NOTICE PAPER

for

THURSDAY, 16 MARCH 2000

The House meets this day at 9.30am

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GENERAL BUSINESS

ORDERS OF THE DAY

1 COMPETITION POLICY REFORM (QUEENSLAND) REPEAL BILL – Resumption of second reading debate (15 March 2000, Mr Musgrove)

2 DEFAMATION (MATTERS OF PUBLIC INTEREST) AMENDMENT BILL – Resumption of second reading debate (29 April 1999, Mr Foley)

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9 **TIMBER PLANTATIONS (HARVEST GUARANTEE) BILL** – Resumption of second reading debate (27 October 1999, Mr Palaszczuk)

10 **TEMPORARY COASTAL DWELLINGS PROTECTION BILL** – Resumption of second reading debate (9 November 1999, Mr Welford)

11 **INFORMATION PRIVACY BILL** – Resumption of second reading debate (9 December 1999, Mr Foley)

12 **VEGETATION MANAGEMENT REPEAL BILL** – Resumption of second reading debate (2 March 2000, Mr Welford)

*13 **GOVERNMENT PUBLICITY CONTROL BILL** – Resumption of second reading debate (15 March 2000, Mr Hamill)

**ORDER OF THE DAY**

1 **ELECTORAL AMENDMENT BILL** – Referred to Legal, Constitutional and Administrative Review Committee (for consideration and report) (1 December 1999)

**NOTICE OF MOTION**

(Notice given 1 March 2000)

1 **MRS E CUNNINGHAM** to move—

That this House calls on the Beattie Labor Government to negotiate meaningfully with the Queensland Teachers’ Union in relation to the current enterprise bargaining negotiations with a view to a just and equitable result.

**NOTICE OF MOTION – HOUSE TO TAKE NOTE OF COMMITTEE REPORT**

(Notice given 2 March 2000)

1 **MR FENLON** to move – That this House take note of Report No. 19 of the Legal, Constitutional and Administrative Review Committee tabled in the House on 2 March 2000.
QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

The following questions were asked on Wednesday, 15 March 2000. Answers are required by Sessional Orders to be hand delivered to the Bills and Papers Office, Room A.18.1, Parliament House by 5pm on Friday, 14 April 2000.

152 DR KINGSTON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND RURAL COMMUNITIES (MR PALASZCZUK)—

Is it true that the Board of the Queensland Fisheries Management Authority approved a 1 April start to Hervey Bay Trawl Closure to protect winter whiting and was the plan changed prior to being submitted to Cabinet; if so, does he believe that these ongoing examples of anti–establishmentarianism are disruptive to good governance and make for poor legislative procedure?

153 MR BLACK ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS (MR BRADDY)—

(1) How many apprentices are currently employed in coal mines on the Bowen Basin coalfields?

(2) How many trainees are currently employed in coal mines on the Bowen Basin coalfields?

(3) Are any losses to these numbers likely?

154 MR KNUTH ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER POLICY AND MINISTER FOR WOMEN’S POLICY AND MINISTER FOR FAIR TRADING (MS SPENCE)—

(1) Why has the family of Warren Blith of Lot 6 Bentley Drive, Nome, after 11 years not received council approval for a house built by a building company, namely Honeycombs Constructions because of faulty workmanship?

(2) Why had the Building Services Authority failed to promptly act of behalf of the owners during the initial problem stage?

(3) Will she investigate the disgraceful circumstances that this family have had to endure both financially and morally to still have no satisfaction and compensation to this date?

155 MR PAFF ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MINISTER FOR MAIN ROADS (MR BREDHAUER)—

With reference to the Marburg to Rosewood Road and the small bridge across Black Snake Creek at Marburg and the very dangerous approaches with ever increasing traffic on this road—

When is the bridge to be replaced and the dangerous curves to the approaches addressed?

156 DR PRENZLER ASKED THE PREMIER (MR BEATTIE)—

With reference to Queensland Trade Commissioner postings—

(1) How many Trade Commissioners are employed by the Queensland Government?

(2) Where are they employed?

(3) What areas of expertise are covered by each of these commissioners?

(4) How much trade have they directed to Queensland in the past five years?

(5) What criteria is used to measure the efficiency of each commissioner?

