PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES

No. 70

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

AND

ORDERS OF THE DAY

SECOND SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SECOND PARLIAMENT

TUESDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2000

The House meets this day at 2.30 pm
BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE—NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1. Miss Gardiner to move—


(Notice given 10 October 2000)

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS—ORDERS OF THE DAY


(Standing Orders suspended for remaining stages, Wednesday 1 November 2000)

*2. Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment Bill: resumption of the adjourned debate of the question on the motion of Mr Della Bosca: That this Bill be now read a second time (5 calendar days from 1 November 2000)—Mr Moppett.

*3. Fisheries Management and Environmental Assessment Legislation Amendment Bill: resumption of the adjourned debate of the question on the motion of Mr Obeid: That this Bill be now read a second time (5 calendar days from 2 November 2000)—Miss Gardiner.

*4. Industrial Relations Amendment (Leave) Bill: resumption of the adjourned debate of the question on the motion of Mr Shaw: That this Bill be now read a second time (5 calendar days from 22 June 2000)—Mr Jobling.

§5. Industrial Relations Amendment (Independent Contractors) Bill: further consideration in Committee of the Whole—Mr Della Bosca.

(Standing Orders suspended for remaining stages, Tuesday 20 June 2000)

§ Bill divided from Industrial Relations Amendment Bill, 28 June 2000

7. **Public Health Amendment (Tobacco Control) Bill**: consideration in Committee of the Whole—Mr Egan.

(Standing Orders suspended for remaining stages, Tuesday 26 October 1999)

- Council Bill

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**PRIVATE MEMBERS’ BUSINESS**

**ITEMS IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE**

1. **Crimes Amendment (Firearms and Other Offensive Weapons or Instruments) Bill**: resumption of the adjourned debate (31 August 2000) of the question on the motion of Mr Tingle: That this Bill be now read a second time—Mr Malcolm Jones (14 minutes remaining)

   (Debate adjourned until Friday 3 November 2000)

   (Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

2. **Goods and Services Tax**: resumption of the interrupted debate (2 November 2000) of the question on the motion of Mr Primrose:

   That this House expresses its serious concern at the Federal Government’s mishandling of the implementation of the Goods and Services Tax, and the negative impact of the tax on the citizens of this State

   Upon which Mr Gay has moved: That the question be amended by omitting all words after “That” and inserting instead:

   “this House congratulates the Federal Government’s initiative in implementing the Goods and Services Tax, and notes the positive impact of the tax on the citizens of this State”—Mr Malcolm Jones speaking (15 minutes remaining)

   Debate—90 minutes remaining.

3. **Sydney’s Water Supply**: resumption of the adjourned debate (31 August 2000) of the question on the motion of Mr Jobling:

   That this House orders the publication without restricted access of all documents relating to Sydney’s Water Supply lodged with the Clerk on Tuesday 29 June 1999 in accordance with the Resolution of the House of Wednesday 23 June 1999, that is:

   (a) documents assessed as falling within legal professional privilege.
documents assessed as falling within public interest immunity—Mr Egan speaking (14 minutes remaining)

Debate—169 minutes remaining.

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

*4 Technical and Further Education Commission Amendment (Closure of TAFE Establishments) Bill: resumption of the adjourned debate (31 August 2000) of the question on the motion of Rev Mr Nile: That this Bill be now read a second time—Rev Mr Nile speaking (19 minutes remaining)

5. Mr Macdonald to move—

That this House condemns the Federal Government’s Telstra policies especially for their negative impact upon rural and regional communities in New South Wales.

(Notice given 4 April 2000)

6. Dr Pezzutti to move—

That this House takes note of the following reports by the Health Care Complaints Commission tabled in the Legislative Assembly on Tuesday 14 September 1999:

(a) Report on an investigation of incidents in the Operating Theatre at Canterbury Hospital 8 February-7 June 1999,

(b) Report on an investigation into adverse outcomes following cataract surgery at Dubbo Base Hospital on 8 February 1999.

(Notice given 23 September 1999)

7. Mr Richard Jones to move—

That in the view of the crisis facing rural New South Wales, this House calls on the Carr Government to implement, as a matter of urgency, the recommendations of the eight Working Groups in the Communique of the Salinity Summit, dated 17 March 2000.

(Notice given 4 April 2000)

8. Ms Burnswoods to move—

That this House condemns the Howard Government for making people who live permanently in residential parks pay GST on their rent.

(Notice given 4 April 2000)

9. Mr Samios to move—

That this House:

(a) congratulates the Howard Federal Government for its strategic proposal to develop Sydney as a financial hub of the Asia-Pacific region,
(b) applauds the recommendation of the Regional Financial Centre Task Force, set up by the Minister for Financial Services and Regulation, Mr Joe Hockey, to abolish the withholding tax on government bond issues and tax concessions for offshore investor companies and banking units,

(c) calls on the Carr Government to play its part in the strategic proposal by further reducing business, payroll and financial taxes in the forthcoming State Budget in June.

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

* Council Bill

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ITEMS OUTSIDE THE ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

1. **Mr Gallacher to move**—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Water Supply Authorities Act 1987 to declare Parliament’s intention that a referendum be conducted before certain functions of Gosford City Council or Wyong Council relating to water and sewerage services are reduced, abolished or suspended.

(Water Supply Authorities Amendment (Central Coast Water and Sewerage) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

2. **Dr Pezzutti to move**—


(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

3. **Mr Cohen to move**—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Drug Misuse and Trafficking Act 1985 to enable the lawful establishment and use of safe injecting rooms for a trial period of 12 months.

(Drug Misuse and Trafficking Amendment (Safe Injecting Rooms) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)
4. **Dr Pezzutti to move—**

That this House congratulates the NSW Farmers Association in its attempt to ensure the viability of family farms in New South Wales.

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

5. **Revd Mr Nile to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to provide for the establishment of the Family Impact Commission to study the moral, social and economic effect on the family unit of certain laws and proposed laws and Government expenditure, and for related purposes.

(Family Impact Commission Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

6. **Mrs Nile to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to prohibit nudity (indecent exposure) on any beach or public place.

(Nudity (Indecent Exposure) in Public Places (Prohibition) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

7. **Mr Richard Jones to move—**

That this House:

(a) requests the Prime Minister to immediately release appendix H of the report of the Woodward Royal Commission entitled, “Report of the Royal Commission into Australian Meat Industry” dated September 1982,

(b) seeks an explanation from the Prime Minister as to why the names of those named adversely by the commission have been suppressed including the names of leading persons still active within the Australian kangaroo industry.

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)
8. **Mr Tingle to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Traffic Act 1909 and certain regulations with respect to passengers in motor vehicles driven by learner drivers.

(Traffic Amendment (Learners’ Passengers) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

9. **Mr Cohen to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Electricity Supply Act 1995 with respect to the imposition and enforcement of conditions of retail suppliers’ licences concerning greenhouse gas emission.

(Electricity Supply Amendment (Greenhouse Targets) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

10. **Revd Mr Nile to move—**

That leave be given to bring in the following cognate Bills:

(a) a Bill for an Act to allow the electors of New South Wales to initiate referendums on proposed laws, and to amend the Constitution Act 1902,

   (Constitution (Citizen-initiated Referendums) Bill)

(b) a Bill for an Act to provide for the holding of a referendum on the Bill entitled “A Bill for an Act to allow the electors of New South Wales to initiate referendums on proposed laws, and to amend the Constitution Act 1902”.

   (Constitution (CIR) Referendum Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

11. **Mrs Nile to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977 to make it unlawful to discriminate against a person on the grounds of heterosexuality in certain circumstances.

(Anti-Discrimination (Heterosexual Discrimination) Amendment Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)
12. Mr Richard Jones to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act 1912 so as to reduce the minimum voting age from 18 years to 16 years, and for other purposes.

(Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Amendment (Voting Age) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

13. Revd Mr Nile to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act for the prevention of crime by providing for offences with respect to the incitement, urging and encouragement of crime, and to repeal the Crimes Prevention Act 1916.

(Crimes Prevention Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

14. Mrs Nile to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act relating to HIV/AIDS and Hepatitis B testing before surgery, and to the disclosure of test results.

(Pre-surgery (HIV/AIDS and Hepatitis B Tests) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

15. Revd Mr Nile to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to make further provision with respect to the control of knives and the authority of police officers to conduct searches of, give directions to and require information from persons, and for other purposes.

(Police Authorities Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)
16. **Mrs Nile to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to clarify the legal status of an unborn child, to provide legal protection and rights for an unborn child, to make provisions for the claiming and payment of compensation in the event of the death of an unborn child by accident or malicious action, and for purposes connected therewith.

(Unborn Child Protection Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

17. **Revd Mr Nile to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to give priority, where companies are insolvent, to the payment to employee entitlements over other company debts, to provide for the establishment and administration of an insurance scheme to guarantee the payment of wages and certain other liabilities owed to employees in the event of employer insolvency, and for other related purposes.

(Employees (Priority of Debts and Wage Protection Insurance) Bill)

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

18. **Revd Mr Nile to move—**

That this House:

(a) affirms the importance of quality education for all the children of this State irrespective of their religion, nationality or sex,

(b) supports the rights of parents to have freedom of choice of the school for their child,

(c) supports the right of all non-government schools to maintain their distinctive moral values and foundational ethos,

(d) supports the introduction of a voucher system, that would enable freedom of choice of school to be efficiently exercised by all parents.

