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NEW SOUTH WALES

Legislative Council

(FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-THIRD PARLIAMENT)

(Commencing 29 April 2003 and ending 19 May 2006)

ABSTRACT OF PETITIONS RECEIVED

All petitions received unless otherwise noted.

Date Presented	Place of Petitioners and Signatures	Presented by	Abstract of Prayers
6 May 2003	58 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
20 May 2003	123 citizens of New South Wales	Revd. Mr Nile	Praying that the House will respect the rights and responsibilities of parents by taking stronger action against child abuse, and rejecting all proposals to increase government control over families that take away the choice of parents to use corporal discipline in the home.
21 May 2003	21 citizens of New South Wales	Revd. Mr Nile	Praying that the House will protect society through the tightening of guidelines for the classification of film and video.
21 May 2003	33 citizens of New South Wales	Revd. Mr Nile	Praying that the House will look to a conscience vote to end the annual gay and lesbian Mardi Gras and its parodying of religious figures.
22 May 2003	24 citizens of New South Wales	Revd. Mr Nile	Praying that the House will encourage the integrity of the family unit by supporting the Family Impact Commission Bill in its current form.
22 May 2003	71 citizens of New South Wales	Revd. Mr Nile	Praying that the House will support uniform age of consent laws which set the legal age for males and females at 18 years.
27 May 2003	465 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.
27 May 2003	170 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House oppose any attempts to remove the exemptions that exist in the Anti-Discrimination Act for Christian, religious and other non-government schools, churches and religious organisations.
28 May 2003	32 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House pass legislation for the establishment of compulsory Drug Rehabilitation Centres so as to help addicts to end their heroin addiction.

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28 May 2003	161 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
28 May 2003	1,032 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will support uniform age of consent laws which set the legal age for males and females at 18 years.
29 May 2003	92 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House reject all homosexual vilification legislation.
29 May 2003	213 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating that the sale of alcohol should be restricted to the existing outlets and the hours and days of opening should be reduced and to help protect the young, warning labels should be displayed on all containers of alcoholic beverages.
24 June 2003	654 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Tingle	Praying that the House will not allow re-opening of the Hastings River to any commercial fishing activity.
24 June 2003	14 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will introduce drug reform through a five fold strategy of coercive residential rehabilitation, free naltrexone treatment, a medical panel to assist the Drug Court, cooperation between law enforcement and parents of addicts and random drug tests.
24 June 2003	89 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Praying that the House will ensure that the development application does not proceed until a comprehensive environmental impact statement is submitted.
24 June 2003	42 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House will support uniform age of consent laws which set the legal age for males and females at 18 years.
25 June 2003	220 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
25 June 2003	1,032 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will support uniform age of consent laws which set the legal age for males and females at 18 years.
25 June 2003	217 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
26 June 2003	22 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
26 June 2003	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.
26 June 2003	382 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
26 June 2003	374 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will oppose the creation of embryos for the purpose of extracting stem cells, and support and fund scientific research using adult stem cells from all sources including umbilical cord blood.

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1 July 2003	96 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
1 July 2003	235 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Tingle	Praying that the House will not allow re-opening of the Hastings River to any commercial fishing activity.
1 July 2003	108 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating that the sale of alcohol should be restricted to the existing outlets and the hours and days of opening should be reduced and to help protect the young, warning labels should be displayed on all containers of alcoholic beverages.
1 July 2003	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.
2 July 2003	12 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will reverse the change and put the protection of the role, duties and office of the Governor of New South Wales to a referendum in such form as is approved by both Houses of Parliament.
2 July 2003	101 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.
3 July 2003	14 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House reaffirm our heritage as a Christian Commonwealth.
3 July 2003	96 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.
2 September 2003	20 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the parade be cancelled indefinitely until the political, social and religious fundamental climate changes within our society.
2 September 2003	17,180 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Primrose	Praying that the House will call upon the Government to abandon its current restructuring plans, ensure there is no nett loss of jobs in the Department of Education and Training, provide details of the impact on educational provision of any proposed cuts and ensure that any restructure of the New South Wales public education system is driven by educational needs rather than cost cutting.
2 September 2003	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.
3 September 2003	68 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
3 September 2003	241 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.

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3 September 2003	36 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating that the sale of alcohol should be restricted to the existing outlets and the hours and days of opening should be reduced and to help protect the young, warning labels should be displayed on all containers of alcoholic beverages.
4 September 2003	286 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Tingle	Praying that the House will not allow re-opening of the Hastings River to any commercial fishing activity.
16 September 2003	50 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
16 September 2003	15 residents of the Berrigan Shire Council	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listen to the people of New South Wales and keep their election promise of no forced amalgamation of local councils.
16 September 2003	18 residents of the Cootamundra Shire Council	Dr Wong	Similar prayer.
16 September 2003	381 residents of the Temora Shire Council	Dr Wong	Similar prayer.
16 September 2003	474 residents in the Auburn Granville and surrounding areas of Western Sydney	Ms Hale	Praying that the House does not allow the building of a Waste Transfer Station in the former Clyde marshalling yards in Auburn
16 September 2003	197 residents of Orange and surrounding communities	Mr Colless	Praying that the House will delay the implementation of the proposed restructure of the Department of Education and TAFE NSW and investigate the consequences of the restructure on rural communities and, if found to be detrimental, cease the restructure.
16 September 2003	88 citizens of St Andrews	Dr Chesterfield-Evans	Praying that the House ask the Legislative Assembly to request the Honourable Craig Knowles, Minister for Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Natural Resources to denounce the approval of the relocation of Redox Chemicals to St Andrews.
16 September 2003	1,057 residents of the Hume Shire Council	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listen to the people of New South Wales and keep their election promise of no forced amalgamation of local councils.
17 September 2003	315 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the Legislative Council will seek assurances from the Government that Professor Dwyer will not chair a committee dealing with alternative healthcare products and services.
17 September 2003	612 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose the closure of the railway line and rail services from Broadmeadow to Newcastle.
17 September 2003	12 residents of Leichhardt Municipal Council	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listen to the people of New South Wales and keep their election promise of no forced amalgamation of local councils.
17 September 2003	73 residents of Murrumbidgee Municipal Council	Dr Wong	Similar prayer.

