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1 MEETING OF THE HOUSE

The House met at 9.30am pursuant to adjournment. The Speaker (Honourable R K Hollis) read prayers.

2 STATEMENT BY SPEAKER – SEVEN-DAY GLOBAL CHALLENGE

Mr Speaker made the following statement—

'I remind all Honourable Members of today's launch of the Seven-Day Global Challenge in the former Legislative Council Chamber at 12.15pm

I join the Premier and Leader of the Opposition in encouraging all Members to support the Challenge and take part in today's launch.'

3 AUDITOR-GENERAL – REPORT

Mr Speaker informed the House that he had received the following report which he tabled—

Auditor-General—

Audit-Report No. 5 1999–2000 – Results of Audits Performed for 1998–99 as at 12 May 2000

4 PETITION

The following petition, lodged with The Clerk by the Member indicated, was received—

Mr Malone, from 200 petitioners, requesting the House to delay passage of the Water (Allocation and Management) Bill until an assessment of the impacts that it will (a) increase the cost of water and undermine the competitiveness of the Queensland sugar industry, (b) allow for vesting of all water in the Crown through the control of overland flows, (c) introduce further fees and allowances and red tape, (d) inflate the cost of water through speculation and severely disadvantage high volume low price commodity enterprises through providing for tradability of water entitlements which do not attach to land are investigated and not until industry is consulted as to these impacts.

5 MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

- (a) Premier (Mr Beattie), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to the Queensland Government's energy policy, "A Cleaner Energy Strategy".
- (b) Premier (Mr Beattie), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to a trade mission to Germany, Ireland and the United Kingdom.
- (c) Deputy Premier and Minister for State Development and Minister for Trade (Mr Elder), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to overseas markets in China.
- (d) Deputy Premier and Minister for State Development and Minister for Trade (Mr Elder), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to the Local Content Policy and construction contracts for the new Tarong and Millmerran power stations.
- (e) Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for The Arts (Mr Foley), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to the Australia Council and The Arts.

Paper: Mr Foley, during his statement, tabled the following paper—

Press release, dated 20 June 2000, by Prime Minister entitled "PM launches strategy to increase involvement in the Arts"

- (f) Minister for Mines and Energy and Minister Assisting the Deputy Premier on Regional Development (Mr McGrady), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to the effect of the GST on electricity and gas prices.
- (g) Minister for Transport and Minister for Main Roads (Mr Bredhauer), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to new anti-speed road safety advertisements.
- (h) Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy and Minister for Women's Policy and Minister for Fair Trading (Ms Spence), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to the effect of the GST on the building industry.

- (i) Minister for Primary Industries and Rural Communities (Mr Palaszczuk), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to an inquiry into the telecommunications industry.
- (j) Minister for Tourism and Racing (Mrs Rose), by leave, made a ministerial statement relating to Australia's Top 10 destinations, four of which are in Queensland.

6 SUSPENSION OF STANDING AND SESSIONAL ORDERS – CHILDREN SERVICES TRIBUNAL BILL AND COMMISSION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE BILL – COGNATE BILLS

Leader of the House (Mr Mackenroth), by leave, moved – That so much of the Standing and Sessional Orders be suspended to enable the Children Services Tribunal Bill and the Commission for Children and Young People Bill to be introduced and passed as cognate Bills for all of their stages—

- (a) one question being put "That leave be granted to bring in the Bills";
- (b) one question being put in regard to the first readings;
- (c) one question being put in regard to the printing of the Bills;
- (d) one question being put in regard to the second readings;
- (e) the consideration of the Bills together in Committee of the Whole House;
- (f) one question being put for the Committee's report stage; and
- (g) one question being put for the third readings and titles.

Question put and agreed to.

7 SUSPENSION OF STANDING AND SESSIONAL ORDERS – ESTIMATES COMMITTEES

Leader of the House (Mr Mackenroth), by leave, moved – That the proposed Sessional Orders for the appointment and conduct of Estimates Committees, as circulated in the Chamber, be agreed to: *viz*:

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE PROCESS 2000

Appropriation (Parliament) Bill and Appropriation Bill

1. That notwithstanding anything contained in the Standing Rules and Orders and Sessional Orders—
 - (1) the Budget Estimates for the 2000–2001 financial year for the purpose of debate in the Legislative Assembly shall be in the form of an Appropriation Bill and an Appropriation (Parliament) Bill;
 - (2) the Appropriation Bills be introduced on Tuesday, 18 July 2000 and, following the Minister's second reading speech on each Bill, the second reading debate on the Appropriation Bills be resumed on Thursday, 20 July 2000; and
 - (3) the Appropriation Bills be treated as cognate Bills for their following stages—
 - (a) one question being put in regard to the second reading;
 - (b) the consideration of the Bills together in Committee of the Whole House;
 - (c) one question being put for the Committee's report stage; and
 - (d) one question being put for the third reading and titles.

Appointment of Committees

2. The following estimates committees are appointed—
 - Estimates Committee A
 - Estimates Committee B
 - Estimates Committee C
 - Estimates Committee D
 - Estimates Committee E
 - Estimates Committee F
 - Estimates Committee G

Role of Committees

3. (1) The proposed expenditures stated in the Appropriation Bill and Appropriation (Parliament) Bill are referred to the estimates committees immediately after each of the Bills has been read a second time.
- (2) Estimates Committees A to D are to examine and report by no later than Monday 21 August 2000 on the proposed expenditures for the organisational units allocated to them.
- (3) Estimates Committees E to G are to examine and report by no later than Tuesday 22 August 2000 on the proposed expenditures for the organisational units allocated to them.