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

19. **Revd Mr Nile to move—**

1. That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into and report upon prostitution and in particular the following matters:

(a) the operation of the Disorderly Houses Act 1943 in regard to brothels,

(b) street prostitution, particularly activities regarding prostitution along Canterbury Road and other districts in New South Wales,
(c) organised crime in prostitution,
(d) children involved in prostitution,
(e) overseas women (such as illegal Asian immigrants) involved in prostitution,
(f) the link between drug addiction and prostitution,
(g) the phased elimination of the prostitution industry through the closure of all brothels and the elimination of all street prostitution in accordance with a timetable not later than 1 January 2000 in anticipation of the 2000 Olympic Games in Sydney,
(h) the rehabilitation, retraining and relocation of prostitutes to acceptable forms of legitimate employment.

2. (1) That notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the Committee is to consist of seven members, comprising four Government members nominated by the Leader of the Government, and two members nominated by the Leader of the Opposition and Revd Mr Nile.

(2) In the absence of agreement notified to the President, the question of the representation on the Committee is to be determined by the President.

3. That the time and place for the first meeting of the Committee be fixed by the Clerk of the House.

4. That the Committee have leave to sit during any adjournment of the House, to adjourn from place to place, to make visits of inspection within New South Wales and other States and Territories of Australia, and have power to take evidence and to send for persons, papers, records and things, and to report from time to time.

5. That should the House stand adjourned and the Committee agree to any report before the House resumes sitting:

(a) the Committee have leave to send any such report, minutes of proceedings and evidence taken before it to the Clerk of the House,

(b) the documents be printed and published and the Clerk forthwith take such action as is necessary to give effect to the order of the House,

(c) the documents be laid on the Table of the House at its next sitting.

6. That on receipt of a request from the Committee for funding, the Government immediately provide the Legislative Council with such additional funds that the Committee considers necessary for the conduct of its inquiry.

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)
20. **Dr Pezzuti to move**—


(Notice given 13 May 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

21. **Mr Richard Jones to move**—

1. That this House expresses no confidence in the Leader of the House, Mr Michael Egan, who continues to show contempt for the Legislative Council and who now wishes to render this Chamber ineffective through his proposed legislative changes.

2. That this House requests the Premier to remove Mr Michael Egan from his position as Leader of the House and replace him with Mr John Della Bosca.

(Notice given 3 June 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

22. **Revd Mr Nile to move**—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend section 13A of the Sentencing Act 1989 so as to provide that an existing life sentence may no longer be the subject of a Supreme Court determination that sets a minimum term and an additional term for that sentence.

**Sentencing Amendment (Life Sentences) Bill**

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

23. **Mr Oldfield to move**—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Firearms Act 1996 to make further provision with respect to the control and regulation of firearms; and for other purposes.

**Firearms Amendment (Miscellaneous Reforms) Bill**

(Notice given 1 July 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

24. **Revd Mr Nile to move**—

1. That this House censures the President, the Honourable Dr Meredith Burgmann, for undermining the reputation and independence of this House when she invited representatives from two communist countries, Cuba and Vietnam, to the opening of the second session of the Fifty-Second Parliament which was an insult to the thousands of Vietnamese Australians and Cubans who have suffered persecution and loss of human rights at the hands of these Communist dictatorships.
2. That this House directs the President, as a servant of this House, to consult with the Leader of the Government and the Leader of the Opposition in this place when organising any future events including guest lists.

(Notice given 8 September 1999)

25. **Mr Moppett to move—**

That this House censures the Minister for Mineral Resources and Minister for Fisheries, the Honourable Edward Obeid, MLC for his failure to negotiate a scheme of compensation on just terms for the compulsory retirement of inland commercial fisherman.

(Notice given 8 September 1999)

26. **Mr Moppett to move—**

That this House:

(a) congratulates the Management Board of West 2000 Rural Partnership program on their achievements in addressing the social, economic and environmental issues facing landholders in the Western Division of NSW since its inception in February 1997,

(b) urges the Government of New South Wales to negotiate with the Commonwealth Government to extend the program for a further period of three years.

(Notice given 8 September 1999)

27. **Ms Rhiannon to move—**

That this House:

(a) expresses deep concern about the impact of competitive tendering on employment levels, quality of service and in particular the damaging implications for rural and regional communities,

(b) recognises that competitive tendering is being driven by the widely discredited National Competition Policy, that is responsible for increasing hardship and loss of services in rural communities,

(c) recognises the widespread hardship that will result from the Government’s decision to require the Roads and Traffic Authority to move to competitive tendering of state roads,

(d) calls on the Minister for Transport to immediately repeal the implementation of competitive tendering of Roads and Traffic Authority road contracts,

(e) recognises the widespread hardship that will result from the Government’s decision to contract out services for people with disabilities currently living in group homes operated by the Department of Community Services,

(f) calls on the Minister for Community Services to immediately repeal the implementation of the tendering out of group homes.

(Notice given 12 October 1999)
28. Mrs Sham-Ho to move—

That this House:

(a) notes the Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission Report, Pregnant and Productive, released in August 1999, which exposes continuing and widespread discrimination against women on the grounds of pregnancy and potential pregnancy in the workplace,

(b) affirms that it is a human right, not a privilege, for a woman to work while she is pregnant and accordingly condemns discrimination of women on the basis of pregnancy in the workplace,

(c) supports continued efforts by governments and the community for eliminating pregnancy discrimination in the workplace,

(d) recognises the long-term and serious consequences of pregnancy discrimination on a woman's future career prospects and financial security.

(Notice given 20 October 1999)

29. Dr Pezzutti to move—

That this House:

(a) condemns the Government for failing to deliver the promises made to this House that they would reduce Compulsory Third Party Insurance by $100,

(b) notes with concern that this promise has certainly not been delivered to people in country New South Wales,

(c) calls on the Government to indicate the likely increase for next year.

(Notice given by Mr Jobling on behalf of Dr Pezzutti 19 October 1999)

30. Mrs Sham-Ho to move—

That the House adopt Report No. 10 of the Standing Committee on Parliamentary Privilege and Ethics, entitled “Report on Person Referred to in the Legislative Council (Mr L R Allen), dated October 1999.”

(Notice given 26 October 1999)

31. Dr Chesterfield-Evans to move—

1. The General Purpose Standing Committee No. 5 inquire into and report on the changes and current plans for the M5 East ventilation stack, and in particular:

   (a) the environmental impact of the new single stack,

   (b) the evidence for the current design of the ventilation stack and alternative possibilities for the management of air polluting substances,

   (c) a rigorous and open risk assessment integrated as part of any ventilation proposal,

   (d) a health and property value guarantee for all affected residents and businesses.

2. That the Committee report by Wednesday 8 December 1999.
3. That this House request the Government to cease construction work associated with the project until the Committee has reported and that any action taken after this time be consistent with the Committee report.

(Notice given 27 October 1999)

32. **Revd Mr Nile to move—**

That this House:

1. Calls on the Government to establish a judicial inquiry into the Canterbury City Council’s processing and handling of the development application lodged by the Sydney Turf Club for the development of its property known as Canterbury Park Racecourse for the purposes of conducting night racing and other forms of entertainment and non-racing promotions.

2. Requests that the terms of reference of the inquiry include a full investigation into the following matters:

   (a) the validity of the application in regard to compliance with the requirements of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 and Canterbury Local Environmental Plan No. 138 Canterbury precinct,

   (b) whether Canterbury City Council followed correct community notification procedures as specified in the Council’s development application advertising policy,

   (c) whether correct legislative procedures were complied with in determining the various stages of the development application’s approval, and whether amendments to the development application were properly advertised and/or community notification occurred according to Canterbury Council guidelines,

   (d) whether lighting used by Canterbury Park Racecourse is in accordance with acceptable standards as determined by the Australian Standards Council,

   (e) whether signage for street parking restrictions in communities surrounding the Canterbury Park Racecourse are suitable to the community surroundings,

   (f) whether or not the development of night racing fixtures and facilities comply with the Sydney Turf Club’s deed allowing it to use the area of Canterbury Park,

   (g) whether Canterbury City Councillors, Council officers or any other elected official have breached a conflict of interest prior to the lodgment of the development application or prior to the final development application approval.

(Notice given 9 November 1999)

33. **Dr Chesterfield-Evans to move—**

1. That, under Standing Order 18, there be laid upon the Table of the House and made public without restricted access no later than 5.00 pm, Thursday, 25 November 1999, all documents whether recorded in written or electronic form, relating to the Government’s decision not to introduce a licencing scheme for tobacco retailers, or to introduce a so-called ‘negative licencing scheme’, including any document which records or refers to the production of documents as a result of this Order of the House.

2. That an indexed list of all documents tabled under this resolution be prepared showing the date of creation of the document, a description of the document and the author of the document.
3. That anything required to be laid before the House by this resolution may be lodged with the Clerk of the House if the House is not sitting, and is deemed for all purposes to have been presented to or laid before the House and published by authority of the House.

(Notice given 9 November 1999)

34. **Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999**

Commencement: resumption of the adjourned debate (16 November 1999) of the question on the motion of Mr Jobling:

1. That this House:
   
   (a) notes the failure of the Government to proclaim the commencement of section 61 (6) of the Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999,
   
   (b) notes that the Government, by the Honourable John Della Bosca, Special Minister of State and Assistant Treasurer, accepted the amendment to insert section 61 (6) as a significant protection for persons injured in motor vehicle accidents,
   
   (c) requests the Honourable John Della Bosca, Special Minister of State and Assistant Treasurer, to immediately recommend to the Governor the proclamation of the commencement of section 61 (6) of the Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999, by 18 November 1999 and table a copy of the proclamation in the House.