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17 September 2003	49 citizens of the city of Campbelltown	Dr Chesterfield-Evans	Praying that the House ask the Legislative Assembly to request the Honourable Craig Knowles, Minister for Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Natural Resources to denounce the approval of the relocation of Redox Chemicals to St Andrews.
17 September 2003	148 residents of Lachlan Shire Council	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listen to the people of New South Wales and keep their election promise of no forced amalgamation of local councils.
17 September 2003	88 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
18 September 2003	64 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar Prayer.
18 September 2003	603 residents of Nelson Bay Raymond Terrace and surrounding areas of Port Stephens	Ms Parker	Praying that the House will take action to retain operations at the Raymond Terrace Court House.
14 October 2003	341 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose any move to curtail services or closure of the railway line and rail services to Hamilton, Wickham, Civic and Newcastle.
14 October 2003	222 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose the closure of the railway line and rail services from Broadmeadow to Newcastle.
14 October 2003	1,864 residents of Strathfield	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listens to the wishes of Strathfield constituents and their council that they do not want amalgamation with other councils, and urges the Government not to force amalgamation through boundary changes or other means.
14 October 2003	118 members and guests of Seven Hills Toongabbie RSL	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
14 October 2003	66 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
15 October 2003	133 members and guests of Pelican RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
15 October 2003	36 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
15 October 2003	52 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar prayer.
15 October 2003	392 residents of Strathfield	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listens to the wishes of Strathfield constituents and their council that they do not want amalgamation with other councils, and urges the Government not to force amalgamation through boundary changes or other means.

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16 October 2003	59 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
28 October 2003	162 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose any move to curtail services or closure of the railway line and rail services to Hamilton, Wickham, Civic and Newcastle.
28 October 2003	536 members and guests of Rooty Hill RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
28 October 2003	145 members and guests of Revesby Heights Ex-Serviceman's Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
28 October 2003	107 members and guests of Botany RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
28 October 2003	60 members and guests of Belmore Returned Services and Community Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
28 October 2003	62 residents of Strathfield Council	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listens to the wishes of Strathfield constituents and their council that they do not want amalgamation with other councils, and urges the Government not to force amalgamation through boundary changes or other means.
28 October 2003	140 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
28 October 2003	88 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar prayer.
29 October 2003	4 residents of Kiama	Dr Wong	Praying that the Government listen to the people of New South Wales and keep their election promise of no forced amalgamation of local councils.
29 October 2003	196 members and guests of Matraville RSL Sub Branch Club	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
29 October 2003	115 members and guests of Maroubra RSL Club Ltd	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
29 October 2003	85 members and guests of Fairfield RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
29 October 2003	214 members and guests of Swansea RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
29 October 2003	55 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.
29 October 2003	38 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
29 October 2003	102 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar prayer.

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30 October 2003	49 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.
30 October 2003	77 members and guests of North Sydney ANZAC Memorial Club	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
30 October 2003	42 members and guests of Revesby Heights Ex-Servicemen's Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
30 October 2003	62 members and guests of Five Dock RSL Community Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
30 October 2003	48 members and guests of Cardiff RSL Club	Mr West	Similar prayer.
30 October 2003	123 members and guests of Wangi Wangi RSL Sub Branch Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
30 October 2003	110 members and guests of Corowa RSL Club Ltd	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
30 October 2003	305 members and guests of Swansea RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
30 October 2003	36 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
30 October 2003	79 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar prayer.
30 October 2003	3,327 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Primrose	Praying that the House will call upon the Government to abandon its current restructuring plans, ensure there is no nett loss of jobs in the Department of Education and Training, provide details of the impact on educational provision of any proposed cuts and ensure that any restructure of the New South Wales public education system is driven by educational needs rather than cost cutting.
11 November 2003	146 members and guests of Riverwood Legion and Community Club Ltd	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
11 November 2003	128 members and guests of Drummoyne RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
11 November 2003	98 members and guests of Ingleburn RSL Club Ltd	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
11 November 2003	194 members and guests of Speers Point RSL Club Ltd	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
11 November 2003	50 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will recommend to the Premier of New South Wales the reservation of Berowra Valley Regional Park as a national park.

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11 November 2003	52 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
11 November 2003	89 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar prayer.
12 November 2003	82 members and guests of Kensington War Memorial Club Ltd	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
12 November 2003	32 members and guests of Huskisson RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
12 November 2003	124 members and guests of Merrylands RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
12 November 2003	29 members and guests of Hurstville RSL Memorial Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
13 November 2003	52 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
18 November 2003	142 members and guests of Concord RSL and Community Club	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
18 November 2003	303 members and guests of Cabra-Vale Ex-Active Servicemen's Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
18 November 2003	348 members and guests of Gunnedah Services and Bowling Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
18 November 2003	176 members and guests of Bronte RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
18 November 2003	101 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
19 November 2003	157 members and guests of Toronto RSL Memorial Club	Mr West	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
19 November 2003	111 members and guests of Belmore Returned Services and Community Club	Mr Lynn	Similar prayer.
19 November 2003	117 members and guests of Canterbury Hurlstone Park RSL Club	Mr Lynn	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
19 November 2003	50 citizens of New South Wales	Miss Gardiner	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.

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19 November 2003	52 members and guests of Wentworth and District Services Memorial Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
20 November 2003	268 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose any move to curtail services or closure of the railway line and rail services to Hamilton, Wickham, Civic and Newcastle.
20 November 2003	97 members and guests of Gosford RSL Club	Mr West	Praying that the House will respect fundamental ideals on which services clubs were formed by repealing the new gaming taxes and undertaking the review promised to the New South Wales club industry before any further tax increases are considered.
20 November 2003	144 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House reject development application SF 9387 to Shoalhaven City Council and amend the Shoalhaven LEP.
2 December 2003	5,057 people of the Illawarra	Ms Hale	Praying that the House amend various Acts to save the last green corridor, the Northern Illawarra coastal floodplain, open space and sacred aboriginal land
2 December 2003	89 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House rejects the Local Government Amendment Bill 2003.
2 December 2003	53 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
4 December 2003	68 members and guests of the Wentworth and District Services Memorial Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
4 December 2003	393 citizens of Yass	Mr Gay	Praying that the House rejects the inclusion of the north-west portion of Yass Shire Local Government Area into the proposed "Southern Tableland Council" and maintains the democratic right of citizens to be represented locally within local government and to be fully consulted in any process of change.
4 December 2003	378 citizens of Yass	Mr Gay	Praying that the House rejects the inclusion of a major portion of Yass Shire Local Government area into the proposed "Capital City Regional Council" merger and maintains the democratic right of citizens to be represented locally within local government and to be fully consulted in any process of change.
4 December 2003	20 citizens of New South Wales	Miss Gardiner	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
4 December 2003	18 residents of Bathurst	Mr Colless	Similar prayer.
4 December 2003	111 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House rejects the Local Government Amendment Bill 2003.

