.
- 12 FAMILY LAW (AMENDMENT) BILL 1975: Mr Enderby (Attorney-General), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to make provision for the Remuneration and Allowances to be payable to Judges of the Family Court of Australia.  
Bill read a first time.  
Mr Enderby moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
Debate adjourned (Mr Wilson), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 13 QUEENSLAND GRANT (PROSERPINE FLOOD MITIGATION) BILL 1975: Mr Keating (Minister for Northern Australia), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to grant Financial Assistance to Queensland for the purpose of Flood Mitigation Works in relation to the Proserpine River.  
Bill read a first time.  
Mr Keating moved—That the Bill be now read a second time.  
Debate adjourned (Mr Wilson), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
- 14 POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY: Mr Daly (Leader of the House) moved—That order of the day No. 1, government business (Grievance debate), be postponed until a later hour this day.  
Question—put.

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

## AYES, 60

|                 |                |                  |                 |
|-----------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Mr Armitage     | Mr Daly        | Mr L. K. Johnson | Mr Reynolds     |
| Mr Beazley      | Mr Davies      | Mr L. R. Johnson | Mr Riordan      |
| Mr Bennett      | Mr Dawkins     | Mr Jones         | Mr Sherry       |
| Mr Berinson     | Mr Duthie      | Mr Keating       | Mr Stewart      |
| Mr Bowen        | Mr Enderby     | Mr Keogh         | Mr Thorburn     |
| Mr Bryant       | Dr Everingham  | Mr Kerin         | Mr Uren         |
| Dr J. F. Cairns | Mr FitzPatrick | Dr Klugman       | Mr Wallis       |
| Dr Cass         | Mr Fry         | Mr Lamb          | Mr Whan         |
| Mrs Child       | Mr Fulton      | Mr McKenzie      | Mr Willis       |
| Mr Clayton      | Mr Garrick     | Mr Martin        | Mr Young        |
| Mr Coates       | Dr Gun         | Mr Mathews       |                 |
| Mr Cohen        | Mr Hayden      | Mr Morris        |                 |
| Mr Collard      | Mr Hurford     | Mr Morrison      |                 |
| Mr Cope         | Mr Innes       | Mr Mulder        |                 |
| Mr Crean        | Mr Jacobi      | Mr Oldmeadow     | <i>Tellers:</i> |
| Mr Cross        | Dr Jenkins     | Dr Patterson     | Mr James        |
|                 |                |                  | Mr Nicholls     |

## NOES, 54

|                 |              |              |                   |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Erwin     | Mr Killen    | Mr E. L. Robinson |
| Mr Anthony      | Mr Fairbairn | Mr Lloyd     | Mr I. L. Robinson |
| Mr Bonnett      | Mr Fisher    | Mr Lucock    | Mr Ruddock        |
| Mr Bouchier     | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lusher    | Mr Sinclair       |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Garland   | Mr Lynch     | Mr Snedden        |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Giles     | Mr MacKellar | Mr Staley         |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Graham    | Mr McLeay    | Mr Street         |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Hodges    | Mr McVeigh   | Mr Viner          |
| Mr Chipp        | Mr Holten    | Mr Macphée   | Mr Wentworth      |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Howard    | Mr Millar    | Mr Wilson         |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman    |                   |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon     | <i>Tellers:</i>   |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe   | Mr D. M. Cameron  |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Kelly     | Mr Peacock   | Mr Corbett        |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

- 15 ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS—STANDING COMMITTEE—REPORT—STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS:  
Mr Cross (Chairman) brought up the following report from the Standing Committee on Aboriginal Affairs:

Third report—Aboriginal unemployment—Special work projects, together with minutes of proceedings of the committee.

Ordered—That the report be printed.

Mr Cross and Mr Ruddock, by leave, made statements in connection with the report.

- 16 WOOL MARKETING (LOAN) BILL 1975: 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.

*Message from the Governor-General:* Message No. 218, dated 27 August 1975, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue and moneys for the purposes of the Bill.

The House resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

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*In the committee*

Bill, by leave, taken as a whole.

On the motion of Mr Stewart (Minister assisting the Treasurer), the following amendment was made: Clause 3, page 1, omit the clause, substitute the following clause:

- “3. Section 4 of the Principal Act is amended—  
(a) by omitting from sub-section (1) the figures ‘\$350,000,000’ and substituting the figures ‘\$356,000,000’;

Loans to  
Australian  
Wool  
Corporation.