(6) Under what wages and conditions are these commissioners employed?
157 MR DALGLEISH ASKED THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND MINISTER FOR THE ARTS (MR FOLEY)—

With reference to Justices of the Peace (Qualified)—
Does his department have plans to (a) provide seal of office, stamp pad, certificate together with log book free of charge and (b) allow Justices of the Peace (Qualified) to charge a nominal charge for their services (as other States do); if not, will he be prepared to liaise with the Law Reform Commission on these issues?

158 MR FELDMAN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

(1) What is the make-up of and who are the panel members of the current Public Health Assessors Panel?

(2) As she was reluctant to provide details in her personal response in relation to the selection and appointment of members to the Public Health Assessors Panel and the need of the applicants to address the only stated selection criteria, that being:—
“Understanding of contemporary standards issues, experience in making complex decisions and formulating reasons for those decisions, and/or experience in adjudication of professional standards issues”, which criteria weighted most heavily in the selection of panel members and where in the application and curriculum vitae of Mrs K. Kendall, had Mrs Kendall fallen short?

(3) Is there a current pre-existing mind set against Mrs K. Kendall due to her strong public advocacy work when serving on the Dental Board of Queensland which resulted in a GJG investigation that subsequently exonerated her stance?

(4) Could this mind set exist as Mrs Kendall was also vindicated in mediation with the Dental Board of Queensland that itself stipulated requirements for silence in the terms of her settlement with the Dental Board of Queensland?

159 MR NELSON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MINISTER FOR MAIN ROADS (MR BREDAUER)—

Will he explain why Queensland pensioners travelling to New South Wales cannot book their return journeys using their Q-Rail concession cards until they arrive back in Queensland?

160 MR LITTLEPROUD ASKED THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE AND MINISTER FOR NATURAL RESOURCES (MR WELFORD)—

With reference to the control of mother of millions—
Will he report on the selection of a natural predator of mother of millions currently based on the island of Madagascar?

161 MRS PRATT ASKED THE MINISTER FOR MINES AND ENERGY AND MINISTER ASSISTING THE DEPUTY PREMIER ON REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT (MR MCGRADEY)—

With reference to Tarong North and the well recognised 3:1 multiplying effect on jobs when contracts are awarded to local (Australian) industry—

(1) Was the fabricated steel contract awarded to local steel fabricators?

(2) What other areas of supply were allocated to foreign owned companies?

(3) What percentage of contracts were awarded to solely Australian owned companies?

(4) Has the Beattie “Jobs, Jobs, Jobs” philosophy now become the “Foreign Jobs, Jobs, Jobs” philosophy?

162 MR LINGARD ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TOURISM AND RACING (MRS ROSE)—

With reference to Treasury's identification of one-off savings of $21.7m in the budget of the former Department of Tourism, Sport and Racing in 1999-2000—

(1) What percentage of the $21.7m was identified as a saving in the Tourism, Racing and Liquor Licensing Divisions of the department?
(2) What is the breakdown of the savings identified by Treasury and made in the individual divisions' budgets?

163 MR TURNER ASKED THE PREMIER (MR BEATTIE)—

With reference to Senator Hill who has introduced legislation into the Federal Parliament which effectively transfers management for Queensland's trawling industry to Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority (GBRMPA) by giving GBRMPA the power to veto the existing management plan and require trawlers to obtain GBRMPA permits on top of all the other licenses they require—

What action is his Government taking to keep Queensland fisheries under State control?

164 MR CONNOR ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

How many placements in the methadone program will be funded under the drug courts trial and at what approximate cost per placement and in what localities?

165 DR WATSON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

Where is the new drug detoxification unit to be established by Queensland Health to assist with the drug courts trial, how many beds will be funded, what is the cost of the unit and when will it be up and running?

166 MR LESTER ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

(1) Is the ENT specialist at Rockhampton hospital leaving; if so, will this position be filled and when will it be advertised?

(2) Have the majority of ENT specialist appointments been cancelled?

167 MR HORAN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

How much does the Health Department have to spend for drug rehabilitation and detoxification services for the drug courts trial over the length of the trial?

168 MR HEGARTY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

What measurable and accountable targets has she set for the Government's drug and alcohol strategy?