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4 December 2003	418 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Similar prayer.
4 December 2003	27 citizens of Yass	Mr Gay	Similar prayer.
24 February 2004	93 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gallacher	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
24 February 2004	187 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Similar prayer.
24 February 2004	58 citizens of Bungendore and region	Mrs Forsythe	Similar prayer.
24 February 2004	467 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose any move to curtail services or closure of the railway line and rail services to Hamilton, Wickham, Civic and Newcastle.
24 February 2004	25 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Fazio	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
24 February 2004	150 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
24 February 2004	77 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.
25 February 2004	136 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
25 February 2004	97 citizens of Bungendore and region	Mrs Forsythe	Similar prayer.
25 February 2004	256 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
25 February 2004	6 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar prayer.
25 February 2004	569 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House rejects the Local Government Amendment Bill 2003.
26 February 2004	171 residents and ratepayers of Evans Shire	Mr Gay	Praying that the House rejects the introduction of the Local Government Amendment Bill.
26 February 2004	367 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House will follow in the steps of the Queensland Government to provide adequate services to temporary protection visa holders and that they be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
26 February 2004	34 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
26 February 2004	870 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.

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26 February 2004	77 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
26 February 2004	99 citizens of Bungendore and region	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
26 February 2004	274 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
26 February 2004	244 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.
26 February 2004	369 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
26 February 2004	49 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
9 March 2004	50 members and guests of the Wentworth and District Services Memorial Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
9 March 2004	177 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
9 March 2004	302 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.
9 March 2004	19 citizens of Gunning and region	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
9 March 2004	169 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
9 March 2004	23 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to reserve the remaining forests and woodlands to avoid the extinction of endangered species.
9 March 2004	106 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Stating that the Government should restrict the sale of alcohol to protect the health and welfare of its citizens.
10 March 2004	95 citizens of Bungendore and region	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
10 March 2004	140 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.

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10 March 2004	67 members and guests of the Wentworth and District Services Memorial Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
10 March 2004	144 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
11 March 2004	97 citizens of Bungendore and region	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
11 March 2004	301 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
11 March 2004	121 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
11 March 2004	239 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
11 March 2004	19 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar prayer.
11 March 2004	66 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Stating that the Government should restrict the sale of alcohol to protect the health and welfare of its citizens.
11 March 2004	21 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House oppose any attempts to remove the exemptions that exist in the Anti-Discrimination Act for Christian, religious and other non-government schools, churches and religious organisations.
16 March 2004	279 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
16 March 2004	97 citizens of Bungendore and region	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
16 March 2004	152 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
16 March 2004	151 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
16 March 2004	28 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Tsang	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
16 March 2004	76 members and guests of the Wentworth and District Services Memorial Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.

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17 March 2004	160 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
17 March 2004	121 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.
17 March 2004	222 members and guests of the John Edmondson VC Memorial Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
18 March 2004	18 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
18 March 2004	150 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
18 March 2004	58 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
18 March 2004	68 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
30 March 2004	70 members and guests of the Wentworth and District Services Memorial Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
30 March 2004	157 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
30 March 2004	95 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Similar prayer.
31 March 2004	27 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar prayer.
31 March 2004	218 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
1 April 2004	138 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Stating that the Government should restrict the sale of alcohol to protect the health and welfare of its citizens.
1 April 2004	34 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar prayer.
1 April 2004	111 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
1 April 2004	34 members and guests of the Tooleybuc Sporting Club Ltd	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
1 April 2004	175 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
1 April 2004	214 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.

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1 April 2004	20 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar prayer.
1 April 2004	21 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Praying that the House urge the Government to oppose the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill.
1 April 2004	70 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
1 April 2004	135 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
1 April 2004	480 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.
1 April 2004	45 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar prayer.
4 May 2004	53 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating that the Government should restrict the sale of alcohol to protect the health and welfare of its citizens.
4 May 2004	Approx. 500,000 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Opposing the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill which undermines the principle of ownership of pharmacies by pharmacists.
4 May 2004	510 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
4 May 2004	74 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Breen	Opposing the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill as it will lead to deregulation of the alcohol industry and cause damage to society.
4 May 2004	124 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
4 May 2004	169 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar prayer.
4 May 2004	201 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar prayer.
4 May 2004	232 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Recognising the negative social impacts on communities caused by the abuse of alcohol and wanting alcohol excluded from the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill.
4 May 2004	89 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
4 May 2004	68 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.

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4 May 2004	2,130 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose any move to curtail services or closure of the railway line and rail services to Hamilton, Wickham, Civic and Newcastle.
5 May 2004	94 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
5 May 2004	14 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
5 May 2004	161 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
5 May 2004	157 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
5 May 2004	16 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
5 May 2004	17 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House will follow in the steps of the Queensland Government to provide adequate services to temporary protection visa holders and that they be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
5 May 2004	411 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Opposing the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill as it will lead to deregulation of the alcohol industry and cause damage to society.
5 May 2004	55 members and guests of the Wentworth Services Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
5 May 2004	600 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
5 May 2004	75 residents and ratepayers of Evans Shire	Mr Gay	Praying that the House rejects the introduction of the Local Government Amendment Bill.
6 May 2004	14 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Opposing the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill as it will lead to deregulation of the alcohol industry and cause damage to society.
6 May 2004	180 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
6 May 2004	191 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
6 May 2004	31 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.

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6 May 2004	27 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that the Government should support local government's role in the management of neighbourhoods and the role of councils and residents in determining planning decisions that affect communities.
6 May 2004	46 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House oppose any move to curtail services or closure of the railway line and rail services to Hamilton, Wickham, Civic and Newcastle.
6 May 2004	231 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
11 May 2004	73 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
11 May 2004	197 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
11 May 2004	381 members of Gosford High School Parents and Citizens Group	Ms Robertson	Stating that the Gosford High School is in urgent need of refurbishment.
11 May 2004	2,786 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
11 May 2004	54 members and guests of the Tooleybuc Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
11 May 2004	76 residents of the Southern Highlands	Ms Hale	Praying that the House call on the Minister for Infrastructure and Planning, and Minister for Natural Resources to disallow the application by Blue Circle Southern Cement at Berrima to burn alternative fuels.
11 May 2004	78 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
11 May 2004	25 residents and ratepayers of Evans Shire	Mr Gay	Praying that the House rejects the introduction of the Local Government Amendment Bill.
11 May 2004	74 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
11 May 2004	18 citizens of New South Wales	Mr West	Opposing the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill which undermines the principle of ownership of pharmacies by pharmacists.
12 May 2004	119 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Stating that the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill will lead to deregulation of the liquor industry and praying that the House oppose the bill.
12 May 2004	194 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gallacher	Similar request.