Estimates Committee A

4. Organisational units within the portfolios of the following Ministers are allocated to Estimates Committee A—
 - Minister for Primary Industries and Rural Communities
 - Minister for Families, Youth and Community Care and Minister for Disability Services
 - Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy and Minister for Women's Policy and Minister for Fair Trading

Estimates Committee B

5. Organisational units within the portfolios of the following Ministers are allocated to Estimates Committee B—
 - Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for The Arts
 - Minister for Police and Corrective Services
 - Minister for Emergency Services

Estimates Committee C

6. Organisational units within the portfolios of the following Ministers are allocated to Estimates Committee C—
 - Minister for Public Works and Minister for Housing
 - Minister for Transport and Minister for Main Roads

Estimates Committee D

7. Organisational units within the portfolios of the following Ministers are allocated to Estimates Committee D—
 - Minister for Health
 - Minister for Education

Estimates Committee E

8. The following organisational units are allocated to Estimates Committee E—
 - Office of the Governor
 - Legislative Assembly
 - Queensland Audit Office
 - Parliamentary Commissioner for Administrative Investigations
 - Criminal Justice Commission
 - Department of the Premier and Cabinet
 - Department of State Development
 - Treasury Department
 - Any other organisational units within the portfolios of the Premier, the Deputy Premier and Minister for State Development and Minister for Trade and the Treasurer

Estimates Committee F

9. Organisational units within the portfolios of the following Ministers are allocated to Estimates Committee F—
 - Minister for Employment, Training and Industrial Relations
 - Minister for Mines and Energy and Minister Assisting the Deputy Premier on Regional Development

Estimates Committee G

10. Organisational units within the portfolios of the following Ministers are allocated to Estimates Committee G—
- Minister for Communication and Information, Local Government and Planning and Minister for Sport
 - Minister for Tourism and Racing
 - Minister for Environment and Heritage and Minister for Natural Resources

Government Owned Corporations

- 11.(1) A reference to the organisational units within the portfolio of a Minister is deemed to include Government Owned Corporations reporting to the Minister.
- (2) In respect of Government Owned Corporations, a member of a committee may ask any question which the committee determines will assist it in its examination of the relevant Appropriation Bill or otherwise assist the committee determine whether public funds are being efficiently spent or appropriate public guarantees are being provided.

Membership of Committees

- 12.(1) Each estimates committee consists of six Members of whom three are to be nominated by the Leader of the House and three by the Leader of the Opposition. For the purpose of these Sessional Orders, those Members nominated by the Leader of the House are called Government Members and those Members nominated by the Leader of the Opposition are called Non–Government Members.
- (2) The chair of each committee is to be a Government Member nominated by the Leader of the House.
- (3) The committee is to elect a deputy chair, who is a Non–Government Member.

Dates for Hearings

13. The estimates committees are to meet to hear evidence in accordance with the following schedule—
- Estimates Committee A – Tuesday 1 August 2000
 - Estimates Committee B – Wednesday 2 August 2000
 - Estimates Committee C – Thursday 3 August 2000
 - Estimates Committee D – Friday 4 August 2000
 - Estimates Committee E – Tuesday 8 August 2000
 - Estimates Committee F – Wednesday 9 August 2000
 - Estimates Committee G – Thursday 10 August 2000

Committee Membership

14. Members be appointed to estimates committees as follows—
- Estimates Committee A—
Ms Nelson–Carr (Chair), Messrs Beanland, Goss, Musgrove, Rowell and Wellington
 - Estimates Committee B—
Mr Purcell (Chair), Mr Horan, Mrs Lavarch, Mr Malone, Mrs Miller, and Mr Springborg
 - Estimates Committee C—
Mrs Attwood (Chair), Messrs Dalglish, Johnson, Laming, Lucas and Mickel
 - Estimates Committee D—
Ms Struthers (Chair), Messrs Feldman, Fenlon and Quinn, Miss Simpson and Mr Sullivan
 - Estimates Committee E—
Ms Boyle (Chair), Hon. R Borbidge, Mrs J Cunningham, Messrs Kaiser and Slack and Dr Watson
 - Estimates Committee F—
Mr Mulherin (Chair), Mrs E Cunningham, Messrs Roberts and Seeney, Mrs Sheldon and Mr Wilson
 - Estimates Committee G—
Mr Reeves (Chair), Messrs Healy and Hobbs, Hon. V Lester, Messrs Pearce and Pitt

Illness or inability to attend

- 15.(1) In the case of illness or inability to attend by a member of an estimates committee, where the member is a Government Member, the Leader of the House may appoint another Member to attend that committee and where the member is a Non-Government Member, the Leader of the Opposition may appoint another Member to attend that committee.
- (2) Where a Member is appointed in accordance with (1) above, that Member has all the rights of the Member replaced.
- (3) Where the member of the committee who is replaced is the chair, the Leader of the House may appoint another Member to be chair.

When committees may meet

- 16.(1) Estimates committees may meet whether the House is sitting or adjourned.
- (2) Where a committee meets whilst the House is sitting, the meeting of the committee must take place within the parliamentary precinct.

Open hearings

17. Hearings of an estimates committee are open to the public unless the committee otherwise orders.

Presiding Member

- 18.(1) The chair of an estimates committee presides at all committee proceedings at which the chair is present.
- (2) If the chair is not present at a committee proceeding and the Leader of the House has not appointed another person to be chair, the committee's deputy chair presides.
- (3) If both the chair and deputy chair of a committee are not present at a committee proceeding, the committee member chosen by the committee members present at the proceeding presides.