169 MR MITCHELL ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

With reference to the dismissal from duty of the Director of Nursing, Clermont Hospital—

(1) Were all guidelines adhered to in respect of the Queensland Health Code of Conduct, natural justice and procedural fairness?

(2) Were all guidelines adhered to in respect of the investigation of the report handed down?

(3) Why were staff working at the time of the dismissal not called to give a statement during the hearings and investigations?

170 MRS GAMIN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

Is the prosthetic budget at the Gold Coast Hospital being rationalised and reviewed and is there no money to pay for prosthesis until 2000–2001?

171 MR STEPHAN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

With reference to the airing of the current affairs program in 1999 which outlined the Government's failure to act on recommendations to audit State hospitals for potentially lethal backflow hazards and recommendations to rectify these hazards in a timeframe recommended within the Government commissioned report "Protecting Your Drinking Water”—

Will she outline how much money since May 1999 was spent to rectify backflow hazards at Gympie hospital and was this funded out of the existing district budget?
172 MR SPRINGBORG ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—
Which health districts have received assistance from corporate office to fund backflow audit and rectification work to protect drinking water in their hospitals and other facilities?

173 MR BORBIDGE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—
How much has each health district budgeted for backflow rectification work in 1999–2000 and what was the cost of identified work to be undertaken to complete rectification after 1999–2000?

174 MR QUINN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—
Will she give her guarantee that each of the State’s health districts have completed an audit of facilities for backflow hazards and will she advise the Parliament when these audits were completed for each of the districts?

175 MR ROWELL ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—
With reference to a Cardwell woman who has sought cardiac services through Townsville Hospital (correspondence sent to the Health Minister today), who initially was given a 14 September appointment for an echocardiogram but who has now had this cancelled due to “critical staff shortages” —
How many people are waiting for these and other cardiac services at Townsville and what is the Government doing to address these staff shortages?

176 MR COOPER ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—
How many detoxification beds will be supplied directly by Queensland Health in the drug courts trial?

177 MR SEENEY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—
With reference to the drug court trial—
Will she outline which organisations will receive funding from the Health Department for (a) providing detoxification and rehabilitation treatment, (b) the mix of treatment options, (c) the approximate throughput through these various options and (d) the performance standards of providers?

178 MR HOBBS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—
With reference to the drug courts trial and as the Government has stated that the Corrective Services Department will provide the offender’s program planning and supervision and as a component of the order, some of the treatment including substance abuse educational programs, ending offending programs and substance abuse relapse prevention programs—
As this could lead to some cross-over between the Health Department funded delivery of programs and the Corrective Services Department, will she explain how this potential duplication will be worked out and what the funding split is between the departments?

179 MR BEANLAND ASKED THE MINISTER FOR FAMILIES, YOUTH AND COMMUNITY CARE AND MINISTER FOR DISABILITY SERVICES (MS BLIGH)—
With reference to funding by her department of youth crime prevention projects in a number of electorates throughout the State and the budgeting for a number of pilots of Youth Justice Services in a number of locations—
(1) How many of these projects and pilots are for Labor held electorates?
(2) How many are to be conducted in electorates held by non-Labor Members of this Parliament?
180 **MR JOHNSON** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MINISTER FOR MAIN ROADS (MR BREDHAUER)—

With reference to recent media comments by the Lord Mayor of Brisbane attempting to distance himself from the Beattie Government Light Rail Project—

(1) Does the Government have the support of the Brisbane City Council for the use of its roads for the light rail network?

(2) Will there be any restriction upon the movement of private passenger vehicles in Roma Street as the result of the Light Rail Project?

(3) Will he give an assurance that the light rail cars and associated infrastructure will be made by Queensland workers?

181 **MR LAMING** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND MINISTER FOR HOUSING (MR SCHWARTEN)—

With reference to the community housing units nearing completion at Salisbury—

(1) Do the dwellings comply with Local Government zoning and town planning requirements for its Salisbury location?

(2) Does his Community Housing Program ensure that State Government funded housing projects gain approval from the Local Government Authority?

(3) Does his Public Housing Program ensure that State Government funded housing projects gain approval from the Local Government Authority?

182 **MR GOSS** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION, LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PLANNING AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR MACKENROTH)—

With reference to Treasury's identification of one–off savings of $21.7m in the budget of the former Department of Tourism, Sport and Racing in 1999–2000—

(1) What percentage of the $21.7m was identified as a saving in the Sport and Recreation Division of the department?