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12 May 2004	270 citizens of New South Wales	Miss Gardiner	Similar request.
12 May 2004	161 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Similar request.
12 May 2004	37 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Similar request.
12 May 2004	117 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
12 May 2004	132 residents of the Southern Highlands	Ms Hale	Praying that the House call on the Minister for Infrastructure and Planning, and Minister for Natural Resources to disallow the application by Blue Circle Southern Cement at Berrima to burn alternative fuels.
12 May 2004	15 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
13 May 2004	3,544 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
13 May 2004	289 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
13 May 2004	15 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar request.
13 May 2004	504 residents of New England	Mr Gay	Recommending to the Minister for Primary Industries to reverse his decision to close the Shannon Vale Field Station.
13 May 2004	171 residents of the Southern Highlands	Ms Hale	Praying that the House call on the Minister for Infrastructure and Planning, and Minister for Natural Resources to disallow the application by Blue Circle Southern Cement at Berrima to burn alternative fuels.
13 May 2004	74 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Stating that the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill will lead to deregulation of the liquor industry and praying that the House oppose the bill.
13 May 2004	208 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar request.
13 May 2004	391 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
13 May 2004	111 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.

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1 June 2004	293 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Stating that the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill will lead to deregulation of the liquor industry and praying that the House oppose the bill.
1 June 2004	696 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
1 June 2004	208 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Opposing the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill as it will lead to deregulation of the alcohol industry and cause damage to society.
1 June 2004	38 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure that CountryLink services are maintained and improved by Government investment in the rolling stock and infrastructure thereby improving patronage and ensuring that these train services continue to service the needs of rural and regional communities.
1 June 2004	191 residents of the Southern Highlands	Ms Hale	Praying that the House call on the Minister for Infrastructure and Planning, and Minister for Natural Resources to disallow the application by Blue Circle Southern Cement at Berrima to burn alternative fuels.
1 June 2004	86 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
1 June 2004	89 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to save the ADI site at St Marys from proposed development.
1 June 2004	1,694 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
1 June 2004	1,233 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
2 June 2004	37 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Stating that the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill will lead to deregulation of the liquor industry and praying that the House oppose the bill.
2 June 2004	133 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
2 June 2004	204 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
2 June 2004	200 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to save the ADI site at St Marys from proposed development.

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2 June 2004	113 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
2 June 2004	343 residents of the Southern Highlands	Ms Hale	Praying that the House call on the Minister for Infrastructure and Planning, and Minister for Natural Resources to disallow the application by Blue Circle Southern Cement at Berrima to burn alternative fuels.
2 June 2004	62 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
3 June 2004	126 residents of the Moulamein district	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
3 June 2004	226 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
3 June 2004	80 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Burke	Similar request.
3 June 2004	169 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
3 June 2004	133 residents of the Southern Highlands	Ms Hale	Praying that the House call on the Minister for Infrastructure and Planning, and Minister for Natural Resources to disallow the application by Blue Circle Southern Cement at Berrima to burn alternative fuels.
3 June 2004	123 citizens of New South Wales	Miss Gardiner	Stating that the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill will lead to deregulation of the liquor industry and praying that the House oppose the bill.
3 June 2004	58 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to save the ADI site at St Marys from proposed development.
22 June 2004	451 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
22 June 2004	95 residents of New South Wales	Dr Chesterfield-Evans	Praying that the House will support legislation which makes hotels and clubs smoke-free as soon as possible with no further phase-in period.
22 June 2004	21 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Pearce	Stating that the Government should restrict the sale of alcohol to protect the health and welfare of its citizens.
22 June 2004	33 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.

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22 June 2004	47 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
22 June 2004	295 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Recognising the negative social impacts on communities caused by the abuse of alcohol and wanting alcohol excluded from the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill.
23 June 2004	102 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Calling on the Government to include Werris Creek and Currabubula in the new Tamworth Regional Council.
23 June 2004	776 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
23 June 2004	712 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
23 June 2004	152 residents of the Southern Highlands	Ms Hale	Praying that the House call on the Minister for Infrastructure and Planning, and Minister for Natural Resources to disallow the application by Blue Circle Southern Cement at Berrima to burn alternative fuels.
23 June 2004	165 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Stating that the National Competition Policy Amendments (Commonwealth Financial Penalties) Bill will lead to deregulation of the liquor industry and praying that the House oppose the bill.
23 June 2004	100 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
23 June 2004	110 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to save the ADI site at St Marys from proposed development.
23 June 2004	1,374 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
24 June 2004	439 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
24 June 2004	530 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
24 June 2004	20 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House will follow in the steps of the Queensland Government to provide adequate services to temporary protection visa holders and that they be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.

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24 June 2004	100 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
24 June 2004	141 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
24 June 2004	2,594 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
24 June 2004	1,186 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
28 June 2004	732 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
28 June 2004	1,109 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
28 June 2004	16 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
28 June 2004	19 citizens of Braidwood	Mrs Forsythe	Asking the Government to maintain funding to BreastScreen NSW.
28 June 2004	208 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Requesting that the House call on the Government to extend the pensioner excursion fare to private buses and rule out any restrictions on its use.
28 June 2004	102 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
28 June 2004	1,050 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.
29 June 2004	115 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
29 June 2004	120 citizens of Sydney and New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating the historic fig trees in The Domain should not be cut down and seeking the intervention of the Environment Minister to preserve them.

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29 June 2004	92 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
31 August 2004	12 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
31 August 2004	99 members and guests of the Wentworth Services Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
31 August 2004	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
31 August 2004	552 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
31 August 2004	16 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
31 August 2004	79 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
31 August 2004	34 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Calling on the Government to reverse its decision and to reinstate funding to 50 Business Enterprise Centres.
31 August 2004	103 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the institution of marriage between man and woman is not debased by any legislation which violates these principles.
31 August 2004	704 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
31 August 2004	106 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
31 August 2004	26 residents of and visitors to the municipalities of Leichhardt, Canada Bay and Ashfield	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House reject the three options put forward for the eastern extension of the M4 Motorway and requests a study on commuter and freight rail and commit to sustainable public transport.
31 August 2004	Approximately 46,000 citizens	Mr Oldfield	Irregular Petition—stating that they oppose the closure of the Designer Outlets Centre, Liverpool and noting the loss of over 450 jobs for south western Sydney.

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1 September 2004	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
1 September 2004	34 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Calling on the Government to reverse its decision and to reinstate funding to 50 Business Enterprise Centres.
1 September 2004	190 citizens of Bungendore and surrounding region	Mrs Forsythe	Asking the Government to maintain funding to BreastScreen NSW.
1 September 2004	516 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
1 September 2004	369 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
1 September 2004	434 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
1 September 2004	73 members and guests of the Wentworth Services Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
1 September 2004	125 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Stating that the sale of alcohol should be restricted to the existing outlets and the hours and days of opening should be reduced and to help protect the young, warning labels should be displayed on all containers of alcoholic beverages.
2 September 2004	50 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Calling on the Government to reverse its decision and to reinstate funding to 50 Business Enterprise Centres.
2 September 2004	1,084 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
2 September 2004	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
2 September 2004	24 residents of Sydney	Ms Hale	Praying that the House request a review of the federal Telecommunications Act 1997 in view of the rollout of 3G video phone towers by the telecommunications company, Hutchison.
2 September 2004	65 members and guests of the Wentworth Services Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
2 September 2004	25 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
2 September 2004	745 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.