Quorum and voting at proceedings

19. At a proceeding of an estimates committee—
 - (a) four committee members form a quorum;
 - (b) a question is decided by a majority of the votes of the committee members present and voting; and
 - (c) each committee member present has a vote on each question to be decided and, if the votes are equal, the presiding member also has a casting vote.

Sub-committees

20. Estimates committees may not delegate any of their powers to sub-committees.

Opening hearing procedure

- 21.(1) In an estimates committee hearing about proposed expenditure—
 - (a) the presiding member is to call over the estimates about the proposed expenditure and declare the proposed expenditure open for examination; and
 - (b) the presiding member is to put the question 'That the proposed expenditure be agreed to'.
- (2) Unless the committee determines otherwise, the Minister or Mr Speaker may make an opening statement lasting up to five minutes. This may be extended with the committee's leave.

General hearing procedure – organisational unit other than Legislative Assembly

22. In an estimates committee hearing about proposed expenditure for an organisational unit other than the Legislative Assembly—
 - (a) the responsible Minister is to be present at all times and may have advisers present to assist;

- (b) a committee member may ask the Minister questions;
- (c) a Member who is not a member of the estimates committee may, with the committee's leave, ask the Minister questions;
- (d) advisers may answer questions referred to them by the Minister; and
- (e) subject to the above provisions, a Member may ask any question which the committee determines will assist it in its examination of the Appropriation Bill .

General hearing procedure – Legislative Assembly

23. In an estimates committee hearing about proposed expenditure for the Legislative Assembly—
- (a) Mr Speaker is to be present at all times and may have advisers present to assist him; and
 - (b) a committee member may ask Mr Speaker questions; and
 - (c) a Member who is not a committee member may, with the committee's leave, ask Mr Speaker questions; and
 - (d) advisers may answer questions referred them by Mr Speaker; and
 - (e) subject to the above provisions, a Member may ask any question which the committee determines will assist it in its examination of the Appropriation (Parliament) Bill.

Notice of examination in detail

- 24.(1) A committee may advise a Minister or Mr Speaker prior to the hearing of its intention to examine a proposed expenditure in detail.
- (2) In response to notice of the type expressed in (1) above, the Minister or Mr Speaker should ensure that appropriate advisers are available to assist the Minister or Mr Speaker to answer committee questions.
 - (3) It is a matter for the Minister or Mr Speaker as to which advisers attend the hearing.

Time for questions and answers in a hearing

25. In an estimates committee hearing—
- (a) questions must be no longer than one minute;
 - (b) unless the member asking the question otherwise agrees, answers must be no longer than three minutes;
 - (c) where a member agrees to an extension of time for an answer in accordance with (b) above, further extensions of time must be agreed to by the presiding member after every interval of two minutes has elapsed;
 - (d) the presiding member is to ensure the fair allocation of time available for questions and answers and ensure that at least half the time available for questions and answers in respect of each organisational unit is allocated to Non–Government members; and
 - (e) any time expended when committees deliberate in private is to be equally apportioned between Government and Non–Government Members.

Questions on notice prior to the hearings

- 26.(1) Members of an estimates committee may, at a reasonable time prior to public hearings, put a combined total of twenty questions on notice to each Minister and to Mr Speaker; and
- (2) Of the questions referred to in (1) above, at least ten questions are to be allocated to non–Government members.
 - (3) The Minister or Mr Speaker shall provide answers to the questions referred to in (1) above, at least twenty–four hours prior to the hearing.

- (4) The chair shall ensure that the questions referred to in (1) above, do not place unreasonably onerous research requirements on an organisational unit and are not unnecessarily complex.
- (5) Each question referred to in (1) above, is not to contain sub-parts or to in effect ask more than one question.
- (6) The Minister or Mr Speaker may refuse to answer questions which place unreasonable research requirements on their portfolios or are unnecessarily complex.
- (7) All answers to questions on notice shall be in writing unless the committee otherwise allows.

Questions taken on notice at the hearing and additional information

- 27.(1) A Minister or Mr Speaker may, at their discretion, tell an estimates committee at the hearing that an answer to a question, or part of a question, asked of them will be provided later to the committee.
- (2) A Minister or Mr Speaker, at their discretion, may also give the committee additional information about an answer given by them or on their behalf.
- (3) The answer or additional information—
 - (a) is to be written;
 - (b) is to be given by a time decided by the committee;
 - (c) is taken to be part of the proceedings of the Parliament;
 - (d) may be included in a volume of additional information to be laid on the Table of the House by the committee; and
 - (e) may be authorised for publication by the committee prior to the material being tabled in the House.
- (4) A Minister or Mr Speaker may decline to answer a question in which case the committee may report that fact in its report.

Availability of Hansard and tabled documents

- 28.(1) The Chief Hansard Reporter is authorised to release the *Hansard* of a committee hearing as it becomes available, subject to any other express direction of the committee.
- (2) Any document tabled at the hearing, by the leave of the committee, is deemed to be authorised for release by the committee unless the committee expressly orders otherwise.

Power of the chair to order withdrawal of a disorderly Member

- 29.(1) At an estimates committee hearing, the chair may, after a warning, order any Member whose conduct in their opinion continues to be grossly disorderly or disruptive to withdraw for a stated period.
- (2) A Member ordered to withdraw in accordance with (1) above shall immediately withdraw for the stated period.

Committee hearing – sitting times

- 30. Estimates committee hearings are to be held within the times 8.30am and 7.30pm on the day or days allocated. However, a committee shall hold no more than a total of nine hours of hearings.

Estimates committee must report

- 31.(1) An estimates committee must make a report at the end of its deliberations.
- (2) However, Estimates Committee E must make two reports, that is, one for the Legislative Assembly and another for the other organisational units allocated to it.
- (3) Reports by all estimates committees may be bound and published in one or more volumes.