(b) by inserting after sub-section (1) the following sub-section:—

'(1A) On or after 30 June 1976, the Treasurer may, on such terms and conditions as he determines, for the purpose of enabling the repayment by the Corporation of moneys borrowed by the Corporation, other than moneys advanced under this Act, during the financial year that ends on 30 June 1976 for the purposes referred to in sub-section (1), advance to the Corporation, by way of a loan, an amount not exceeding the difference between the sum of the amounts advanced to the Corporation under sub-section (1) and \$356,000,000.';

(c) by omitting from sub-section (2) the word and figure 'sub-section (1)' and substituting the words 'this section'; and

(d) by adding at the end thereof the following sub-section:—

'(3) Advances made to the Corporation under this section shall not exceed, in the aggregate, \$356,000,000.'.

Bill, as amended, agreed to.

Bill to be reported with an amendment.

The House resumed; Dr Jenkins reported accordingly.

On the motion of Mr Stewart, by leave, the House adopted the report, and, by leave, the Bill was read a third time.

17 PETROLEUM AND MINERALS AUTHORITY BILL 1975: Mr Crean (Minister representing the Minister for Minerals and Energy), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to establish a Petroleum and Minerals Authority.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

18 AUSTRALIA POLICE BILL 1975: Mr Enderby (Minister representing the Minister for Police and Customs), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to establish a Law Enforcement Body to be known as the Australia Police and for purposes related thereto.

Bill read a first time.

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

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

19 STATES GRANTS BILL 1975: 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.

Mr Corbett rising to address the House—

*Closure:* Mr Nicholls moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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

AYES, 58

Mr Armitage  
Mr Beazley  
Mr Bennett  
Mr Berinson  
Mr Bowen  
Mr Bryant  
Dr J. F. Cairns  
Dr Cass  
Mrs Child  
Mr Clayton  
Mr Coates  
Mr Cohen  
Mr Collard  
Mr Crean  
Mr Cross

Mr Daly  
Mr Davies  
Mr Dawkins  
Mr Duthie  
Mr Enderby  
Dr Everingham  
Mr Fry  
Mr Fulton  
Mr Garrick  
Dr Gun  
Mr Hayden  
Mr Hurford  
Mr Innes  
Mr Jacobi  
Dr Jenkins

Mr L. K. Johnson  
Mr L. R. Johnson  
Mr Jones  
Mr Keating  
Mr Keogh  
Mr Kerin  
Dr Klugman  
Mr Lamb  
Mr McKenzie  
Mr Martin  
Mr Mathews  
Mr Morris  
Mr Morrison  
Mr Mulder  
Mr Oldmeadow

Dr Patterson  
Mr Reynolds  
Mr Riordan  
Mr Sherry  
Mr Stewart  
Mr Thorburn  
Mr Uren  
Mr Wallis  
Mr Whan  
Mr Willis  
Mr Young

*Tellers:*  
Mr James  
Mr Nicholls

## NOES, 52

|                 |              |                   |                  |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Fairbairn | Mr King           | Mr Ruddock       |
| Mr Anthony      | Mr Fisher    | Mr Lloyd          | Mr Sinclair      |
| Mr Bonnett      | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lucock         | Mr Snedden       |
| Mr Bouchier     | Mr Garland   | Mr Lusher         | Mr Staley        |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Giles     | Mr Lynch          | Mr Street        |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Graham    | Mr MacKellar      | Mr Sullivan      |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Hodges    | Mr McLeay         | Mr Viner         |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Holten    | Mr McVeigh        | Mr Wilson        |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Howard    | Mr Millar         |                  |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman         |                  |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon          |                  |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe        | <i>Tellers:</i>  |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Kelly     | Mr E. L. Robinson | Mr D. M. Cameron |
| Mr Erwin        | Mr Killen    | Mr I. L. Robinson | Mr Corbett       |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—was put accordingly, and passed—Bill read a second time.

*Message from the Governor-General:* Message No. 219, dated 11 September 1975, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

On the motion of Mr Riordan (Minister for Housing and Construction), the Bill was read a third time.

- 20 STATES GRANTS (SPECIAL ASSISTANCE) BILL 1975: 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.

*Message from the Governor-General:* Message No. 220, dated 11 September 1975, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

On the motion of Mr Riordan (Minister for Housing and Construction), the Bill was read a third time.