2. That in the event of a proclamation dealing with the commencement of section 61 (6) not being tabled in the House before the adjournment of the House on Thursday 18 November 1999, this House orders the Special Minister of State and Assistant Treasurer, to attend in his place at the Table of this House on the next sitting day to explain why section 61 (6) has not been proclaimed to commence in defiance of the will of the Parliament and the timetable for its commencement.

Debate—103 minutes remaining.

35. **Mr Samios to move**—

That General Purpose Standing Committee No. 1 inquire into and report on the performance of the Government of New South Wales with respect to the implementation of ethnic and multicultural policies, and in particular:

(1) The impact which the name and role change of the Ethnic Affairs Commission of New South Wales to the Community Relations Commission will have on multiculturalism in New South Wales and the delivery of services to the ethnic communities of New South Wales.

(2) (a) The needs and aspirations of artists and communities of non-English speaking background and the vision, strategies and commitment of Government to meet those needs and aspirations and its delivery,

   (b) the appropriateness and efficiency of government administrative processes and procedures and Government funding, for the further improvement of multicultural arts in New South Wales,

   (c) the circumstances surrounding the proposed defunding of the multicultural Arts Alliance,

   (d) the growth of multicultural arts as a significant part of the policy of multiculturalism in New South Wales.

(3) (a) The ability of the Board of the Carnivale to deliver on its objectives having regard to the level of Government funding for Carnivale,
(b) the ability of the Board of the Carnivale to independently manage and deliver on its objectives to the ethnic community,

(c) the circumstances of the resignation of the staff of Carnivale en masse, including the Director, Mr Lex Marinos and the General Manager, Mr Frank Panucci.

(4) Any other related matters.

(Notice given 23 November 1999)

36. Mr Malcolm Jones to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Wilderness Act 1987 with respect to the procedure to be followed in identifying areas as wilderness and the activities that may be enjoyed in wilderness areas; and for other purposes.

(Wilderness Amendment (Procedure) Bill)

(Notice given 23 November 1999)

37. Ms Rhiannon to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Technical and Further Education Commission Act 1990 so as to guarantee certain levels of staffing and resources for the TAFE Commission and for individual TAFE establishments; and for other purposes.

(Technical and Further Education Commission Amendment (Save TAFE) Bill)

(Notice given 23 November 1999)

38. Ms Rhiannon to move—

That this House calls on the Minister for the Olympics to direct SOCOG to:

(a) produce an independently audited estimate of the total costs that will be incurred by each local government authority as a result of hosting Olympic events,

(b) develop, in consultation with each affected Council, a plan for equitably sharing these costs,

(c) develop, in consultation with each affected Council, a strategy for appropriate recognition of the contribution to the Olympics, including, but not limited to, naming rights, access to other Olympic events and sponsorship rights.

(Notice given 23 November 1999)

39. Mr Gay to move—

That the Auditor General of New South Wales be given complete access to all documents tabled in this House earlier this year, in relation to Integral Energy, for the purposes of conducting any inquiry into the New South Wales power industry.

(Notice given 25 November 1999)
40. Mr Gay to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act 1912 to provide for the review of elections and to make further provision with respect to voting procedures and the validity of ballot-papers; and for other purposes.

(Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Amendment (Review of Elections) Bill)

(Notice given 30 November 1999)

41. Revd Mr Nile to move—

That the House take note of the “Report on Inquiry into the Proposed Closure of Seaforth TAFE”.

(Notice given 7 December 1999)

42. Mr Jobling to move—

1. (1) That under Standing Order 18 there be laid upon the table of the House and made public without restricted access no later than Tuesday 14 December, 1999 all documents recording any contractual arrangements between Pacific Power and Powercor Australia relating to the sale of power, and in particular the eleven (11) contracts referred to in the recent Victorian Supreme Court judgement that related to a price averaging $21 mgh (megawatt hour), including all relevant letters, memoranda and files, whether recorded in written or electronic form.

(2) That an indexed list of all documents tabled under this resolution be prepared showing the date of creation of the document, a description of the document and the author of the document.

2. That anything required to be laid before the House by this resolution may be lodged with the Clerk of the House if the House is not sitting, and is deemed for all purposes to have been presented to or laid before the House and published by authority of the House.

3. Where it is considered that a document required to be tabled under this order is privileged and should not be made public or tabled:

   (a) a return is to be prepared and tabled showing the date of creation of the document, a description of the document, the author of the document and reasons for the claim of privilege,

   (b) the documents are to be delivered to the Clerk of the House by 5.00 pm Tuesday 14 December 1999, and:

      (i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council,

      (ii) not published or copied without an order of the House.

4. That in the event of a dispute by any Member of the House communicated in writing to the Clerk as to the validity of a claim of legal professional privilege or public interest immunity in relation to a particular document:

   (a) the Clerk is authorised to release the disputed document to an independent legal arbiter who is either a Queen’s Counsel, a Senior Counsel or a retired Supreme Court judge, appointed by the President, for evaluation and report within 5 days as to the validity of the claim,
(b) any report from the independent arbiter is to be tabled with the Clerk of the House, and:

(i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council,

(ii) not published or copied without an order of the House.

(Notice given 7 December 1999)

43. Mr Richard Jones to move—

That under section 4 of the Parliamentary Evidence Act 1901, Mr Paul Forward, Acting Chief Executive Officer of the Roads and Traffic Authority, Mr Nicholas James of the Macquarie Bank and Ms Sonja Burchell-Weekes, formerly of Blake Dawson Waldron and now with Minter Ellison, be summoned to attend and give evidence at the Bar of the House on the second private Members’ day in 2000, at 3.00 pm and afterwards as required, in relation to their dealings in the M2 Motorway Project.

(Notice given 7 December 1999)

44. Mr Oldfield to move—

That General Purpose Standing Committee No. 2 inquire into and report on the performance and effectiveness of the Department of Community Services and of other Government Departments and in particular the following:

(a) the circumstances surrounding the failure to adequately investigate multiple incidents of child sexual abuse alleged to have been done to Sammy Soames from age 3 to age 6 by women while he was in Marrickville Women’s Refuge,

(b) the failure of the Community Services Minister Faye Lo Po, Police Minister Paul Whelan, the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions and others to reply to the letter of 9th July 1996 by Solicitor Ghaith Krayem in which he describes serious matters including allegations that Community Services Department Officers and a child psychiatrist engaged by the Department had told lies to Courts and perverted the course of justice,

(c) considering the decision of 23 November 1999 by the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions to charge Linda Soames for alleged physical assault against Sammy Soames, the need to investigate whether Community Services Department Officers by giving to Courts a false name, Mr Gannan, concealed an alleged assault occurring at about the same time in which Mr Ramadan is alleged to have assaulted the child with a cricket bat.

(Notice given 7 December 1999)

45. Mr Moppett to move—

That this House calls on the Government to implement the recommendations contained in the Report of the Standing Committee on Social Issues entitled “The Group Homes Proposal - Inquiry into Residential and Support Services for People with Disability - First Report” and that no further action be taken towards re-auspicing group homes or other accommodation support services until the processes recommended are in place.

(Notice given 7 December 1999)
46. **Ms Rhiannon to move**—


(Notice given 7 December 1999)

47. **Olympic Ticketing**: resumption of the interrupted debate (7 December 1999) of the question on the motion of Revd Mr Nile: That the House take note of the Report on Inquiry into Olympic Ticketing, dated December 1999—Mr Lynn speaking (time expired).

Debate—105 minutes remaining.

48. **Milk Quotas**: resumption of the interrupted debate (2 June 2000) of the question on the motion of Dr Chesterfield-Evans:

That this House:

(a) recognises that the loss of market milk quotas has disadvantaged dairy farmers both in terms of loss of income and loss of equity in their farms,

(b) calls on the Government to pay adequate compensation for loss of milk quotas to owners and operators of dairy farms as recommended in the Senate report entitled “Deregulation of the Australian Dairy Industry”, dated October 1999,

(c) requests the Government to seek compensation for this payment from the Federal Government, but that the State Government compensation not be dependent on the Federal payment,

(d) supports the appointment of a high level task force as recommended by the Australian Agricultural and Primary Industries Ministers’ meeting on 3 March 2000 to inquire into and report on the financial effect of the loss of milk quotas on dairy farmers as well as rural communities,

(e) requests the task force to publicise its findings within the first 6 months and at similar intervals thereafter until stability in the dairy industry is achieved.

Upon which Mr Bull has moved: That the question be amended as follows:

1. Paragraph (b). Omit “compensation” insert instead “structural adjustment”.

2. Paragraph (c). Omit paragraph (c), insert instead:

   (c) demands the NSW Carr Labor Government provides a structural adjustment package to the dairy industry, at least equivalent to the $80 million it provided to the forest industry, funded from the $156.5 million it will receive in National Competition Policy payments in 2000/01 from the Federal Government,

Upon which Mr Kelly has further moved: That the question be amended by omitting paragraphs (b) and (c) and inserting instead:

(b) calls on the Federal Government to implement a national floor price for market milk to enable dairy farmers to remain viable,—Mr Oldfield speaking (20 minutes remaining).