Content of report

- 32.(1) An estimates committee's report must state whether the proposed expenditures referred to it are agreed to.
- (2) A reservation or dissenting report by a committee member may be added to the committee's report after it is adopted by the committee.

Effect of failure to report

33. If an estimates committee does not report on all of the proposed expenditures referred to it, the committee is taken to have made a report agreeing to the proposed expenditures that it does not report on.

Tabling and consideration of reports – Appropriation Bill

- 34.(1) The chair of each estimates committee must lay their committee's report on the proposed expenditures stated in the Appropriation Bill on the Table of the House together with the minutes of their committee's meetings and any other additional information which the committee agrees to table.
- (2) To remove any doubt, it is declared that the chair of each estimates committee is deemed to have satisfied the requirements of (1) if they present the committee's report, minutes and any other additional information with The Clerk when the House is not sitting in accordance with Standing Order 201 and the report is deemed to have been tabled on the date it is presented to The Clerk.
- (3) The report is to be received by the Legislative Assembly without debate and its consideration deferred until the consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole House.
- (4) One whole sitting day must elapse between the committee's report being tabled and its consideration in Committee of the Whole House.
- (5) The Committee of the Whole House must complete the consideration of the reports by no later than Thursday, 24 August 2000.

Tabling and consideration of report – Appropriation (Parliament) Bill

- 35.(1) The chair of Estimates Committee E must lay the committee's report on the proposed expenditures stated in the Appropriation (Parliament) Bill on the Table of the House.
- (2) To remove any doubt, it is declared that the chair of Estimates Committee E is deemed to have satisfied the requirements of (1) if the chair presents the committee's report, minutes and any other additional information with The Clerk when the House is not sitting in accordance with Standing Order 201 and the report is deemed to have been tabled on the date it is presented to The Clerk.
- (3) The report is to be received by the Legislative Assembly without debate and its consideration deferred until the consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole House.
- (4) One whole sitting day must elapse between the committee's report being tabled and its consideration in Committee of the Whole House.
- (5) The Committee of the Whole House must complete the consideration of the report by no later than Thursday, 24 August 2000.

Effect of consideration in Committee of the Whole House

36. Consideration of an estimates committee's report in Committee of the Whole House is taken to be consideration of the provisions of the Appropriation Bill or Appropriation (Parliament) Bill so far as the provisions authorise the proposed expenditures referred to the estimates committee.

Procedure in Committee of the Whole House

37. In Committee of the Whole House, for each estimates committee—
 - (a) the Chairman of Committees must put the question 'That the report of <name of committee> be adopted';
 - (b) a Member may speak for no longer than five minutes on the question;

- (c) in reply to the debate each responsible Minister may speak for no longer than five minutes; and
- (d) the debate is to continue for no longer than sixty minutes.

Receipt of material by nominated officers of the Leader of the House and Leader of the Opposition

38. Unless a committee otherwise expressly orders, or a Minister or Mr Speaker has requested confidentiality, its research director is authorised to release copies of the following documents as they become available to an officer from the offices of the Leader of the House and Leader of the Opposition—

- the committee's pre-hearing questions on notice;
- questions taken on notice by Ministers or Mr Speaker during its hearing;
- responses from Ministers or Mr Speaker to the committee's pre-hearing questions on notice and questions taken on notice during its hearing; and
- additional information provided by Ministers or Mr Speaker to supplement answers given by them, or on their behalf, at the committee's hearing.

Application of Standing Rules and Orders and practice

39.(1) The Standing Rules and Orders, Sessional Orders, other orders and practice of the Legislative Assembly also apply to estimates committees and to Committee of the Whole House acting under these orders.

(2) However, if there is an inconsistency on some matter, these orders prevail.

Question put and agreed to.

8 NOTICE OF MOTION

9 PRIVATE MEMBERS' STATEMENTS

Private Members' statements were made.

Papers: Mr Feldman, during his statement, tabled the following papers—
Various items of correspondence and press clippings relating to regional dental health

Statements continued.

Statements concluded.

10 STATEMENT BY SPEAKER – SYMPATHY EXPRESSED TO MEMBER FOR KEPPEL

Mr Speaker made the following statement—

'Before commencing Question Time, I wish to extend the sympathies of all Honourable Members of this House to the Member for Keppel and his family on the passing of his mother last evening.'

11 QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE

Questions without notice were asked.

12 STATEMENT BY SPEAKER – NOTICE OF MOTION RULED OUT OF ORDER

Mr Speaker made the following statement—

'I refer to the Notice of Motion given by the Member for Burdekin this morning.

I understand that the Ministerial Direction the subject of the motion will lapse if the Sugar Industry Amendment Bill is passed.

Therefore, I consider that the motion is anticipating debate on that Bill and accordingly I rule that the motion is out of order.'

13 NOTICE OF MOTION

14 WITNESS PROTECTION BILL

Premier (Mr Beattie), by leave, moved – That leave be granted to bring in a Bill for an Act about witness protection in Queensland, and for other purposes.

Question put and agreed to.

Bill and Explanatory Notes presented by Mr Beattie, Bill read a first time and *ordered* to be printed.

Mr Beattie moved – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Mr Beanland moved – That the debate be now adjourned.

Question put and agreed to.

Ordered – That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for tomorrow.

15 JUSTICE AND OTHER LEGISLATION (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) BILL

Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for The Arts (Mr Foley), by leave, moved – That leave be granted to bring in a Bill for an Act to make various amendments to legislation administered by the Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for the Arts, and for other purposes.

Question put and agreed to.

Bill and Explanatory Notes presented by Mr Foley, Bill read a first time and *ordered* to be printed.