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2 September 2004	13 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will introduce drug reform through a five fold strategy of coercive residential rehabilitation, free naltrexone treatment, a medical panel to assist the Drug Court, cooperation between law enforcement and parents of addicts and random drug tests.
14 September 2004	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
14 September 2004	11 citizens of Braidwood and surrounding region	Mrs Forsythe	Asking the Government to maintain funding to BreastScreen NSW.
14 September 2004	783 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
14 September 2004	232 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
14 September 2004	36 citizens of Cooma and surrounding region	Mrs Forsythe	Calling on the Government to reverse its decision and to reinstate funding to 50 Business Enterprise Centres.
15 September 2004	84 members and guests of the Tooleybuc Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
15 September 2004	139 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
15 September 2004	263 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
15 September 2004	100 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
15 September 2004	324 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
15 September 2004	47 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Asking the Government to maintain funding to BreastScreen NSW.
16 September 2004	215 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
16 September 2004	1,083 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
21 September 2004	102 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.

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21 September 2004	201 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House will support the establishment of a private clinic in Mayfield for heroin dependent people in the Newcastle area.
21 September 2004	87 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
21 September 2004	1,158 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
21 September 2004	103 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
22 September 2004	97 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
22 September 2004	79 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
23 September 2004	190 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
19 October 2004	105 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
19 October 2004	21 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House will follow in the steps of the Queensland Government to provide adequate services to temporary protection visa holders and that they be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
19 October 2004	54 citizens of the Gunning Region	Mrs Forsythe	Asking the Government to maintain funding to BreastScreen NSW.
19 October 2004	40 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
19 October 2004	84 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to save the ADI site at St Marys from proposed development.
19 October 2004	144 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
19 October 2004	126 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
20 October 2004	150 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.

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20 October 2004	7 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar request.
20 October 2004	14 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
20 October 2004	27 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
21 October 2004	65 members and guests of the Wentworth Services Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
21 October 2004	16 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
26 October 2004	115 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
26 October 2004	177 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
26 October 2004	10 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
9 November 2004	11 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
9 November 2004	897 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House halt the Lake Cowal Gold Mining Project and not grant further approvals for a mine at Lake Cowal.
9 November 2004	114 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
9 November 2004	531 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
11 November 2004	187 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House will follow in the steps of the Queensland Government to provide adequate services to temporary protection visa holders and that they be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
11 November 2004	195 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House take action to relieve the plight of the mentally ill and their families by providing crisis beds at Mt Druitt Hospital.
11 November 2004	4,787 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Ryan	Praying that the House restore previous levels of funding to the ATLAS and community participation program targeted to school leavers with a disability.
17 November 2004	69 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to ensure there are no funding cuts or any restructure to post school options and ATLAS programs and to guarantee the quality of these programs.
18 November 2004	38 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Similar request.
7 December 2004	63 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.

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7 December 2004	28 residents of the villages of Bundeena and Maianbar	Mr Cohen	Praying that the House appoint a State Government representative to monitor development applications in the villages of Bundeena and Maianbar and consult with members of the communities.
7 December 2004	309 residents of Sydney	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to defer the Redfern-Waterloo Authority Bill until all documents relating to a draft Redfern-Waterloo plan are made public.
7 December 2004	51 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House will follow in the steps of the Queensland Government to provide adequate services to temporary protection visa holders and that they be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
7 December 2004	41 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to ensure there are no funding cuts or any restructure to post school options and ATLAS programs and to guarantee the quality of these programs.
8 December 2004	31 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
9 December 2004	30 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to ensure there are no funding cuts or any restructure to post school options and ATLAS programs and to guarantee the quality of these programs.
22 February 2005	49 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
22 February 2005	14 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
22 February 2005	51 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
22 February 2005	18 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Asking the Government to maintain funding to BreastScreen NSW.
22 February 2005	55 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
22 February 2005	172 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House halt the Lake Cowal Gold Mining Project and not grant further approvals for a mine at Lake Cowal.
22 February 2005	83 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
22 February 2005	264 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House call on Australia Post to restore an integrated shopfront post office for the Bondi Junction community.

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23 February 2005	39 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
23 February 2005	76 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Praying that the House will follow in the steps of the Queensland Government to provide adequate services to temporary protection visa holders and that they be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
23 February 2005	60 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House call on Australia Post to restore an integrated shopfront post office for the Bondi Junction community.
2 March 2005	20 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
22 March 2005	53 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
22 March 2005	151 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House call on Australia Post to restore an integrated shopfront post office for the Bondi Junction community.
22 March 2005	40 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
22 March 2005	26 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Pavey	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
5 April 2005	6,414 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that Wallis Lake be closed to all commercial fishing.
5 April 2005	200 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
5 April 2005	20 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Asking that temporary protection visa holders be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
5 April 2005	40 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
5 April 2005	342 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Opposing changes to CityRail's timetable for the Southern Highlands line.
6 April 2005	280 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
6 April 2005	10 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Similar request.
6 April 2005	61 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Requesting protection for small clothing businesses in the manufacturing sector.

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6 April 2005	33 residents of and visitors to the municipalities of Leichhardt, Canada Bay and Ashfield	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House reject the three options put forward for the eastern extension of the M4 Motorway and requests a study on commuter and freight rail and commit to sustainable public transport.
6 April 2005	46 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
6 April 2005	12 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Requesting reform of the Anti-Discrimination Act in order to bring an end to discrimination based on sexuality.
7 April 2005	25 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Requesting protection for small clothing businesses in the manufacturing sector.
7 April 2005	81 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
7 April 2005	19 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
3 May 2005	92 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
3 May 2005	91 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar request.
3 May 2005	52 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
3 May 2005	9 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Similar request.
3 May 2005	242 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
3 May 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Donnelly	Similar request.
3 May 2005	10 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Pearce	Similar request.
3 May 2005	26 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
3 May 2005	10 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
3 May 2005	279 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
3 May 2005	10 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Pearce	Similar request.
3 May 2005	24 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Requesting protection for small clothing businesses in the manufacturing sector.
3 May 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales.
3 May 2005	19 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Opposing any legislation that violates the institution of marriage between man and woman.