Debate—49 minutes remaining.
49. Mr Tingle to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999 with respect to the penalties imposed under that Act for assaults on aged persons.

(Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Amendment (Assaults on Aged Persons) Bill)

(Notice given 4 April 2000)

50. Ms Rhiannon to move—

That this House urges the Government and in particular the Minister for Ports to strengthen existing regulations on the recreational use of motorised personal water craft to:

(a) create a “surfpath” along the New South Wales coast in which the recreational usage of motorised personal water craft is banned for a minimum distance of 300 metres from the water’s edge unless specific and clearly designated and sign-posted exclusive use areas are set aside by the relevant councils after open public discussion and concurrence,

(b) ban the recreational use of motorised personal water craft in Sydney Harbour and all other Sydney inland waterways, including all estuarine and inland waterways from Cronulla Beach to Palm Beach, including Pittwater and the Hawkesbury River and its tributaries,

(c) require all motorised personal water craft to display a registration number in two locations, being either starboard and port or bow and stern, at a minimum height of 200 mm on a contrasting background,

(d) ban the recreational use of motorised personal water craft between sunset and sunrise,

(e) require all recreational motorised personal water craft that are powered by outboard motors be fitted with effective prop guards,

(f) require all drivers of motorised personal water craft be licensed, and have a minimum age of 16 years,

(g) require all drivers and passengers of motorised personal water craft to wear lifejackets and have a zero blood alcohol level.

(Notice given 4 April 2000)

51. Dr Chesterfield-Evans to move—

1. That this House notes that:

(a) Transgrid is keen to augment the electricity grid of the Sydney CBD as well as those at Molong and Balranald,

(b) this decision has been arrived at without a public tender process,

(c) Transgrid is in a conflict of interest position as it is both the advocate and executor of the work,

(d) the alternatives of demand management and co-generation have not been fully considered,
(e) currently, no regulatory mechanism for an open process of assessing options for the electricity grid is in place,

(f) both South Australia and Victoria are moving towards a separation of network planning and the network operation function.

2. That this House refers the issue of electricity augmentation and regulation in NSW to the General Purpose Standing Committee No. 5 for inquiry and report, and in particular:

(a) Transgrid’s proposed augmentation of the grid in the Sydney CBD, Molong and Balranald,

(b) alternatives to augmentation, including demand management and co-generation,

(c) options and recommendations for a regulatory structure that would allow for a transparent and open process for future management of the NSW electricity grid.

(Notice given 6 April 2000)

52. Ms Saffin to move—

That this House:

(a) condemns the Northern Territory mandatory sentencing laws as unfair, unjust and discriminatory,

(b) calls on the Northern Territory administration to repeal its mandatory sentencing laws forthwith,

(c) calls on the Federal Government to overturn the Northern Territory mandatory sentencing laws should the Northern Territory administration fail to do so.

(Notice given 6 April 2000)

53. Reference to General Purpose Standing Committee No. 4 - CityRail Train Services: resumption of the adjourned debate (14 April 2000) of the question on the motion of Mr Jobling:

That General Purpose Standing Committee No. 4 inquire into and report on the operating systems of the New South Wales CityRail train service with specific reference to:

(a) the operating systems,

(b) safety systems and their operation,

(c) CityRail on time running performance and delays and other service interruptions,

(d) the incidence of crime throughout the operating system,

(e) the introduction of the “new generation” Tangara carriages into the system and compliance with the schedules of delivery—Mr Jobling speaking (21 minutes remaining).

(Debate adjourned until the first day that Private Members’ Business takes precedence in May)

Debate—171 minutes remaining.
Ms Rhiannon to move—

1. That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into and report on the operation and administration of the Transport Administration Act 1988 and in particular its impact on:
   
   (a) the standards of service to passengers in urban, regional and rural New South Wales, including the issues of on-time running and frequency of services,
   
   (b) the occupational health and safety of workers in railway services,
   
   (c) the safety of passengers and the requirements of the Railway Act 1993,
   
   (d) staffing levels, particularly in maintenance, cleaning and railway stations,
   
   (e) the long-term development and retention of expertise in technology, operations and management of urban, regional and rural railway services and infrastructure,
   
   (f) public accountability,
   
   (g) lines of responsibility and accountability between the Rail Access Corporation, the State Rail Authority, Freight Rail Corporation and contractors, including the Railway Services Authority,
   
   (h) the control and accountability of the Minister for Transport in relation to the decisions and activities of the Rail Access Corporation and the State Rail Authority,
   
   (i) mechanisms for performance-based reporting and oversight of network-wide operations.

2. That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the Committee consist of the following members:
   
   (a) 2 Government members nominated in writing to the Clerk of the House by the Leader of the Government,
   
   (b) 2 Opposition members nominated in writing to the Clerk of the House by the Leader of the Opposition,
   
   (c) 2 Cross Bench Members nominated by agreement among Cross Bench Members. In the absence of any agreement the representation on the Committee is to be determined by the House.

3. That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the time and place for the first meeting of the Committee be fixed by the Clerk of the House.

4. That the Chair, or other member acting as Chair at a meeting of the Committee, have a deliberative vote and in the event of an equality of votes, a casting vote.

5. That the Committee have leave to sit during any adjournment of the Houses, to adjourn from place to place, to make visits of inspection within New South Wales, and other States and Territories of Australia with the approval of the President, and have power to take evidence and to send for persons, papers, records and things, and to report from time to time.

6. That should the House stand adjourned and the Committee agree to any report before the House resumes sitting:
   
   (a) the Committee have leave to send any such report, minutes of proceedings and evidence taken before it to the Clerk of the House,
(b) the document be printed and published and the Clerk forthwith take such action as is necessary to give effect to the order of the House, and

(c) the document be laid on the Table of the House at its next sitting.

7. That on receipt of a request from the Committee for funding, the Government immediately provide the Legislative Council with such additional funds that the Committee considers necessary for the conduct of its inquiry.

8. That the Committee report by Tuesday 29 August 2000.

(Notice given 11 April 2000)

55. **Dr Chesterfield-Evans to move—**

1. That this House recognises that motorcyclists are legitimate road users and as such are entitled to have their safety taken into consideration in road repair and construction.

2. That the Joint Standing Committee on Road Safety inquire into and report on the safety of motorcyclists and in particular:
   
   (a) the use of temporary steel plates covering road trenches,

   (b) the use of Brifen wire rope safety fences,

   (c) the placement of ‘traffic calming’ chicanes, speedhumps, roundabouts, roadside poles and furniture, steep curbs and other obstructions of view,

   (d) the level of inconsistency in the road friction surface index for sealed roads in New South Wales.

3. That the Committee report by 20 June 2000.

4. That the Legislative Assembly be requested to pass a similar resolution.

(Notice given 12 April 2000)

56. **Mr Breen to move—**

That in accordance with the resolution of the House of 21 October 1997 the following documents relating to paedophilia tabled by Mrs Arena on the same date and retained in the custody of the Clerk, be now made available for inspection by members of this House and not published or copied without an order of the House:

   (a) Volumes 1 and 2 – General Information provided to Mrs Arena detailing allegations of paedophilia and child sexual assaults, including statutory declarations, and other documentation,

   (b) Volume 3 – Information and documents provided by W26 and other related information concerning allegations of paedophilia,

   (c) Volume 4 –
       
       Part A – Material relating to allegations against lawyer X,
       
       Part B – Material concerning allegations of a paedophile house network, and
       
       Part C – Documents relating to claims made by Mrs Arena on 17 September 1997.

(Notice given 13 April 2000)
57. Mr Moppett to move—

That this House:

(a) notes the Coalition’s policy to expand Senior’s and Pensioner’s travel concessions to extend special provision for residents of rural and remote NSW,

(b) notes with satisfaction that residents of Sydney, Wollongong and Newcastle have access to $1.00 and $2.00 Pensioner Excursion tickets for travel on Cityrail and State Transit services,

(c) deplores the discriminatory policy which limits the Countrylink Pensioner Excursion ticket to a distance of 129 kilometres,

(d) notes the example of residents of Nyngan who cannot access the $2.00 Countrylink Pensioner Excursion ticket to travel to the nearest city, Dubbo, because it is 30 kilometres outside the limit,

(e) calls on the Government to extend the Countrylink Pensioner Excursion ticket to their nearest centre,

(f) calls on the Government to adopt the recommendations as set out in the NSW National Party’s submission to the Public Transport Authority on Public Transport Concessions.

(Notice given 14 April 2000)

58. Mr Gay to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Pay-roll Tax Act 1971 to grant exemptions from payment of pay-roll tax in relation to employees of country businesses.

(Pay-roll Tax Amendment (Country Employment) Bill 2000 – Part 1)

(Notice given 2 May 2000)

59. Ms Rhiannon to move—

That this House take note of the Special Report of the Ombudsman entitled “Handling of Child Abuse Allegations Against Employees: An Investigation into the system used by the NSW Department of Education and Training”, dated April 2000.

(Notice given 2 May 2000)

60. Dr Chesterfield-Evans to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to require Government contracts, and tenders relating to Government contracts, to be made available for public inspection, and to enable the Auditor-General to audit the accounts of persons and bodies that receive public money by way of grant.

(Government (Open Market Competition) Bill)

(Notice given 4 May 2000)
61. Mr Hatzistergos to move—


(Notice given 23 May 2000)

62. Mr Gallacher to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Freedom of Information Act 1989 with respect to the appointment and functions of a Freedom of Information Commissioner, and for other purposes.