Mr Foley moved – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Mr Springborg moved – That the debate be now adjourned.

Question put and agreed to.

Ordered – That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for tomorrow.

16 CHILDREN SERVICES TRIBUNAL BILL AND COMMISSION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE BILL

Minister for Families, Youth and Community Care and Minister for Disability Services (Ms Bligh), by leave, moved – That leave be granted to bring in a Bill for an Act to establish the Children Services Tribunal, to provide for the review by the tribunal of certain decisions about services for children, and for other purposes and a Bill for an Act to establish a Commission for Children and Young People to promote and protect the rights, interests and wellbeing of children in Queensland.

Question put and agreed to.

Bills and Explanatory Notes presented by Ms Bligh, Bills read a first time and *ordered* to be printed.

Ms Bligh moved – That the Bills be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Mr Beanland moved – That the debate be now adjourned.

Question put and agreed to.

Ordered – That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for tomorrow.

17 NATURE CONSERVATION AND OTHER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL

Minister for Environment and Heritage and Minister for Natural Resources (Mr Welford), by leave, moved – That leave be granted to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the *Nature Conservation Act 1992*, and for other purposes.

Question put and agreed to.

Bill and Explanatory Notes presented by Mr Welford, Bill read a first time and *ordered* to be printed.

Mr Welford moved – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Mr Lester moved – That the debate be now adjourned.

Question put and agreed to.

Ordered – That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for tomorrow.

18 WATER BILL

Minister for Environment and Heritage and Minister for Natural Resources (Mr Welford), by leave, moved – That leave be granted to bring in a Bill for an Act to provide for the sustainable management of water and other resources, a regulatory framework for

providing water and sewerage services and the establishment and operation of water authorities, and for other purposes.

Question put and agreed to.

Bill and Explanatory Notes presented by Mr Welford, Bill read a first time and *ordered* to be printed.

Mr Welford moved – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Mr Lester moved – That the debate be now adjourned.

Question put and agreed to.

Ordered – That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for tomorrow.

19 DANGEROUS GOODS SAFETY MANAGEMENT BILL

Minister for Emergency Services (Mr Robertson), by leave, moved – That leave be granted to bring in a Bill for an Act about the safe management in Queensland of the storage and handling of hazardous materials, particularly dangerous goods and combustible liquids, and the management of major hazard facilities and emergencies involving hazardous materials, and for other purposes.

Question put and agreed to.

Message: The following message from His Excellency the Governor was received and read—

"MESSAGE DANGEROUS GOODS SAFETY MANAGEMENT BILL *Constitution Act 1867, section 18*

I, MAJOR GENERAL PETER ARNISON, Governor, recommend to the Legislative Assembly a Bill for the appropriation of the consolidated fund that is intituled—

A Bill for an Act about the safe management in Queensland of the storage and handling of hazardous materials, particularly dangerous goods and combustible liquids, and the management of major hazard facilities and emergencies involving hazardous materials, and for other purposes.

Peter Arnison
GOVERNOR

15 June 2000"

Bill and Explanatory Notes presented by Mr Robertson, Bill read a first time and *ordered* to be printed.

Mr Robertson moved – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Mr Malone moved – That the debate be now adjourned.

Question put and agreed to.

Ordered – That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for tomorrow.

20 SUGAR INDUSTRY AMENDMENT BILL

Order of the day read for the adjourned debate on the motion of the Minister for Primary Industries and Rural Communities (Mr Palaszczuk) – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate resumed.

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Bill committed on the motion of Mr Palaszczuk.

In Committee

Clauses 1 to 3 agreed to.

New Clause 3A—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 8, after line 17—

insert—

'Amendment of s 41 (Collective agreement—before the start of negotiations)

'3A.(1) Section 41(1)—

insert—

‘(e) the day before which notices in relation to individual agreements are required to be given to the mill suppliers’ committee for the purposes of section 47(2) and (2A).’.

‘(2) Section 41(4)—

omit, insert—

‘(4) However, the negotiating team may, without giving public notice, have preliminary discussions to decide the matters mentioned in subsections (1)(d) and (e).’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk’s amendment be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clause 4 (*Amendment of s 47 (Individual agreement entered by grower with mill owner)*)—

The following amendments were proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 8, lines 20 to 22—

omit, insert—

‘4.(1) Section 47(2)—

omit, insert—

‘(2) A grower must give notice, as required under subsections (2A) to (2C), to the mill suppliers’ committee before a collective agreement is made for the mill, if the grower—

- (a) has entered into an individual agreement with the mill owner for all or part of any period to which the collective agreement will apply; or
- (b) has entered into an agreement, arrangement or understanding, written or unwritten, with the mill owner to enter an individual agreement with the mill owner for all or part of any period to which the collective agreement will apply (a “prearrangement”).

‘(2A) Notice must be given as follows—

- (a) for a prearrangement entered into before the committee started negotiating the collective agreement (the “start”) if the relevant individual agreement was not entered into before the start—within 14 days after the prearrangement was entered into;
- (b) for an individual agreement entered into before the start—within 14 days after the individual agreement was entered into;
- (c) for a prearrangement entered into after the start and before the collective agreement is made—the earlier of the following—
 - (i) the end of 5 days after the prearrangement was entered into;
 - (ii) the day mentioned in the notice published under section 41(1)(e) for the collective agreement (the “published day”);
- (d) for an individual agreement entered into after the start and before the collective agreement is made—the earlier of the following—
 - (i) the end of 5 days after the individual agreement was entered into;
 - (ii) the published day.

‘(2B) Notice must be given in relation to an individual agreement as required under subsection (2A)(b), (c) or (d) even if notice in relation to the agreement has already been given under any paragraph of the subsection.’.