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4 May 2005	12 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
4 May 2005	187 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
4 May 2005	59 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
4 May 2005	92 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
4 May 2005	256 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
4 May 2005	89 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
5 May 2005	153 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
5 May 2005	45 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
24 May 2005	145 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
24 May 2005	299 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
24 May 2005	310 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
24 May 2005	148 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
24 May 2005	177 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
24 May 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.

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24 May 2005	208 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
24 May 2005	160 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House halt the Lake Cowal Gold Mining Project and not grant further approvals for a mine at Lake Cowal.
24 May 2005	416 residents of the western suburbs of Sydney	Ms Rhiannon	Calling on the House to implement wide-ranging improvements to public transport in western Sydney.
25 May 2005	1165 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
25 May 2005	656 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
25 May 2005	758 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Lynn	Requesting that the House call on the Premier to reopen the Camden Maternity Ward as a complete birthing unit and ensure that it not be restricted to a midwifery led service.
25 May 2005	277 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
25 May 2005	126 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
26 May 2005	862 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
26 May 2005	536 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
26 May 2005	11 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
26 May 2005	254 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
26 May 2005	104 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
7 June 2005	2,365 residents of Gunnedah	Miss Gardiner	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
7 June 2005	150 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar request.
7 June 2005	64 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Similar request.
7 June 2005	10 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.

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7 June 2005	496 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
7 June 2005	541 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
7 June 2005	993 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
7 June 2005	6 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Similar request.
7 June 2005	224 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
7 June 2005	30 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
7 June 2005	53 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
7 June 2005	7 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Similar request.
7 June 2005	133 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
7 June 2005	142 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
7 June 2005	68 members of the Wentworth Services Sporting Club	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
8 June 2005	154 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
8 June 2005	36 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar request.
8 June 2005	234 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Lynn	Requesting that the House call on the Premier to reopen the Camden Maternity Ward as a complete birthing unit and ensure that it not be restricted to a midwifery led service.
8 June 2005	239 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
8 June 2005	42 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
9 June 2005	7 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
9 June 2005	7 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.

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9 June 2005	68 residents of Gunnedah	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
9 June 2005	66 residents of Wee Waa, Baradine and Piliga	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
9 June 2005	60 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
9 June 2005	47 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
21 June 2005	31 residents of Wee Waa, Baradine and Piliga	Mr Gay	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
21 June 2005	526 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
21 June 2005	25 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Donnelly	Similar request.
21 June 2005	22 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar request.
21 June 2005	191 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
21 June 2005	60 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
21 June 2005	39 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Similar request.
21 June 2005	565 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Lynn	Requesting that the House call on the Premier to reopen the Camden Maternity Ward as a complete birthing unit and ensure that it not be restricted to a midwifery led service.
21 June 2005	56 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, fetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
21 June 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Similar request.
21 June 2005	57 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
21 June 2005	455 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
21 June 2005	37 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Harwin	Similar request.

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21 June 2005	286 residents of the western suburbs of Sydney	Ms Rhiannon	Calling on the House to implement wide-ranging improvements to public transport in western Sydney.
21 June 2005	30 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
22 June 2005	30 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
22 June 2005	225 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
22 June 2005	55 residents of Quirindi and Werris Creek	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
22 June 2005	69 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
22 June 2005	16 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
22 June 2005	12 residents of Gunnedah	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
23 June 2005	12 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
23 June 2005	90 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Similar request.
23 June 2005	19 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
23 June 2005	50 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
23 June 2005	169 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
23 June 2005	727 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.

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23 June 2005	149 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Stating that the sale of public land in Mulwala and subsequent closure of the Shoreline Caravan Park will have a direct impact on business in Mulwala, and requesting that the House seriously consider these concerns.
23 June 2005	14 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
23 June 2005	12 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
13 September 2005	147 residents of Coonabarabran and Baradine	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
13 September 2005	23 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
13 September 2005	4,338 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
13 September 2005	1,298 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
13 September 2005	305 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
13 September 2005	136 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
13 September 2005	612 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Parker	Similar request.
13 September 2005	399 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
13 September 2005	287 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
13 September 2005	15 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
13 September 2005	15 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
13 September 2005	572 residents of the western suburbs of Sydney	Ms Rhiannon	Calling on the House to implement wide-ranging improvements to public transport in western Sydney.

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13 September 2005	175 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to abandon plans to build a desalination plant in Kurnell or Sydney's East, create a sustainable water system for Sydney and allow citizens to submit public comment on any future water infrastructure.
14 September 2005	64 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
14 September 2005	3,864 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Similar request.
14 September 2005	395 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
14 September 2005	111 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
14 September 2005	251 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
14 September 2005	97 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Similar request.
14 September 2005	5 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Pearce	Similar request.
14 September 2005	43 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Similar request.
14 September 2005	28 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
14 September 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
15 September 2005	138 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
15 September 2005	358 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
15 September 2005	19 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
15 September 2005	34 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Donnelly	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
15 September 2005	292 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.

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15 September 2005	45 residents of Baradine, Gwabegar, Coonabarabran, Binnaway and Gilgandra	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
15 September 2005	66 residents of Mathoura and Deniliquin	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government support all forestry industries in the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions.
15 September 2005	29 public housing tenants of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that charging public housing tenants for water not based on actual usage is a rent increase in disguise and requesting that the House take action to ensure that tenants are not pushed out of public housing through rent increases, short term leases, narrow eligibility criteria or government sales, and public housing remains a viable and mainstream form of housing for low income households.
15 September 2005	26 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Asking the Government to maintain funding to BreastScreen NSW.
15 September 2005	11 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Opposing any legislation that violates the institution of marriage between man and woman.
20 September 2005	265 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
20 September 2005	99 residents of the Northern Tablelands	Ms Cusack	Requesting that the Government recognize the need for breast cancer screening be available to all women by providing increased funding to area health services and announcing a plan for screening for those aged 30 and over.
20 September 2005	236 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
20 September 2005	44 residents of Mathoura	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government support all forestry industries in the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions.
20 September 2005	2,326 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
20 September 2005	36 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Drawing the attention of the House to the traffic problems and delays in construction that plague residents of Monaro.

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20 September 2005	66 public housing tenants of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that charging public housing tenants for water not based on actual usage is a rent increase in disguise and requesting that the House take action to ensure that tenants are not pushed out of public housing through rent increases, short term leases, narrow eligibility criteria or government sales, and public housing remains a viable and mainstream form of housing for low income households.
20 September 2005	38 residents of Quirindi, Tamworth, Baradine and Gwebegar	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
20 September 2005	28 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Clarke	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
20 September 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar request.
20 September 2005	59 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Objecting to any restrictions on fishing in Mid North Coast waters and praying that the House oppose any ban or surcharge on recreational fishing or diving.
21 September 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Robertson	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
21 September 2005	88 residents of Gilgandra	Mr Colless	Similar request.
21 September 2005	24 residents of Gunnedah, Quirindi, Currabubula, Boggabri and Curlewis	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
21 September 2005	210 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
21 September 2005	21 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Calling on the Government to ensure there are no funding cuts or any restructure to post school options and ATLAS programs and to guarantee the quality of these programs.
21 September 2005	24 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Drawing the attention of the House to the traffic problems and delays in construction that plague residents of Monaro.
21 September 2005	52 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Objecting to any restrictions on fishing in Mid North Coast waters and praying that the House oppose any ban or surcharge on recreational fishing or diving.
21 September 2005	44 residents of Mathoura	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government support all forestry industries in the Riverina and Murray-Darling Depression Bioregions.