(Freedom of Information Amendment (Open and Accountable Government) Bill (No 2))

(Notice given 26 May 2000)

63. Mrs Sham-Ho to move—


(Notice given 31 May 2000)

64. Mr Richard Jones to move—

1. That, under Standing Order 18 and further to the order of the House of 30 November 1999, there be laid on the table of the House by 5.00 pm Tuesday 20 June 2000, and made public without restricted access, the following documents in the possession, custody or power of the Department of Mineral Resources:

   (a) any geotechnical reports and/or advice provided to the Department of Mineral Resources by the proponent and or consultants of the proponent,

   (b) the conditions to which the approval from Department of Mineral Resources for the “Wilga” kaolin mine are subject,

   (c) any contracts and/or agreements, binding of otherwise, between Corowa Shire Council and Kaolin Mining and Development Pty Ltd or any associated company or individual for the development and or operation of the Coorabin Landfill (Wilga).

   (d) any other document in the possession, custody or power of the Department of Mineral Resources, and not previously provided, which records, refers to or is incidental to or consequent on the order of the House of 30 November 1999 or this order of the House,

   (e) any document which records or refers to the production of documents as a result of this order of the House.

2. That anything required to be laid before the House by this resolution may be lodged with the Clerk of the House if the House is not sitting, and is deemed for all purposes to have been presented to or laid before the House and published by authority of the House.

3. Where it is considered that a document required to be tabled under this Order is privileged and should not be made public or tabled:
(a) a return is to be prepared and tabled showing the date of creation of the document, a
description of the document, the author of the document and reasons for the claim of
privilege, and

(b) the documents are to be delivered to the Clerk of the House by 5.00 pm Tuesday 20 June
2000, and:

(i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and
(ii) not published or copied without an Order of the House.

4. That in the event of a dispute by any Member of the House communicated in writing to the
Clerk as to the validity of a claim of legal professional privilege or public interest immunity in
relation to a particular document:

(a) the Clerk is authorised to release the disputed document to an independent legal arbiter
who is either a Queen’s Counsel, a Senior Counsel or a retired Supreme Court judge,
appointed by the President, for evaluation and report within 5 days as to the validity of
the claim, and

(b) any report from the independent arbiter is to be tabled with the Clerk of the House, and:

(i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and
(ii) not published or copied without an Order of the House.

(Notice given 8 June 2000)

65. Reference to Standing Committee on Social Issues: resumption of the adjourned debate (23 June
2000) of the question on the motion of Dr Chesterfield-Evans:

(1) That the Standing Committee on Social Issues inquire into and report on the Child and Family
Services of the Department of Community Services, with particular reference to:

(a) the adequacy of systems for dealing with notifications and reports of child abuse and
neglect and requests for service,

(b) the availability of appropriate out-of-home care placements for children and families at
risk,

(c) the effectiveness of departmental restructures carried out between 1988 and 2000 in
attempting to improve client service delivery,

(d) the adequacy of resources and allocations by Treasury to provide Child and Family
Services,

(e) the staffing of the Department’s Child and Family Services, including:

(i) the impact on staff morale of recent Departmental restructures,
(ii) the level of, and reasons for, staff turnover in client service positions,

(f) the implementation of the Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998,
and related legislation, including the level of consultation undertaken in developing and
implementing the Act,

(g) the role of research and consultation in developing legislation relating to child and family
intervention.
(2) That the Committee report in relation to paragraph 6 by the first sitting day in November 2000 and in relation to all other matters by the Thursday of the first sitting week of the Legislative Council in 2001.

Upon which Mrs Forsythe has moved: That the question be amended by omitting all words after “That” at the commencement and inserting instead:

the Standing Committee on Social Issues inquire into and report on the Child and Family Services of the Department of Community Services, with particular reference to:

(a) the current policies, procedures, practice and results of the Department in dealing with notifications and reports of child abuse and neglect and requests for service, and case management thereof,

(b) the state of information and review systems monitoring out of home placements,

(c) the suitability of the proposed amendments to the Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998, and related legislation, including the level of consultation undertaken by the Minister in developing those proposed amendments and related legislation,

(d) the current and proposed role for the non government sector in Child and Family Services,

(e) the effectiveness of relevant departmental restructures,

(f) the adequacy of resources and budget allocation to provide Child and Family Services,

(g) the staffing of the Department’s Child and Family Services, including:

   (i) staff morale and staff turnover in client service positions,
   (ii) the capacity of the workforce to perform this role,

(h) the role of research, including cohort studies, consultation and monitoring in developing policy and legislation relating to child and family services,

(i) the extent to which the current reforms to Child and Family Services are having an effect on Departmental clients, including outcomes of children in the care of the State,

(j) the provision and quality of services and outcomes to children in the care of the State, with special reference to Article 39 of the United Nations Convention On the Rights of The Child.

(k) That the Committee report in relation to paragraphs 1 (a), (b) and (c) by the first sitting day in November 2000, and in relation to all other matters by the Thursday of the first sitting week in 2001—Mrs Forsythe speaking (5 minutes remaining).

Debate—128 minutes remaining

66. Ms Rhiannon to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Mining Act 1992 so as to prohibit cyanide leach processing of ores; and for related purposes.

(Mining Amendment (Cyanide Leaching) Bill)

(Notice given 22 June 2000)
67. Ms Rhiannon to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Uranium Mining and Nuclear Facilities (Prohibitions) Act 1986 to make further provision for prohibiting nuclear facilities and in connection with the storage and disposal of nuclear waste in the State.

(Uranium Mining and Nuclear Facilities (Prohibitions) Amendment Bill)

(Notice given 23 June 2000)

68. Mr Gay to move—

That this House notes:

1. The recent function held to celebrate the Bankstown/Broken Hill sister city sporting exchange agreement.

2. The concerns of a Broken Hill City Councillor, Gordon Langbine, as detailed in the Barrier Daily Truth newspaper of August 29 that:

“The Member Peter Black invited himself and turned the wonderful sporting exchange into a political fiasco by obnoxious, drunken and rude behaviour, even being yellow carded at the sporting club. He definitely denigrated the mayor and myself (Broken Hill's two representatives) in front of state politicians, Councillors, club officials and members, causing untold embarrassment to the Bankstown officials and hosts. This behaviour is bad for our great city of Broken Hill.

He must realise in his position that he must work with all elected members representing our city and should be reprimanded for what he has done by the Premier.”

3. The continuing refusal of the Premier to condemn the anti-social behaviour of Mr Black, and to address the inappropriate behaviour of one his Members of Parliament.

4. Notes the disgust of many Broken Hill City Councillors and citizens at the unprovoked and unwarranted attack by Mr Black on the City Mayor Ron Page, who Mr Black publicly accused of “being elected on a fraud”.

(Notice given 29 August 2000)

69. Summoning of witnesses to the Bar of the House: resumption of the adjourned debate (31 August 2000) of the question on the motion of Mr Richard Jones:

That, under section 4 of the Parliamentary Evidence Act 1901:

Mr Paul Forward, Chief Executive, Roads and Traffic Authority,
Ms Sue Holliday, Director-General, Department of Urban Affairs and Planning,
Mr Mick Reid, Director-General, Department of Health, and
Ms Lisa Corby, Acting Director-General, Environment Protection Authority,

be summoned to attend and give evidence at the Bar of the House on Thursday 31 August 2000 at 11.30 am, and afterwards as required, in relation to the M5 East Motorway Ventilation Stack and related matters, and in particular:

(a) the Report of General Purpose Standing Committee No. 5 on the M5 East Ventilation Stack, dated December 1999,
(b) the outcomes of the International Tunnel Ventilation Workshop, held in Sydney from 7 to 9 June 2000,

(c) the CSIRO report entitled “Investigation Report ET/IR204R Air Quality Impact of the Emissions from the M5 East Tunnel”, dated August 2000.

Upon which Mr Ryan has moved: That the question be amended as follows:

No. 1 Omit “Thursday 31 August 2000 at 11.30 am”. Insert instead “Thursday 7 September 2000 at 2.30 pm for a period not exceeding 2 hours”.

No. 2 Insert at the end:

2. That Members may submit written notice of questions to be asked of the witnesses, for answer during their evidence, to the Clerk of the House by 5.00 pm on Tuesday 5 September 2000. The Clerk is to forward copies of the questions to the witnesses as soon as practicable.

3. Nothing in paragraph 2 prevents any Member from asking questions of the witnesses during their evidence—Mr Breen speaking (19 minutes remaining)

Debate—76 minutes remaining.

70. Ms Rhiannon to move—

1. That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into and report on the impact on New South Wales of the 2000 Olympic and Paralympic games hosted by Sydney and in particular:

   (a) social, economic and environmental benefits and costs,

   (b) the adequacy, appropriateness and long-term implications of future management arrangements for all Olympic venues and facilities, including financing and community access,

   (c) the development of a “best practice” model for the planning and management of future hallmark events.

2. (1) That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the Committee consist of 7 Members, comprising:

   (a) 3 Government Members nominated by the Leader of the Government,

   (b) 2 Opposition Members nominated by the Leader of the Opposition,

   (c) Ms Rhiannon and one other Cross Bench or Independent Members nominated by agreement between Cross Bench and Independent Members. In the absence of any agreement the representation on the Committee is to be determined by the House.