Page 9, line 1, ‘(2A)’—

omit, insert—

‘(2C)’.

At page 9, lines 12 to 14—

omit, insert—

‘(5) Section 47(7), after ‘notice of an individual agreement’—

insert—

‘, including a prearrangement relating to it’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk’s amendments be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clause 4, as amended, agreed to.

New Clauses 4A to 4C—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Rowell—

At page 9, after line 14—

insert—

‘**Amendment of s 50 (Cane required to be accepted by a mill)**

‘4A. Section 50(2)(d)—

omit.

'Replacement of s 79 (Closure)

'4B.Section 79—

omit, insert—

'Closure

'79.(1) To close a mill, the mill owner must apply to the Commissioner for permission to do so.

'(2) The application must be made—

- (a) before 31 December immediately before the start of the final crushing season; or
- (b) before a later day allowed by the commissioner at any time.

'(3) When the application is made, the mill owner must immediately give notice of the application to—

- (a) each grower whose cane production area relates to the mill (an **"affected grower"**); and
- (b) the owner of each adjacent mill.

'(4) In deciding whether to grant permission, the commissioner must have regard to the impact of closure on affected growers, including any adverse economic effect on the growers because of the necessity to transport their cane with reasonable efficiency to another mill.

'(5) If the mill owner closes the mill without the commissioner's permission, the owner is liable for any loss suffered by the affected growers because the mill is closed during the first crushing season after the closure.

'(6) The liability of the mill owner under subsection (5) is subject to any agreement between the owner and the affected growers.

'Amendment of s 81 (Abolition of relevant industry bodies)

'4C. Section 81—

insert—

'(3) The closure of the closed mill does not affect the continued operation of the mill suppliers' committee so far as it is necessary to perform functions in relation to representing the interests of growers, including in relation to moving cane supply from the closed mill to another mill.'

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Rowell's amendment be agreed to – put and negatived.

New Clauses 4A and 4B—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 9, after line 14—

insert—

'Insertion of new ch 2, pt 5, div 1A

'4A. After section 75—

insert—

'Division 1A—Merging of mills

'Declaration of day a merged mill is recognised

'75A.(1) This section applies if works that are more than 1 existing mill become a single mill (the **"merged mill"**) under an arrangement between—

- (a) 1 or more owners of more than 1 existing mill (the **"existing mills"**); and
- (b) the mill suppliers' committees established for the existing mills.

'(2) The merged mill is established as a single mill for the purposes of this Act from the day the gazette notice mentioned in subsection (4) is published.

'(3) For the purposes of the gazette notice, the parties to the arrangement mentioned in subsection (1) must give notice of the arrangement to the Minister.

'(4) After receiving the notice, the Minister must publish a gazette notice declaring the merged mill to be a mill for the purposes of this Act.

'Effect of merger on cane production areas

'75B. From the establishment of existing mills as a merged mill, cane production areas that immediately before the establishment related to the existing mills become related to the merged mill.'

'Insertion of new s 80A

'4B. After section 80—

insert—

'Continuation of mill suppliers' committee for particular purpose

'80A.(1) On the closure of the closed mill, the mill suppliers' committee continues to exist as provided for under subsections (2) to (4).

'(2) Persons entitled to establish the committee from time to time are the persons (the "**previous growers**") who held cane production areas—

- (a) that related to the closed mill before it closed; and
- (b) that included land from which cane is currently not being supplied to another mill under a cane production area relating to the other mill.

'(3) For subsection (2), it is sufficient if the committee is established from time to time in a way the committee considers practicable to meet the requirements of the subsection.

'(4) The function of the committee is to help the previous growers in their negotiations to obtain the grant of cane production areas relating to another mill for all or part of the land that was included in their cane production areas relating to the closed mill.

'(5) The function under subsection (4) includes helping the previous growers to negotiate arrangements for the transport of cane.

'(6) In this section—

"another mill" means—

- (a) a mill other than the closed mill; or
- (b) the closed mill subsequently reopened under a new owner.'.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendment be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clauses 5 to 8 agreed to.

Clause 9 (*Insertion of new ch 4, pts 2A and 2B*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Rowell—

At page 15, lines 14 to 25, page 16, lines 1 to 27, page 17, lines 1 to 31, page 18, lines 1 to 27—

omit, insert—

'128J. The authority consists of the commissioner.'.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Rowell's amendment be agreed to – put and negated.

Clause 9, as read, agreed to.

Clause 10 agreed to.

New Clauses 10A and 10B—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 22, after line 11—

insert—

'Amendment of s 160 (Amalgamation)

'10A.(1) Section 160(1), 'if a single negotiating team is established for the mills'—

omit, insert—

'if—

- (a) a single negotiating team is established for the mills; or
- (b) the mills merge into a single mill (the "**merged mill**").

'(2) Section 160(2)(b), after 'were established'—

insert—

',' or the merged mill'.

'Amendment of s 161 (Other effects of amalgamation)

'10B.(1) Section 161(8), after 'is established'—

insert—

'or the merged mill'.

'(2) Section 161(9), 'mentioned in section 160(1)'—

omit, insert—

'established for the mill or mills for which the new board is established'

'(3) Section 161(9)(a), after 'for the mills'—

insert—

'or for the merged mill'

'(4) Section 161(9)(b), after 'for the mills'—

insert—

'or for the merged mill'.'.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendment be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clause 11 agreed to.

Clause 12 (*Insertion of new ch 4, pt 5A*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Rowell—

At page 28, after line 7—

insert—

‘Transfer exempt from stamp duty

‘183KA. An instrument or transaction giving effect to the transfer of the board’s assets to the replacement corporation is exempt from stamp duty under the *Stamp Act 1894*.’.