(2) What is the breakdown of the savings identified by Treasury and made in that division's budget?

183 **MR HEALY** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION, LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PLANNING AND MINISTER FOR SPORT (MR MACKENROTH)—

With reference to estimates provided by the former Department of Tourism, Sport and Racing in July 1999 that the Sport and Recreation Benefit Fund had the potential to attract $65m from gaming machine revenue in 1999–2000—

(1) What is the mid–year forecast of revenue to this fund?

(2) What is the projected increase in revenue to this fund compared with 1998–99 receipts?

184 **MR DAVIDSON** ASKED THE PREMIER (MR BEATTIE)—

With reference to Treasury's identification of one–off savings of $21.7m in the budget of the former Department of Tourism, Sport and Racing in 1999–2000—

(1) What percentage of the $21.7m was identified as a saving in the budget of the Queensland Events Corporation (QEC)?

(2) What is the breakdown of the savings identified by Treasury and made in the QEC budget?
**MR MALONE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES (MR ROBERTSON)—**

With reference to a report in *The Daily Mercury* on 7 March concerning the issuing of accounts to the parents of three children accused of making hoax calls to the fire service and to his statements in that report and on ABC Radio on 10 March—

1. Were accounts sent to the parents of those three children within two days of the alleged hoax incidents; if so, why were they sent before police investigations were completed?

2. Was this action in line with Government policy and on how many previous occasions has this occurred in 1999–2000?

**MR BAUMANN ASKED THE TREASURER (MR HAMILL)—**

With reference to advice from National Competition Council Chairman Graham Samuel, voiced at the Australian Bus and Coach Association Conference in Melbourne on 13 March that the Queensland Government should subsidise all passengers on the Coachtrans bus service between the Gold Coast and Brisbane to meet its national competition policy obligations—

1. What is the position of the Government on this question?

2. Will the Government meet the June deadline to decide on the subsidy issue?

3. Is the Government able to meet the National Competition Council requirement that it provide a “competitively neutral” framework for Queensland Rail, Coachtrans and any other operator in the Gold Coast–to–Brisbane passenger transport market?

**MR SLACK ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MINISTER FOR MAIN ROADS (MR BREDHAUER)—**

With reference to the Rockhampton to Bundaberg train, scheduled for Friday nights and to constant difficulties and frustration being experienced by parents from Miriam Vale and Agnes Waters area in having their children alight this train service at Miriam Vale, thus saving parents a trip to either Gladstone or Bundaberg—

1. As these parents and private schools in Rockhampton and Yeppoon, are continually encountering difficulties when booking tickets for a Miriam Vale stop on a Friday night, will Queensland Rail give consideration to allowing sufficient time in its schedule for this stop when required?

2. Given that Miriam Vale does not have its own senior high school and considering the increasing needs of this fastest-growing shire in Queensland, could additional time at Miriam Vale Station be factored in to Queensland Rail’s scheduled timetable (as a stop for alighting passengers only) so that ongoing communication problems over this issue can be resolved?

**MR VEIVERS ASKED THE PREMIER (MR BEATTIE)—**

1. When can the people of the Gold Coast expect the Beattie Government to commence construction of the convention centre that has been promised by the ALP Government?

2. Is it correct that Conrad Jupiters are ready to begin construction immediately upon receipt of Government funding for this much needed project?

**MR SANTORO ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS (MR BRADDY)—**

1. At 1 March, what progress had been made towards achievement of the Bannikoff Report recommendation that the ratio of teaching staff to non–teaching staff in TAFE be adjusted to 60:40?

2. As at 1999–2000 Estimates hearings he indicated that some institutes had already achieved that 60:40 goal, will he name those institutes which had achieved that goal by 1 March?
MRS E CUNNINGHAM ASKED THE PREMIER (MR BEATTIE)—

With reference to the push by him for "Jobs, Jobs, Jobs"—

What assistance and support has been given to (for example) Evans Deakin workers who will lose their jobs despite the company operating at a commercially acceptable level in Queensland?

MR ELLIOTT ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

What evaluation has the Queensland Health Department undertaken regarding the nutritional value of meals given to aged patients in the State's hospitals and State nursing homes?