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22 September 2005	29 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
22 September 2005	94 residents of Baradine	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.
22 September 2005	43 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Objecting to any restrictions on fishing in Mid North Coast waters and praying that the House oppose any ban or surcharge on recreational fishing or diving.
22 September 2005	15 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House confirm the Queen's ongoing place in the Oath of Allegiance.
22 September 2005	154 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
11 October 2005	149 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
11 October 2005	226 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
11 October 2005	19 public housing tenants of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that charging public housing tenants for water not based on actual usage is a rent increase in disguise and requesting that the House take action to ensure that tenants are not pushed out of public housing through rent increases, short term leases, narrow eligibility criteria or government sales, and public housing remains a viable and mainstream form of housing for low income households.
11 October 2005	42 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
11 October 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Similar request.
11 October 2005	47 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
12 October 2005	20 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.

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12 October 2005	29 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
12 October 2005	32 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating opposition to the Victorian Racial and Religious Tolerance Act 2001, and requesting that the House refrain from passing similar legislation to introduce religious vilification in New South Wales.
12 October 2005	40 public housing tenants	Ms Hale	Stating that charging public housing tenants for water not based on actual usage is a rent increase in disguise and requesting that the House take action to ensure that tenants are not pushed out of public housing through rent increases, short term leases, narrow eligibility criteria or government sales, and public housing remains a viable and mainstream form of housing for low income households.
13 October 2005	13 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that public dental health services in New South Wales are inadequate to meet demand and praying that the House will urge the Government to immediately increase funding for public dental health services and meet with the Federal Government to explore ways to increase the number of dentists in the public dental system, particularly in rural areas.
13 October 2005	46 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
13 October 2005	34 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, fetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
13 October 2005	20 residents of the Northern Tablelands	Ms Cusack	Requesting that the Government recognize the need for breast cancer screening be available to all women by providing increased funding to area health services and announcing a plan for screening for those aged 30 and over.
13 October 2005	654 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
13 October 2005	301 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
18 October 2005	66 residents of Baradine	Mr Colless	Requesting that the Government reverse the decision to remove the management and control of cypress pine and hardwood forests in the Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions from State Forests.

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18 October 2005	104 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
18 October 2005	65 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
18 October 2005	163 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
18 October 2005	145 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve the rights and freedoms enjoyed by Christians in New South Wales and vote against the proposed Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Removal of Exemptions) Bill.
18 October 2005	10 public housing tenants	Ms Hale	Stating that charging public housing tenants for water not based on actual usage is a rent increase in disguise and requesting that the House take action to ensure that tenants are not pushed out of public housing through rent increases, short term leases, narrow eligibility criteria or government sales, and public housing remains a viable and mainstream form of housing for low income households.
18 October 2005	35 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
19 October 2005	14 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
19 October 2005	34 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
19 October 2005	129 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
20 October 2005	157 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.

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20 October 2005	96 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
20 October 2005	9 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Donnelly	Similar request.
20 October 2005	26 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
20 October 2005	24 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
20 October 2005	155 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
8 November 2005	11 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
8 November 2005	93 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
8 November 2005	174 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
8 November 2005	166 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
8 November 2005	167 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
8 November 2005	199 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
9 November 2005	19 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Drawing the attention of the House to the traffic problems and delays in construction that plague residents of Monaro.

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9 November 2005	12 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
9 November 2005	120 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
9 November 2005	93 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
10 November 2005	120 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
15 November 2005	8 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
15 November 2005	70 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to abandon plans to build a desalination plant in Kurnell or Sydney's East, create a sustainable water system for Sydney and allow citizens to submit public comment on any future water infrastructure.
15 November 2005	210 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
15 November 2005	464 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Lynn	Requesting that the House call on the Premier to reopen the Camden Maternity Ward as a complete birthing unit and ensure that it not be restricted to a midwifery led service.
15 November 2005	60 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
15 November 2005	38 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, foetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
15 November 2005	41 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.

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15 November 2005	26 residents of and visitors to the municipalities of Leichhardt, Canada Bay and Ashfield	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House reject the three options put forward for the eastern extension of the M4 Motorway and requests a study on commuter and freight rail and commit to sustainable public transport.
16 November 2005	411 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Stating their concern for the future of Banora Point High School which has been built as a year 7 to 10 school at a cost of \$28 million, and calling on the Government to keep its promises and announce completion of Banora Point as a year 7 to 12 facility and guarantee current year 9 students that they will be able to complete year 12 at Banora Point High School.
16 November 2005	23 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
16 November 2005	61 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
16 November 2005	961 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Lynn	Requesting that the House call on the Premier to reopen the Camden Maternity Ward as a complete birthing unit and ensure that it not be restricted to a midwifery led service.
16 November 2005	102 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
17 November 2005	455 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Lynn	Requesting that the House call on the Premier to reopen the Camden Maternity Ward as a complete birthing unit and ensure that it not be restricted to a midwifery led service.
17 November 2005	422 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Stating their concern over parking facilities in Cabramatta, and comments made by Fairfield Councilor Lawrence White in relation to Asian residents, which have caused anxiety and hurt amongst the community.
17 November 2005	17 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
29 November 2005	32 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
29 November 2005	55 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Calling on the Government to abandon plans to build a desalination plant in Kurnell or Sydney's East, create a sustainable water system for Sydney and allow citizens to submit public comment on any future water infrastructure.

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29 November 2005	4,347 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Drawing the attention of the House to the inadequate state of hospital and community mental health services in New South Wales.
29 November 2005	62 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
30 November 2005	829 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
1 December 2005	55 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
1 December 2005	10,104 citizens of New South Wales	Dr Wong	Stating their concern over parking facilities in Cabramatta, and comments made by Fairfield Councilor Lawrence White in relation to Asian residents, which have caused anxiety and hurt amongst the community.
28 February 2006	9 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Drawing the attention of the House to the traffic problems and delays in construction that plague residents of Monaro.
28 February 2006	35 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
28 February 2006	103 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Similar request.
28 February 2006	31 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House appoint a Parliamentary committee to inquire into the circumstances surrounding the sale of land to Mirvac by Darkinjung Local Aboriginal Land Council.
28 February 2006	82 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Similar request.
28 February 2006	831 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
28 February 2006	178 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
28 February 2006	7 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Asking the House to support primary producers by opposing any cuts to key field staff, front line services and research and development.
28 February 2006	25 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Opposing any legislation that violates the institution of marriage between man and woman.