Debate ensued.

Question put – That Mr Rowell’s amendment be agreed to.

The Committee divided.

AYES, 32

Beanland	Feldman	Laming	Rowell	Turner
Black	Healy	Lingard	Santoro	Veivers
Borbidge	Hegarty*	Malone	Seeney	Watson
Cunningham, E	Hobbs	Mitchell	Simpson	Wellington
Dalgleish	Horan	Paff	Slack	
Davidson	Kingston	Prenzler	Springborg	
Elliott	Knuth	Quinn	Stephan*	

NOES, 38

Attwood	Clark	Lavarch	Pearce	Schwarten
Barton	Edmond	Mackenroth	Pitt	Spence
Beattie	Elder	Miller	Purcell*	Struthers
Bligh	Foley	Mulherin	Reeves	Sullivan*
Boyle	Fouras	Musgrove	Reynolds	Welford
Braddy	Hamill	Nelson–Carr	Roberts	Wells
Bredhauer	Hayward	Nuttall	Robertson	
Briskey	Hollis	Palaszczuk	Rose	

Pairs – Messrs Baumann, Connor, Goss, Grice, Johnson and Lester (AYES) and Mrs J Cunningham, Messrs Fenlon, Lucas, McGrady, Mickel and Wilson (NOES)

**Tellers*

Question negated.

Clause 12, as read, agreed to.

Clauses 13 and 14 agreed to.

Clause 15 (*Insertion of new s 227A and chs 7A and 7B*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Rowell—

At page 34, after line 29—

insert—

‘Transfer exempt from stamp duty

‘228HA. An instrument or transaction giving effect to the transfer of the transferable BST assets to the corporation is exempt from stamp duty under the *Stamp Act 1894*.’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Rowell’s amendment be agreed to – put and negated.

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Rowell—

At page 37, after line 24—

insert—

‘Transfer exempt from stamp duty

‘228OA. An instrument or transaction giving effect to the transfer of the BST assets to STL is exempt from stamp duty under the *Stamp Act 1894*.’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Rowell’s amendment be agreed to – put and negated.

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Rowell—

At page 47, after line 5—

insert—

‘Transfer exempt from stamp duty

‘229FA. An instrument or transaction giving effect to the transfer of the corporation’s marketing assets to QSL is exempt from stamp duty under the *Stamp Act 1894*.’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Rowell’s amendment be agreed to – put and negated.

The following amendments were proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

New Clause 229I—

At page 48, lines 4 to 6—

omit, insert—

'229I.(1) Each person who, immediately before the commencement of this section, was a member of the board of directors of the corporation goes out of office on the commencement.'

New Clause 229J—

At page 48, lines 9 and 10—

omit, insert—

'229J.(1) A person employed by the corporation immediately before the commencement of this section becomes an employee of QSL on the commencement.'

At page 48, line 22, 'QSL day'—

omit, insert—

'the commencement of this section'.

At page 48, line 24, 'QSL day'—

omit, insert—

'the commencement of this section'.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendments be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clause 15, as amended, agreed to.

Clause 16 (*Amendment of ch 8 (Amendments, repeals and transitional provisions)*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 52, line 27, 'be, and to always have been'—

omit, insert—

'include, and to always have included'.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendment be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clause 16, as amended, agreed to.

Clause 17 (*Amendment of sch 2 (Dictionary)*)—

The following amendments were proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 55, after line 6—

insert—

' **"industrial association"** means an industrial association as defined in the *Industrial Relations Act 1999*, section 102.'

At page 55, after line 16—

insert—

'(aa) if—

(i) more than 1 mill has merged into a single mill; and

(ii) after the merger, the mill suppliers' committees established for the merging mills before the merger (the **"previous committees"**) continue to operate; the committee consisting of the previous committees acting jointly; or'.

At page 55, line 20, 'established for'—

omit, insert—

'or (aa) established for, or relating to,'.

Debate ensued.

Question put – That the question be put.

The Committee divided.

AYES, 39

Attwood
Barton
Beattie
Bligh
Boyle
Braddy
Bredhauer
Briskey

Clark
Edmond
Elder
Foley
Fournas
Hamill
Hayward
Hollis

Kaiser
Lavarch
Mackenroth
Miller
Mulherin
Musgrove
Nelson—Carr
Nuttall

Palaszczuk
Pearce
Pitt
Purcell*
Reynolds
Roberts
Robertson
Rose

Schwarten
Spence
Struthers
Sullivan*
Welford
Wellington
Wells

NOES, 31

Beanland
Black
Borbridge
Cunningham, E
Dalglish
Davidson
Elliott

Feldman
Healy
Hegarty*
Hobbs
Horan
Kingston
Knuth

Laming
Lingard
Malone
Mitchell
Paff
Prenzler
Quinn

Rowell
Santoro
Seeney
Simpson
Slack
Springborg
Stephan*

Turner
Veivers
Watson

Pairs – Mrs J Cunningham, Messrs Fenlon, Lucas, McGrady, Mickel and Wilson (AYES) and
Messrs Baumann, Connor, Goss, Grice, Johnson and Lester (NOES)

*Tellers

Question agreed to.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendments be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clause 17, as amended, agreed to.

Schedules 1 and 2 agreed to.

Schedule 3 (*AMENDMENT OF PRIMARY INDUSTRY BODIES REFORM ACT 1999*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 64, lines 11 to 17—

omit, insert—

'3. Section 45(1)(a), after 'liability'—

insert—

' , including, for example, to an agent or employee of the body'.