- 21 LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANTS BILL 1975: 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—Mr Corbett addressing the House—

*Closure:* Mr Nicholls moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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

## AYES, 58

|                 |               |                  |                 |
|-----------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Mr Armitage     | Mr Daly       | Mr L. K. Johnson | Dr Patterson    |
| Mr Beazley      | Mr Davies     | Mr L. R. Johnson | Mr Reynolds     |
| Mr Bennett      | Mr Dawkins    | Mr Jones         | Mr Riordan      |
| Mr Berinson     | Mr Duthie     | Mr Keating       | Mr Sherry       |
| Mr Bowen        | Mr Enderby    | Mr Keogh         | Mr Stewart      |
| Mr Bryant       | Dr Everingham | Mr Kerin         | Mr Thorburn     |
| Dr J. F. Cairns | Mr Fry        | Dr Klugman       | Mr Uren         |
| Dr Cass         | Mr Fulton     | Mr Lamb          | Mr Wallis       |
| Mrs Child       | Mr Garrick    | Mr McKenzie      | Mr Whan         |
| Mr Clayton      | Dr Gun        | Mr Martin        | Mr Willis       |
| Mr Coates       | Mr Hayden     | Mr Mathews       | Mr Young        |
| Mr Cohen        | Mr Hurford    | Mr Morris        |                 |
| Mr Collard      | Mr Innes      | Mr Morrison      | <i>Tellers:</i> |
| Mr Crean        | Mr Jacobi     | Mr Mulder        | Mr James        |
| Mr Cross        | Dr Jenkins    | Mr Oldmeadow     | Mr Nicholls     |



## NOES, 52

|                 |              |                   |                  |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Fairbairn | Mr King           | Mr Ruddock       |
| Mr Anthony      | Mr Fisher    | Mr Lloyd          | Mr Sinclair      |
| Mr Bonnett      | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lucock         | Mr Snedden       |
| Mr Bourchier    | Mr Garland   | Mr Lusher         | Mr Staley        |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Giles     | Mr Lynch          | Mr Street        |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Graham    | Mr MacKellar      | Mr Sullivan      |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Hodges    | Mr McLeay         | Mr Viner         |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Holten    | Mr McVeigh        | Mr Wilson        |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Howard    | Mr Millar         |                  |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman         |                  |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon          |                  |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe        | <i>Tellers:</i>  |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Kelly     | Mr E. L. Robinson | Mr D. M. Cameron |
| Mr Erwin        | Mr Killen    | Mr I. L. Robinson | Mr Corbett       |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the Bill be now read a second time—was put accordingly, and passed—Bill read a second time.

*Message from the Governor-General:* Message No. 221, dated 11 September 1975, from His Excellency the Governor-General was announced recommending an appropriation of revenue for the purposes of the Bill.

Leave granted for third reading to be moved forthwith.

Mr Riordan (Minister for Housing and Construction) moved—That the Bill be now read a third time.

Mr Lusher rising to address the House—

*Closure:* Mr Nicholls moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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

## AYES, 58

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| Mr Armitage     | Mr Daly       | Mr L. K. Johnson | Dr Patterson    |
| Mr Beazley      | Mr Davies     | Mr L. R. Johnson | Mr Reynolds     |
| Mr Bennett      | Mr Dawkins    | Mr Jones         | Mr Riordan      |
| Mr Berinson     | Mr Duthie     | Mr Keating       | Mr Sherry       |
| Mr Bowen        | Mr Enderby    | Mr Keogh         | Mr Stewart      |
| Mr Bryant       | Dr Everingham | Mr Kerin         | Mr Thorburn     |
| Dr J. F. Cairns | Mr Fry        | Dr Klugman       | Mr Uren         |
| Dr Cass         | Mr Fulton     | Mr Lamb          | Mr Wallis       |
| Mrs Child       | Mr Garrick    | Mr McKenzie      | Mr Whan         |
| Mr Clayton      | Dr Gun        | Mr Martin        | Mr Willis       |
| Mr Coates       | Mr Hayden     | Mr Mathews       | Mr Young        |
| Mr Cohen        | Mr Hurford    | Mr Morris        |                 |
| Mr Collard      | Mr Innes      | Mr Morrison      | <i>Tellers:</i> |
| Mr Crean        | Mr Jacobi     | Mr Mulder        | Mr James        |
| Mr Cross        | Dr Jenkins    | Mr Oldmeadow     | Mr Nicholls     |