MISS SIMPSON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (MRS EDMOND)—

With reference to the case of a Kilcoy man (about whom she has received correspondence) who has been waiting for facial surgery since August 1999 to allow him to eat solids again and who in the meantime has a peg in his stomach—

When will this man receive an appointment for surgery which Royal Brisbane Hospital has been unable to give him due to their cutback in services?
TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES
Dr Clark, Mr Kaiser, Mr Mickel, Ms Nelson–Carr, Mr Reeves

PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

LEGAL, CONSTITUTIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mr Fenton (Chairman), Mr Beanland, Ms Boyle, Mrs Gamin, Dr Prentzer, Mr Pitt

Current Inquiries—
• Inquiry into the Review of the Freedom of Information Act 1992 (Qld)
• Issues of Queensland electoral reform
• The role of the Queensland Parliament in treaty making

Reports—
• Annual Report for 1997–98 (Tabled 26 August 1998)
• Report No. 12 – The preservation and enhancement of individuals’ rights and freedoms in Queensland: Should Queensland adopt a bill of rights? (Tabled 18 November 1998)
• Report No. 13 – Consolidation of the Queensland Constitution: Final Report (Tabled 28 April 1999)
• Report No 15 – Report on a study tour of New Zealand regarding freedom of information and other matters (Tabled 20 July 1999)
• Report No. 18 – Issues of electoral reform raised in the Mansfield decision: Regulating how–to–vote cards and providing for appeals from the Court of Disputed Returns (Tabled 17 September 1999)
• Issues Paper – Inquiry into issues of Queensland electoral reform (Tabled 25 November 1999)
• Discussion Paper No. 1 – Freedom of Information in Queensland (Tabled 8 February 2000)
• Report No. 19 – Implications of the new Commonwealth enrolment requirements (Tabled 2 March 2000)

MEMBERS’ ETHICS AND PARLIAMENTARY PRIVILEGES COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mr Mickel (Chairman), Ms Attwood, Mr Nelson, Mr Reeves, Mrs Sheldon, Miss Simpson, Mr Springborg, Mr Wilson

Current Inquiries—
• Parliamentary privilege in Queensland
• Code of Conduct for Members of the Legislative Assembly

Reports—
• Annual Report for 1997–98 (Tabled 18 September 1998)
• Report No. 26 – First report on the powers, rights and immunities of the Legislative Assembly, its staff and members (Tabled 8 January 1999)
• Report No. 34 – Report on relevance of House of Commons / House of Lords Joint Committee’s report on parliamentary privilege (Tabled 2 September 1999)
• Report No. 35 – Report on a matter of privilege – A Member making a deliberately misleading statement in a “Dissenting Report” (Tabled 15 September 1999)
• Report No. 36 – Report on procedures for raising and considering matters of privilege or contempt and the definition of contempt (Tabled 16 September 1999)

PARLIAMENTARY CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mr Lucas (Chairman), Mr Hegarty, Hon. V Lester, Mr Santoro, Ms Struthers, Mr Wilson

Reports—
• Annual Report 1997–98 (Tabled 6 October 1998)
• A report in relation to statements allegedly made by a member of the Parliamentary Criminal Justice Committee, Mr Jack Pafl MLA (Tabled 4 March 1999)
• Report No. 48 – A report on protocols for dealing with misconduct complaints against personnel of the Criminal Justice Commission (Tabled 17 September 1999)
• Report No. 49 – A report on an investigation by the Parliamentary Criminal Justice Commissioner into the alleged unauthorised disclosure of confidential information concerning an investigation by the CJC in respect of Mr Norman Alford (Tabled 28 October 1999)
• Report No. 50 – A report on the introduction of the Telecommunications Interception Power in Queensland – balancing investigative powers with safeguards (Tabled 9 December 1999)
• Report No. 51 – A report on an investigation by the Parliamentary Criminal Justice Commissioner into the alleged unauthorised disclosure of confidential information concerning an investigation of allegations made by Jack Kelvin Pafl MLA (Tabled 13 December 1999)

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PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE—

Members—
Hon. K Hayward (Chairman), Mr Laming, Mr Musgrove, Mr Purcell, Mr Rowell