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28 February 2006	340 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Stating that a desalination plant would increase the state's electricity usage, use huge amounts of water, and further degrade Botany Bay, and requesting that the House take urgent action to ensure a sustainable water supply through the implementation of programs such as storm water harvesting, water recycling, and the installation of water saving devices.
28 February 2006	99 residents of and visitors to the municipalities of Leichhardt, Canada Bay and Ashfield	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House reject the three options put forward for the eastern extension of the M4 Motorway and requests a study on commuter and freight rail and commit to sustainable public transport.
28 February 2006	47 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
28 February 2006	305 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Requesting that the House urgently provide adequate financial support to enable the accommodation of people on the waiting for Mulgum House in Nimbin.
1 March 2006	177 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Requesting reform of the Anti-Discrimination Act in order to bring an end to discrimination based on sexuality.
1 March 2006	31 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
1 March 2006	235 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that CountryLink is a vital and valued service in rural and regional New South Wales and praying that the House will reverse its decision to close the Casino-Murwillumbah rail line.
7 March 2006	90 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
7 March 2006	63 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Rhiannon	Stating that the Anti-Discrimination Act fails to provide adequate protection for bisexual and intersex people or people living with a same sex partner and praying that the House supports the Greens legislation that does not discriminate on a person's homosexuality or transgender status.
7 March 2006	51 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
7 March 2006	43 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, fetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.

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9 March 2006	502 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Sharpe	Requesting that the House repeal all legislation that allows police to use sniffer dogs to perform searches on people without a warrant.
9 March 2006	234 residents of and visitors to Shoalhaven	Mr Cohen	Requesting that the Government reconsider its plan to construct a pipeline from Tallowa Dam north and raise the height of the dam wall to further augment Sydney's water supply.
28 March 2006	211 residents of and visitors to Shoalhaven	Mr Cohen	Requesting that the Government reconsider its plan to construct a pipeline from Tallowa Dam north and raise the height of the dam wall to further augment Sydney's water supply.
28 March 2006	90 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
28 March 2006	17 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Requesting that rental increases for Crown land leases, particularly road permits, be withdrawn and a new and fair system implemented.
29 March 2006	25 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.
29 March 2006	249 residents of and visitors to Shoalhaven	Mr Cohen	Requesting that the Government reconsider its plan to construct a pipeline from Tallowa Dam north and raise the height of the dam wall to further augment Sydney's water supply.
30 March 2006	147 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
4 April 2006	775 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Breen	Requesting that the House urge the Government to amend the Local Government Act 1993 to empower local councils to arbitrate on disputes between residents as an alternative to issuing local government orders, and introduce legislation to enforce plaintiffs to finance legal action that may eventuate from a resident's decision to defend a complaint.
4 April 2006	95 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
4 April 2006	153 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Asking that temporary protection visa holders be given the same rights and services as permanent protection visa holders.
4 April 2006	229 residents of and visitors to Shoalhaven	Mr Cohen	Requesting that the Government reconsider its plan to construct a pipeline from Tallowa Dam north and raise the height of the dam wall to further augment Sydney's water supply.
5 April 2006	48 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Colless	Praying that the House reconsider the decision to increase poker machine tax effective from 1 September 2004.

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6 April 2006	30 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.
6 April 2006	17 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
2 May 2006	1,144 residents of Newtown and the surrounding suburbs	Ms Sharpe	Requesting that disability access be installed at Newtown railway station, as a priority, for the aged and disabled residents that use the station.
2 May 2006	391 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Forsythe	Requesting that the House ensure that funding allows access to the free breast cancer screening program for women aged 40-79 years, give greater priority to the scheme and continue to support preventative women's health programs.
2 May 2006	65 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House retain the existing exemptions applying to religious bodies in the current Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.
2 May 2006	47 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Cusack	Praying that the House ensure the future of the Murwillumbah branch railway line so that elderly and disabled passengers, families, tourists and railway staff can enjoy equitable access to passenger services and secure employment in the region.
2 May 2006	112 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Dr Moyes	Requesting that the House support amendments to the Uniting Church in Australia Act 1977 that seek to statutorily recognise, uphold and protect the property, legal and moral rights of a congregation that chooses to disassociate from the Uniting Church in Australia.
2 May 2006	1419 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Stating their opposition to the proposed Bateman's and Port Stephens Marine Park.
2 May 2006	247 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Cohen	Requesting that the House do everything in its capacity to ensure that coal is not pursued as an energy option for New South Wales.
2 May 2006	57 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Calling on the Government to enact laws for the provision of accurate records and statistics on abortions, to protect, by law, fetuses of 20 weeks gestation and make resources available for pre- and post-abortion follow-up.
2 May 2006	76 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House will call on the Government to ban the use of cyanide heap leaching mining methods.
2 May 2006	97 people	Ms Rhiannon	Praying that the House halt the Lake Cowal Gold Mining Project and not grant further approvals for a mine at Lake Cowal.
3 May 2006	47 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Requesting that the House uphold the Commonwealth's exclusive power to make laws with respect to marriage, recognize the definition of marriage in the Marriage Act 1961, and defeat the Same-Sex Marriage Bill 2005 and cognates.

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3 May 2006	50 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Praying that the House will preserve religious freedoms and vote against the changes proposed under the Anti Discrimination Amendment (Religious Tolerance) Bill.
4 May 2006	738 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Stating their opposition to the proposed Bateman's and Port Stephens Marine Park.
9 May 2006	465 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Parker	Stating their opposition to the proposed Bateman's and Port Stephens Marine Park.
9 May 2006	48 citizens of New South Wales	Revd Mr Nile	Stating that the sale of alcohol should be restricted to the existing outlets and the hours and days of opening should be reduced and to help protect the young, warning labels should be displayed on all containers of alcoholic beverages.
9 May 2006	46 citizens of New South Wales	Ms Hale	Requesting that the House halt the sale of Snowy Hydro Limited and call for a plebiscite to be held at the same time as the State election in March 2007 to gauge public opinion on the sale.
10 May 2006	797 citizens of New South Wales	Mr Gay	Stating their opposition to the proposed Bateman's and Port Stephens Marine Park.
11 May 2006	200 citizens of New South Wales	Mrs Pavey	Requesting that the House halt the sale of Snowy Hydro Limited and call for a plebiscite to be held at the same time as the State election in March 2007 to gauge public opinion on the sale.

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