## NOES, 52

|                 |              |                   |                  |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Fairbairn | Mr Lloyd          | Mr Sinclair      |
| Mr Anthony      | Mr Fisher    | Mr Lucock         | Mr Snedden       |
| Mr Bonnett      | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lusher         | Mr Staley        |
| Mr Bourchier    | Mr Garland   | Mr Lynch          | Mr Street        |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Giles     | Mr MacKellar      | Mr Sullivan      |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Graham    | Mr McLeay         | Mr Viner         |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Hodges    | Mr McVeigh        | Mr Wentworth     |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Howard    | Mr Millar         | Mr Wilson        |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman         |                  |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon          |                  |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe        |                  |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Kelly     | Mr E. L. Robinson | <i>Tellers:</i>  |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Killen    | Mr I. L. Robinson | Mr D. M. Cameron |
| Mr Erwin        | Mr King      | Mr Ruddock        | Mr Corbett       |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the Bill be now read a third time—was put accordingly, and passed—Bill read a third time.

22 ADJOURNMENT: Mr Riordan (Minister for Housing and Construction) moved—That the House do now adjourn.

Several Members rising to address the House—

*Closure:* Mr Nicholls moved—That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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

AYES, 57

|                 |               |                  |                 |
|-----------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Mr Armitage     | Mr Daly       | Mr L. K. Johnson | Mr Reynolds     |
| Mr Beazley      | Mr Davies     | Mr L. R. Johnson | Mr Riordan      |
| Mr Bennett      | Mr Dawkins    | Mr Jones         | Mr Sherry       |
| Mr Berinson     | Mr Duthie     | Mr Keating       | Mr Stewart      |
| Mr Bowen        | Mr Enderby    | Mr Keogh         | Mr Thorburn     |
| Mr Bryant       | Dr Everingham | Mr Kerin         | Mr Uren         |
| Dr J. F. Cairns | Mr Fry        | Dr Klugman       | Mr Wallis       |
| Dr Cass         | Mr Fulton     | Mr Lamb          | Mr Whan         |
| Mrs Child       | Mr Garrick    | Mr McKenzie      | Mr Willis       |
| Mr Clayton      | Dr Gun        | Mr Mathews       | Mr Young        |
| Mr Coates       | Mr Hayden     | Mr Morris        |                 |
| Mr Cohen        | Mr Hurford    | Mr Morrison      |                 |
| Mr Collard      | Mr Innes      | Mr Mulder        |                 |
| Mr Crean        | Mr Jacobi     | Mr Oldmeadow     | <i>Tellers:</i> |
| Mr Cross        | Dr Jenkins    | Dr Patterson     | Mr James        |
|                 |               |                  | Mr Nicholls     |

NOES, 51

|                 |              |                   |                   |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Mr Adermann     | Mr Fairbairn | Mr Killen         | Mr I. L. Robinson |
| Mr Bonnett      | Mr Fisher    | Mr King           | Mr Ruddock        |
| Mr Bouchier     | Dr Forbes    | Mr Lloyd          | Mr Sinclair       |
| Mr Bungey       | Mr Garland   | Mr Luccock        | Mr Snedden        |
| Mr Cadman       | Mr Giles     | Mr Lusher         | Mr Staley         |
| Mr K. M. Cairns | Mr Graham    | Mr MacKellar      | Mr Street         |
| Mr Calder       | Mr Hodges    | Mr McLeay         | Mr Sullivan       |
| Mr Connolly     | Mr Holten    | Mr McVeigh        | Mr Viner          |
| Mr Drummond     | Mr Howard    | Mr Millar         | Mr Wentworth      |
| Mr Drury        | Mr Hyde      | Mr Newman         | Mr Wilson         |
| Dr Edwards      | Mr Jarman    | Mr Nixon          | <i>Tellers:</i>   |
| Mr Ellicott     | Mr Katter    | Mr O'Keefe        | Mr D. M. Cameron  |
| Mr Erwin        | Mr Kelly     | Mr E. L. Robinson | Mr Corbett        |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the House do now adjourn—was put accordingly, and passed.

And then the House, at eleven minutes to six o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday next at eleven o'clock a.m.

PAPERS: The following papers were deemed to have been presented on 30 October 1975, pursuant to statute:

Commonwealth Banks Act—Appointment certificate—K. G. Elliott.

Lands Acquisition Act—Statement of lands, etc., acquired by agreement authorised under section 7 (1) of the Act.

MEMBERS PRESENT: All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr C. R. Cameron, Mr England\*, Mr Hewson, Mr Hunt and Mr Luchetti\*.

\* On leave

N. J. PARKES,  
Clerk of the House of Representatives