Current Inquiries—
- Maintenance of the State–controlled road network
- Bentley Park School
- Cairns Seaport Development
- Norman River Bridge
- The Tweed River sand bypassing project
The Gold Coast TAFE building refurbishment

Reports—
- Report No. 49 – Year 2000 Compliance (Tabled 22 July 1999)
- Report No. 50 – Queensland Rail Travel Claims (Tabled 22 July 1999)

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mr Roberts (Chairman), Hon. K Lingard, Mr Laming, Mr Musgrove, Mr Purcell, Mr Rowell

Current Inquiries—
- Inquiry into the Administration of Grants and Subsidies by Queensland Government Departments
- Annual Reporting in the Queensland Public Sector
- Report No. 49 – Year 2000 Compliance (Tabled 22 July 1999)
- Report No. 50 – Queensland Rail Travel Claims (Tabled 22 July 1999)

SCRUTINY OF LEGISLATION COMMITTEE—

Members—
Mrs Lavarch (Chairman), Mrs E Cunningham, Mr Elliott, Dr Kingston, Mrs Miler, Mr Wellington

Reports—
- Alert Digest No. 6 of 1998 (Tabled 25 August 1998)
- Alert Digest No. 7 of 1998 (Tabled 15 September 1998)
- Alert Digest No. 8 of 1998 (Tabled 20 October 1998)
- Alert Digest No. 9 of 1998 (Tabled 10 November 1998)
- Alert Digest No. 10 of 1998 (Tabled 17 November 1998)
- Alert Digest No. 11 of 1998 (Tabled 16 December 1998)
- Alert Digest No. 1 of 1999 (Tabled 2 March 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 2 of 1999 (Tabled 9 March 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 3 of 1999 (Tabled 23 March 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 4 of 1999 (Tabled 13 April 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 5 of 1999 (Tabled 28 April 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 6 of 1999 (Tabled 25 May 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 7 of 1999 (Tabled 8 June 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 8 of 1999 (Tabled 20 July 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 9 of 1999 (Tabled 17 August 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 10 of 1999 (Tabled 24 August 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 11 of 1999 (Tabled 14 September 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 12 of 1999 (Tabled 26 October 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 13 of 1999 (Tabled 9 November 1999)
- Report No. 14 – University Statutes (Tabled 9 November 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 14 of 1999 (Tabled 23 November 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 15 of 1999 (Tabled 1 December 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 16 of 1999 (Tabled 8 December 1999)
- Alert Digest No. 1 of 2000 (Tabled 29 February 2000)
- Alert Digest No. 2 of 2000 (Tabled 14 March 2000)
- Alert Digest No. 3 of 2000 (Tabled 15 March 2000)

SELECT COMMITTEE ON PARLIAMENTARY ENTITLEMENTS—

Members—
Hon. T Mackenroth (Chairman), Mr Speaker, Hon. P Beattie, Hon. R Borbidge, Mrs E Cunningham, Hon. J Elder, Mr Feldman, Dr Watson, Mr Wellington
(Select Committee which reported on terms of reference)

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SELECT COMMITTEE ON TRAVELSAFE—

**Members—**
Mrs J Cunningham (Chairman), Messrs Healy and Hobbs, Ms Nelson-Carr, Mr Stephan, Mr Sullivan

**Current Inquiries—**
- Rural road safety in Queensland
- Public transport in South East Queensland

**Reports—**
- Issues Paper No. 2 – The Road safety Implications of Unlicensed Driving and the Driving of Unregistered Vehicles in Queensland (Tabled 15 September 1998)
- Issues Paper No. 4 – Rural Road Safety in Queensland (Tabled 13 April 1999)
- Report No. 27 – Unlicensed, Unregistered and on the Road (Tabled 22 July 1999)
- Report No. 29 – Drug Driving in Queensland (Tabled 9 November 1999)
- Information Paper No. 1 Inquiry into Public Transport in South East Queensland (Tabled 12 November 1999)
- Report No. 30 – Meeting of Australasian Parliamentary Road Safety Committees and Ministerial Advisors, Brisbane, 13 May 1999 (Tabled 10 December 1999)

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STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE—

**Members—**
Mr Speaker (ex officio Chairman), Hon. R Borbidge, Mr Feldman, Hon. J Fouras, Hon. T Mackenroth, Dr Watson

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Speaker

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The Clerk of the Parliament