   (2) Nominations for membership of the Committee must be made in writing to the Clerk of the House within 7 days of the passing of this Resolution.

3. That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the time and place for the first meeting of the Committee be fixed by the Clerk of the House.

4. That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the Committee is to elect a Chair and a Deputy Chair at its first meeting. The Deputy Chair is to act as Chair when the Chair is absent from a meeting of the Committee.
5. That the Committee have leave to sit during any adjournment of the House, to adjourn from place to place, to make visits of inspection within the State, and other States and Territories of Australia with the approval of the President, and have power to take evidence and to send for persons, papers, records and things, and to report from time to time.

6. (1) That, should the House stand adjourned and the Committee agree to any report before the House resumes sitting, the Committee have leave to send any such report, minutes of proceedings and evidence taken before it to the Clerk of the House.

(2) A report presented to the Clerk is:

(a) on presentation, and for all purposes, deemed to have been laid before the House,

(b) to be printed by authority of the Clerk,

(c) for all purposes, deemed to be a document published by order or under the authority of the House,

(d) to be recorded in the Minutes of the Proceedings of the House.

7. That on receipt of a request from the Committee for funding, the Government immediately provide the Legislative Council with such additional funds that the Committee considers necessary for the conduct of its inquiry.

8. That the Committee commence its inquiry on 1 November 2000 and report by Friday 1 June 2001.

(Notice given 29 August 2000)

71. Select Committee on Workers Compensation: resumption of the adjourned debate (5 September 2000) of the question on the motion of Mr Gallacher:

1. That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into and report on the system of workers compensation in New South Wales, as established under the Workplace Injury Management and Workers Compensation Act 1998, including:

(a) the deficit in the workers compensation scheme,

(b) the Government’s decision making in relation to proposals for private underwriting of the compensation scheme,

(c) the cost of workers compensation insurance premiums in NSW, including comparisons with workers compensation premiums in other jurisdictions,

(d) options for future reform of the workers compensation system in New South Wales, including:

(i) the manner of determining workers compensation premiums,

(ii) measures to assist the return to work of injured workers,

(iii) the functions, structure and operations of WorkCover NSW,

(iv) measures to reduce the level of fraudulent claims,

(v) the impact of workers compensation costs on employment in NSW,
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(e) any other matter arising out of or incidental to these terms of reference.

2. (1) That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the Committee consist of 7 Members, comprising:
   
   (a) 3 Government Members nominated by the Leader of the Government,
   
   (b) 2 Opposition Members nominated by the Leader of the Opposition,
   
   (c) 2 Cross Bench or Independent Members nominated by agreement between Cross Bench and Independent Members. In the absence of any agreement the representation on the Committee is to be determined by the House.

   (2) Nominations for membership of the Committee must be made in writing to the Clerk of the House within 7 days of the passing of this Resolution.

3. That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the time and place for the first meeting of the Committee be fixed by the Clerk of the House,

4. That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Standing Orders, the Committee is to elect a Chair and a Deputy Chair at its first meeting. The Deputy Chair is to act as Chair when the Chair is absent from a meeting of the Committee.

5. That the Committee have leave to sit during any adjournment of the House, to adjourn from place to place, to make visits of inspection within the State, and other States and Territories of Australia with the approval of the President, and have power to take evidence and to send for persons, papers, records and things, and to report from time to time.

6. (1) That, should the House stand adjourned and the Committee agree to any report before the House resumes sitting, the Committee have leave to send any such report, minutes of proceedings and evidence taken before it to the Clerk of the House.

   (2) A report presented to the Clerk is:
   
   (a) on presentation, and for all purposes, deemed to have been laid before the House,
   
   (b) to be printed by authority of the Clerk,
   
   (c) for all purposes, deemed to be a document published by order or under the authority of the House, and
   
   (d) to be recorded in the Minutes of the Proceedings of the House.

7. That on receipt of a request from the Committee for funding, the Government immediately provide the Legislative Council with such additional funds that the Committee considers necessary for the conduct of its inquiry.

8. That the Committee table an interim report dealing with the matters set out in paragraphs 1 (a), (b) and (c) by the first sitting day in 2001—Ms Rhiannon speaking (12 minutes remaining).

Debate—98 minutes remaining.
72. **Revd Mr Nile to move—**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to regulate human reproductive cloning, related procedures and associated research.

(Human Cloning and Embryo Experimentation Bill)

(Notice given 29 August 2000)

73. **Mr Gallacher to move—**

That this House disassociates itself from the support given by the Honourable John Della Bosca, Assistant Treasurer, for the extension of the Goods and Services Tax to food.

(Notice given 29 August 2000)

74. **Mr Harwin to move—**

That this House takes note of the following reports of the Regulation Review Committee:


(b) Report No. 2/52 entitled “Study Trip to Brisbane, Queensland, 22-25 August, 1999 Casino Control Regulation 1995 and amendments, Retail Leases (Sydney Airport) Regulation 1999”, and tabled in this House on 8 October 1999,

(c) Report No. 3/52 entitled “Report on the Dangerous Goods (General) Regulation 1999”, and tabled in this House on 26 October 1999,

(d) Report No. 4/52 entitled “Report on the Postponement of the Staged Repeal of the Public Health Regulation 1991”, and tabled in this House on 30 November 1999,

(e) Report No. 5/52 entitled “Report on the Tow Truck Industry Regulation 1999”, and tabled in this House on 30 November 1999,

(f) Report No. 6/52 entitled “Report on the Meeting of the Working Group of Chairs and Deputy Chairs of Australian Scrutiny of Primary and Delegated Legislation Committees”, and tabled in this House on 6 April 2000,

(g) Report No. 7/52 entitled “Report on the Marine Parks Regulation 1999”, and tabled in this House on 6 April 2000,

(h) Report No. 8/52 entitled “Report on the Adoption of Codes of Practice under the Construction Safety Amendment (Amenities and Training) Regulation 1998”, and tabled in this House on 5 May 2000,

(i) Report No. 9/52 entitled “Re-Engineering Regulations in New South Wales for the 21st Century—Part 1”, and tabled in this House on 7 June 2000,

(j) Report No. 10/52 entitled “Report on Environmental Planning and Assessment (Savings and Transitional) Amendment (Olympic Co-ordination Authority) Regulation 1999, and tabled in this House on 29 August 2000,
(k) Report No. 11/52 entitled “Report on Lord Howe Island (Elections) Regulation 1999”, and
tabled in this House on 29 August 2000.

(Notice given 29 August 2000)

75. **Gunnedah Charcoal Plant**: resumption of the adjourned debate (6 September 2000) of the question on
the motion of Mr Cohen:

That this House requests the Minister for Urban Affairs and Planning to withdraw the Environmental
Impact Statement for the Gunnedah Charcoal Plant due to the failure of the document to satisfy the
specified requirements of the Director-General of Urban Affairs and Planning—Ms Rhiannon speaking
(11 minutes remaining).

Debate—69 minutes remaining.

76. **Mr Oldfield to move**—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Public Health Act 1991 with respect to
the use of tobacco products and non-tobacco smoking products by minors and the availability of such
products to them.

(Public Health Amendment (Juvenile Smoking) Bill)

(Notice given 31 August 2000)

77. **Mr Jobling to move**—

That during the present Session and unless otherwise ordered, the Clerk is authorised to give into the
custody of State Records documents tabled under Standing Order 18 and made public, 12 months after
the tabling of those documents.

(Notice given 5 September 2000)

78. **Mr Richard Jones to move**—

1. (1) That, under Standing Order 18, there be laid on the table of the House by 5.00 pm on
Friday 24 November 2000, and made public without restricted access, any documents in the
possession, custody or power of the Olympic Co-ordination Authority relating to:

   (a) any call for proposals,
   (b) any tenders by any proponent or short listed consortia,
   (c) any agreement or contract negotiated and entered into for the finance, design,
       construction, ownership, management or operation,

   for the following Olympic venues and facilities:

       (i) the Olympic Stadium,
       (ii) the Olympic Village,
       (iii) the SuperDome.

(2) An indexed list of documents tabled is to be prepared showing the date of creation of the
document, a description of the document and the author.
2. That anything required to be laid before the House by this resolution may be lodged with the Clerk of the House if the House is not sitting, and unless privilege is claimed, is deemed for all purposes to have been presented to or laid before the House and published by authority of the House.

3. Where it is considered that a document required to be tabled under this Order is privileged and should not be made public or tabled:
   (a) a return is to be prepared and tabled showing the date of creation of the document, a description of the document, the author of the document and reasons for the claim of privilege, and
   (b) the documents are to be delivered to the Clerk of the House by 5.00 pm Friday 24 November 2000, and:
      (i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and
      (ii) not published or copied without an Order of the House.

4. That in the event of a dispute by any Member of the House communicated in writing to the Clerk as to the validity of a claim of legal professional privilege or public interest immunity in relation to a particular document:
   (a) the Clerk is authorised to release the disputed document to an independent legal arbiter who is either a Queen’s Counsel, a Senior Counsel or a retired Supreme Court judge, appointed by the President, for evaluation and report within 5 days as to the validity of the claim, and
   (b) any report from the independent arbiter is to be tabled with the Clerk of the House, and:
      (i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and
      (ii) not published or copied without an Order of the House.

5. (1) Where it is not convenient to provide a copy of a document because of its volume, complexity or size:
   (a) a copy of the front page and other pages (for example, a table of contents) or a summary of the document, sufficient to identify its contents, is to be provided, and
   (b) the name and address and contact details of a person that any person, where it is a document that can be made public, or any Member of the House, where it is a document that is considered to be privileged, may contact and be given a reasonable opportunity during normal business hours to examine the document.

   (2) Any Member of the House may by writing addressed to the Clerk request that the Clerk obtain a complete copy of the document for retention by the Clerk, in accordance with this resolution.

(Notice given 6 September 2000)

79. Mr Gallacher to move—

That General Purpose Standing Committee No. 1 inquire into and report on:
(a) the financial capacity of the Government to contribute to a national employee entitlement scheme with the Commonwealth to protect the entitlements and accrued benefits of employees when a business fails,

(b) the implications of such a scheme on the businesses and citizens of New South Wales.

(Notice given 7 September 2000)

80. **Mr Richard Jones to move—**

1. (1) That, under Standing Order 18, there be laid on the table of the House by 5.00 pm on Friday 24 November 2000, and made public without restricted access, any documents in the possession, custody or power of the Olympic Co-ordination Authority relating to:

   (a) any call for proposals,
   (b) any tenders or expressions of interest,
   (c) any agreement or contract negotiated and entered into for the finance, design, construction, ownership, management or operation,

   for the following Olympic venues and facilities:

   (i) Equestrian Centre at Horsley Park
   (ii) Tennis Centre at Homebush Bay
   (iii) Velodrome at Bankstown
   (iv) Sydney International Regatta Centre at Penrith
   (v) Novotel Hotel at Homebush Bay
   (vi) Infrastructure packages 1, 2 and 3
   (vii) Temporary facilities or Overlay, and
   (viii) Street furniture.

   (2) An indexed list of documents tabled is to be prepared showing the date of creation of the document, a description of the document and the author.

2. That anything required to be laid before the House by this resolution may be lodged with the Clerk of the House if the House is not sitting, and unless privilege is claimed, is deemed for all purposes to have been presented to or laid before the House and published by authority of the House.

3. Where it is considered that a document required to be tabled under this Order is privileged and should not be made public or tabled:

   (a) a return is to be prepared and tabled showing the date of creation of the document, a description of the document, the author of the document and reasons for the claim of privilege, and

   (b) the documents are to be delivered to the Clerk of the House by 5.00 pm Friday 24 November 2000, and:

      (i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and
      (ii) not published or copied without an Order of the House.

4. That in the event of a dispute by any Member of the House communicated in writing to the Clerk as to the validity of a claim of legal professional privilege or public interest immunity in relation to a particular document:
(a) the Clerk is authorised to release the disputed document to an independent legal arbiter who is either a Queen’s Counsel, a Senior Counsel or a retired Supreme Court judge, appointed by the President, for evaluation and report within 5 days as to the validity of the claim, and

(b) any report from the independent arbiter is to be tabled with the Clerk of the House, and:
   (i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and
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(2) Any Member of the House may by writing addressed to the Clerk request that the Clerk obtain a complete copy of the document for retention by the Clerk in accordance with this resolution.

(Notice given 7 September 2000)

81. Dr Pezzutti to move—

That this House:

(a) celebrates the 200th anniversary of the raising of the Army Reserve in Australia,

(b) commemorates the service of civilian volunteers to supplement the Regular Armed Forces in Australia over that period,

(c) acknowledges the role played by those Reservists in all phases of Australian history including the sending of expeditionary forces to the Sudan, the Boer War and the Boxer Rebellion,

(d) acknowledges the preparedness of Reservists in times of general war in World War I and World War II to serve in the Regular Army in the defence of our Nation,

(e) recognises the important of Reservist Battalions serving in a most gallant way in Papua New Guinea,

(f) commends those members of the Reserve who have served in East Timor and Bougainville,

(g) thanks all Reservist members of the Army, Navy and Air Force in the past for their services,

(h) acknowledges with thanks the involvement of the Reservists at times of national natural disaster,

(i) encourages young men and women to serve as part of the volunteer Reserve to continue the tradition established over the past 200 years.

(Notice given 7 September 2000)
82. Mr Gallacher to move—

That this House:

(a) acknowledges with pride the successful staging of the Sydney 2000 Olympics from 15 September to 1 October 2000 which was described by IOC President, Juan Antonio Samaranch, as the “best ever Games!”;

(b) recognizes the political contribution of the three NSW governments led by Premiers Greiner, Fahey and Carr that initiated the bid for the Games, won the right to stage them and successfully carried them out,

(c) acknowledges the role of the agencies established to organize the Games, namely the Sydney Organizing Committee for the Olympic Games, the Olympic Coordinating Authority and the Olympic Roads and Transport Authority and the men and women who worked so well for them,

(d) congratulates Australian athletes for their first class performance both as athletes and as ambassadors for Australia,

(e) congratulates the 47,000 volunteers who worked with zeal and good humour for the Games and who won for Sydney world wide recognition for their friendly efficiency,

(f) congratulates the people of Sydney and of Australia for their strong support, firstly for the Olympic Torch relay from 8 June to 15 September which they showed by their attendance, the largest in Australian history and then for the Games themselves which they embraced with enthusiasm,

(g) calls on the Government to issue an Olympic medallion to our athletes, our volunteers and our organizers, to commemorate this historic event.

(Notice given 10 October 2000)

*83. Fisheries Industry (Interim Protection and Environmental Assessment) Bill: resumption of the adjourned debate of the question on the motion of Dr Chesterfield-Evans: That this Bill be now read a second time (5 calendar days from 2 November 2000)—Miss Gardiner.

84. Mr Gay to move—

That this House:

(a) notes the recent decision by the Minister for Local Government to recommend to the Governor that the amalgamation of the Drummoyne and Concord Local Government areas proceed,

(b) notes that the recommendation was made despite the fact that Concord Council did not and has not voted on the proposal,

(c) notes the results of resident polling conducted in both Drummoyne and Concord Local Government areas which returned a strong no vote to the amalgamation proposal,

(d) notes that the Local Government Boundaries Commission has ignored the results of resident polling in all amalgamation proposals considered to date,
(e) calls on the Minister for Local Government to explain as a matter of urgency why amalgamation proposals are proceeding despite the opposition of affected communities.

(Notice given 10 October 2000)

85. Miss Gardiner to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to provide interim protection for commercial fishing licences and other authorities granted in respect of fishing activities and to make provision for the environmental assessment of fishing activities; and for related purposes.

(Fisheries Industry Licences (Interim Protection and Environmental Assessment) Bill)

(Notice given 10 October 2000)

86. Mr Cohen to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Parliamentary Contributory Superannuation Act 1971 to remove the entitlement of a member of Parliament to any pension or other benefit under that Act before the person ceases to be a member of Parliament.

(Parliamentary Contributory Superannuation Amendment (Sitting Members’ Entitlements) Bill)

(Notice given 31 October 2000)

87. Ms Rhiannon to move—

That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Education Act 1990 in relation to the provision of financial assistance to wealthy non-government schools and in relation to the program known as the Disadvantaged Schools Program for Government Schools; to require a non-government school receiving certain financial assistance under the Education Act 1990 to make reports and financial statements in respect of the school publicly available; and for related purposes.

(Education Amendment (Reduction of Financial Assistance to Wealthy Non-government Schools) Bill)

(Notice given 1 November 2000)

88. Ms Rhiannon to move—

1. That, under Standing Order 18 there be laid on the table of the House by 5.00 pm Friday 17 November 2000, and made public without restricted access, any document in the possession, custody or power of The Treasury, The Treasurer or the Special Minister of State, related to any meetings held in the 2 months preceding 5 June 2000, concerning the privatisation of Freightcorp.

2. That anything required to be laid before the House by this resolution may be lodged with the Clerk of the House if the House is not sitting, and is deemed for all purposes to have been presented to or laid before the House and published by authority of the House.

3. Where it is considered that a document required to be tabled under this Order is privileged and should not be made public or tabled:
(a) a return is to be prepared and tabled showing the date of creation of the document, a description of the document, the author of the document and reasons for the claim of privilege, and

(b) the documents are to be delivered to the Clerk of the House by 5.00 pm Friday 17 November 2000, and:

(i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and

(ii) not published or copied without an Order of the House.

4. That in the event of a dispute by any Member of the House communicated in writing to the Clerk as to the validity of a claim of legal professional privilege or public interest immunity in relation to a particular document:

(a) the Clerk is authorised to release the disputed document to an independent legal arbiter who is either a Queen’s Counsel, a Senior Counsel or a retired Supreme Court judge, appointed by the President, for evaluation and report within 5 days as to the validity of the claim, and

(b) any report from the independent arbiter is to be tabled with the Clerk of the House, and:

(i) made available only to Members of the Legislative Council, and

(ii) not published or copied without an Order of the House.

(Notice given 2 November 2000)

89. Mr Breen to move—

1. That the Legislative Council considers that, in speaking in the Council or in a committee, Members should take the following matters into account:

(a) the need to exercise their valuable right of freedom of speech in a responsible manner,

(b) the damage that may be done by allegations made in Parliament to those who are the subject of such allegations and to the standing of Parliament,

(c) the limited opportunities for persons other than members of Parliament to respond to allegations made in Parliament,

(d) the need for Members, while fearlessly performing their duties, to have regard to the rights of others, and

(e) the desirability of ensuring that statements reflecting adversely on persons are soundly based.

2. That the President, whenever the President considers that it is desirable to do so, may draw the attention of the Legislative Council to the spirit and the letter of this resolution.

(Notice given 2 November 2000)
FIRST PRIVATE MEMBERS’ DAY 2001

PRIVATE MEMBERS’ BUSINESS

ITEMS IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE


* Council Bill

CONTINGENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Note: Contingent Notices of Motion are listed in full on the Notice Paper for the first sitting day of each week. On other days only new contingent Notices will be published in the Notice Paper.

TAKE NOTE OF PAPER

1 Contingent on the President, a Minister, any Member or the Clerk tabling any report or document, Member to move after Notices of Motions: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow the moving of a motion forthwith: That the House take note of the paper (to be stated).

Given by:

Dr Chesterfield-Evans  Mr Jobling  Mr Oldfield
Mr Cohen  Mr M Jones  Ms Rhiannon
Mr Corbett  Mr R Jones  Mr Samios
Mr Della Bosca  Mr Lynn  Mrs Sham-Ho
Mr Egan  Mr Macdonald  Ms Tebbutt
Mrs Forsythe  Revd Mr Nile  Mr Tingle
Mr Gallacher  Mr Obeid  Dr Wong
Mr Gay

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

Mr Breen

(Notice given 16 November 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

INSTRUCTION TO COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

2 Contingent on a motion being agreed to for the second reading of any Bill: That Standing Orders be suspended to allow the moving of a motion forthwith for an Instruction to the Committee of the Whole in relation to the Bill.
Given by:

Dr Chesterfield-Evans  Mr Jobling  Mr Oldfield
Mr Cohen  Mr M Jones  Ms Rhiannon
Mr Corbett  Mr R Jones  Mr Samios
Mr Della Bosca  Mr Lynn  Mrs Sham-Ho
Mr Egan  Mr Macdonald  Ms Tebbutt
Mrs Forsythe  Revd Mr Nile  Mr Tingle
Mr Gallacher  Mr Obeid  Dr Wong
Mr Gay

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

Mr Breen

(Notice given 16 November 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

**PRECEDENCE OF ITEM OF BUSINESS**

3 Contingent on the President calling on any Notice of Motion or the Clerk being called upon to read any Order of the Day: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow the moving of a motion forthwith that a particular Order of the Day or motion on the Notice Paper be called on forthwith.

Given by:

Dr Chesterfield-Evans  Mr Jobling  Mr Oldfield
Mr Cohen  Mr M Jones  Ms Rhiannon
Mr Corbett  Mr R Jones  Mr Samios
Mr Della Bosca  Mr Lynn  Mrs Sham-Ho
Mr Egan  Mr Macdonald  Ms Tebbutt
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Mr Gallacher  Mr Obeid  Dr Wong
Mr Gay

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

Mr Breen

(Notice given 16 November 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)
PASSING OF BILL THROUGH ALL STAGES

4 Contingent on any Bill being presented by the Legislative Assembly to the Legislative Council for its concurrence and having been read by the Council for the first time: That Standing Orders be suspended to allow the passing of the Bill through all its remaining stages during the present or any one sitting of the House.

Given by:

Dr Chesterfield-Evans  Mr Jobling  Mr Oldfield
Mr Cohen  Mr M Jones  Ms Rhiannon
Mr Corbett  Mr R Jones  Mr Samios
Mr Della Bosca  Mr Lynn  Mrs Sham-Ho
Mr Egan  Mr Macdonald  Ms Tebbutt
Mrs Forsythe  Revd Mr Nile  Mr Tingle
Mr Gallacher  Mr Obeid  Dr Wong

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

Mr Breen

(Notice given 16 November 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

CONDUCT OF BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

5 Contingent on the House on any day concluding its consideration of any item of business and prior to the House proceeding to the consideration of another item of business: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow the moving of a motion forthwith relating to the conduct of the business of the House.

Given by:

Dr Chesterfield-Evans  Mr Jobling  Mr Oldfield
Mr Cohen  Mr M Jones  Ms Rhiannon
Mr Corbett  Mr R Jones  Mr Samios
Mr Della Bosca  Mr Lynn  Mrs Sham-Ho
Mr Egan  Mr Macdonald  Ms Tebbutt
Mrs Forsythe  Revd Mr Nile  Mr Tingle
Mr Gallacher  Mr Obeid  Dr Wong

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)
Mr Breen

(Notice given 16 November 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

**PRECEDENCE OF BUSINESS AFTER PRAYERS**

6 Contingent on the President having read the Prayers: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow the moving of a motion forthwith that a particular Order of the Day or motion on the Notice Paper be called on forthwith.

Given by:

Dr Chesterfield-Evans  Mr Jobling  Mr Oldfield
Mr Cohen  Mr M Jones  Ms Rhiannon
Mr Corbett  Mr R Jones  Mr Samios
Mr Della Bosca  Mr Lynn  Mrs Sham-Ho
Mr Egan  Mr Macdonald  Ms Tebbutt
Mrs Forsythe  Revd Mr Nile  Mr Tingle
Mr Gallacher  Mr Obeid  Dr Wong

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

Mr Breen

(Notice given 16 November 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

**PRECEDENCE OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS**

7 Contingent on the President calling on any Notice of Motion or the Clerk being called upon to read any Order of the Day: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow the moving of a motion forthwith that a particular Order of the Day on the Notice Paper of Government Business be called on forthwith.

Given by:

Mr Gay  Mr Oldfield  Mr Lynn
Mrs Forsythe  Mr Jobling  Mr Samios
Mr Gallacher

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)
CENSURE OF MINISTER

8 Contingent on any Minister failing to table documents in accordance with an Order of the House: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow a motion to be moved forthwith for censure of the Minister.

Given by:

Mr Gay  Mr Oldfield  Mr Lynn
Mrs Forsythe  Mr Jobling  Mr Samios
Mr Gallacher

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

CONTEMPT OF HOUSE

9 Contingent on any Minister failing to table documents in accordance with an Order of the House: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow a motion to be moved forthwith adjudging the Minister guilty of a contempt of the House for failure to comply with that Order.

Mr Gay  Mr Oldfield  Mr Lynn
Mrs Forsythe  Mr Jobling  Mr Samios
Mr Gallacher

(Notice given 12 May 1999)

Dr Pezzutti

(Notice given 22 June 1999)

(Restored by resolution Wednesday 8 September 1999)

PASSING OF GOVERNMENT BILLS THROUGH ALL STAGES

10. Mr Egan to move C

Contingent on any of the undermentioned Bills being presented by the Legislative Assembly to the Legislative Council for its concurrence and having been read by the Council for the first time: That Standing Orders be suspended to allow the passing of the Bill through all its remaining stages during the present or any one sitting of the House:

Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Amendment (Permanency Planning) Bill
Water Management Bill

(Notice given at 11.10 am 21 June 2000)

Criminal Procedure Amendment (Pre-Trial Disclosure) Bill

(Notice given at 2.48 pm 29 August 2000)
Psychologists Bill
(Notice given at 11.07 am 12 October 2000)

Banana Industry Amendment Bill
Crimes at Sea Amendment Bill
Fitness Services (Pre-paid Fees) Bill
General Government Debt Elimination Amendment Bill
Local Government Amendment Bill
Marine Parks Amendment Bill
Passenger Transport Amendment Bill
Protection of the Environment Operations Amendment (Tradeable Emission Schemes) Bill
Superannuation Legislation Amendment (Same Sex Partners) Bill
Sydney 2000 Games Administration Bill

(Notice given at 11.09 am 1 November 2000)

Valuation of Land Amendment Bill
Legal Aid Commission Amendment Bill
Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Amendment Bill

(Notice given at 11.06 am 2 November 2000)

11. Dr Wong to move—
Contingent on the President calling on the Clerk to read any Order of the Day: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow the passing of the Roads Amendment (M5 East Tunnel) Bill through all its remaining stages during the present or any one sitting of the House.

(Notice given at 2.41 pm 10 October 2000)

12. Mr Gay to move—
Contingent on the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Amendment (Review of Elections) Bill being introduced and read a first time: That Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to allow the passing of the Bill through all its remaining stages during the present or any one sitting of the House.

(Notice given at 11.10 am 1 November 2000)

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BILLS DISCHARGED, LAID ASIDE, NEGATIVED OR WITHDRAWN

HResidential Tenancies Amendment (Domestic Violence) Bill
Second reading negatived, 23 September 1999.

HResidential Tenancies Amendment (Olympic Games) Bill
Second reading negatived, 23 September 1999.

HPublic Health Amendment (Smoking in Vehicles) Bill
Second reading negatived, 14 October 1999.
HGambling (Anti-Greed) Advertising Prohibition Bill

HSexual Offence Damages Bill
Second reading negatived, 11 November 1999

HParliamentary Electorates and Elections Amendment (Registration of Parties) Bill
Discharged and withdrawn 11 November 1999

HCrimes Amendment (Sexual Offences) Bill
Second reading negatived, 18 November 1999

HProtected Disclosures Amendment Bill
Discharged and withdrawn 4 April 2000

HCrimes (Sentencing Procedure) Amendment (Life Sentence Confirmation) Bill (No. 2)
Second reading negatived, 30 August 2000

HEnvironmental Planning and Assessment Amendment (Public Participation and Environmental Protection) Bill
Second reading negatived, 31 August 2000

HPrivate Members Public Bill

John Evans
Clerk of the Parliaments

Authorised by the Parliament of New South Wales