'4. After section 51—

insert—

'Reimbursement of employment liabilities from trust property

'51A.(1) This section applies if—

- (a) under section 51, a person becomes an employee of the replacement corporation; and
- (b) the former employer mentioned in section 51 was a secondary body of the Queensland Cane Growers' Organisation.

'(2) The person is taken to be, and to have been, employed by the replacement corporation as trustee in relation to the trust created under section 44 for the secondary body's assets until—

- (a) the replacement corporation decides otherwise; or
- (b) the employment is terminated; or
- (c) the replacement corporation ceases to be the trustee of the trust; or
- (d) the trust is terminated.

'(3) The *Trusts Act 1973*, section 72,¹ applies to the property subject to the trust from time to time for any liability of the replacement corporation in relation to the employment.'.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendment be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Schedule 3, as amended, agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

In the House

Bill reported with amendments.

Ordered – That the Bill, as amended, be taken into consideration.

Mr Palaszczuk, by leave, moved – That the Bill be now read a third time.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Title agreed to.

21 PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND NATURAL RESOURCES LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL

Order of the day read for the adjourned debate on the motion of the Minister for Primary Industries and Rural Communities (Mr Palaszczuk) – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate resumed.

¹ *Trusts Act 1973*, section 72 (Reimbursement of trustee out of trust property)

Papers: Mr Laming, during his speech, tabled the following papers—
Various letters and papers regarding Access Queensland Pty Ltd

Debate continued.

Debate adjourned on the motion of Mr Seeney.

Ordered – That the resumption of the debate be made an order of the day for tomorrow.

22 NOTICE OF MOTION – INJECTING ROOMS

Miss Simpson, pursuant to notice, moved – That this House opposes the introduction of injecting rooms for administering illicit drugs in Queensland.

Debate ensued.

The following amendment was proposed by Premier (Mr Beattie)—

Delete all words after 'Queensland' and insert the following—

'until proposed trials in New South Wales, Victoria and the Australian Capital Territory are completed and have proven their success and enjoy widespread public support.'

Debate ensued.

Question put – That Mr Beattie's amendment be agreed to.

The House divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood	Clark	Hayward	Nelson–Carr	Rose
Barton	Cunningham, J	Kaiser	Nuttall	Schwarten
Beattie	Edmond	Lavarch	Palaszczuk	Spence
Bligh	Elder	Lucas	Pitt	Struthers
Boyle	Fenlon	Mackenroth	Purcell*	Sullivan*
Braddy	Foley	Miller	Reeves	Welford
Bredhauer	Fouras	Mulherin	Roberts	Wells
Briskey	Hamill	Musgrove	Robertson	Wilson

NOES, 34

Baumann	Davidson	Kingston	Prenzler	Springborg
Beanland	Elliott	Knuth	Quinn	Stephan*
Black	Feldman	Laming	Rowell	Turner
Borbidge	Healy	Lingard	Santoro	Veivers
Connor	Hegarty*	Malone	Seeney	Watson
Cunningham, E	Hobbs	Mitchell	Simpson	Wellington
Dalglish	Horan	Paff	Slack	

Pairs – Messrs McGrady, Mickel, Pearce and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice, Johnson and Lester (NOES)

**Tellers*

Question agreed to.

Question put – That the motion, as amended, be agreed to.

The House divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood	Clark	Hayward	Nelson–Carr	Rose
Barton	Cunningham, J	Kaiser	Nuttall	Schwarten
Beattie	Edmond	Lavarch	Palaszczuk	Spence
Bligh	Elder	Lucas	Pitt	Struthers
Boyle	Fenlon	Mackenroth	Purcell*	Sullivan*
Braddy	Foley	Miller	Reeves	Welford
Bredhauer	Fouras	Mulherin	Roberts	Wells
Briskey	Hamill	Musgrove	Robertson	Wilson

NOES, 34

Baumann	Davidson	Kingston	Prenzler	Springborg
Beanland	Elliott	Knuth	Quinn	Stephan*
Black	Feldman	Laming	Rowell	Turner
Borbidge	Healy	Lingard	Santoro	Veivers
Connor	Hegarty*	Malone	Seeney	Watson
Cunningham, E	Hobbs	Mitchell	Simpson	Wellington
Dalglish	Horan	Paff	Slack	

Pairs – Messrs McGrady, Mickel, Pearce and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice, Johnson and Lester (NOES)

**Tellers*

Question agreed to.

23 PRIMARY INDUSTRIES AND NATURAL RESOURCES LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL

Order of the day read for the adjourned debate on the motion of the Minister for Primary Industries and Rural Communities (Mr Palaszczuk) – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate resumed.

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Bill committed on the motion of Mr Palaszczuk.

In Committee

Clause 1 agreed to.

Clause 2 (*Commencement*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 6, line 7—

omit, insert—

‘2.(1) Part 2 and section 13 commence at 6 p.m. on 30 June 2000.’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendment be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Clause 2, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 3 to 7 agreed to.

Clause 8 (*Insertion of new pt 9*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Rowell—

At page 16, after line 2—

insert—

‘Exemption from State taxes

‘111A.(1) Despite any other Act, State tax is not payable in relation to—

(a) a transfer of assets or liabilities; or

(b) an application or entry made, receipt given, or anything else done for acknowledging, evidencing or giving effect to a transfer of assets or liabilities.

‘(2) In this section—

“State tax” means a fee, duty or charge imposed under an Act.’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Rowell's amendment be agreed to – put and negatived.

Clause 8, as read, agreed to.

Clauses 9 to 13 agreed to.

Schedule 1 (*CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS COMMENCING ON ASSENT*)—

The following amendment was proposed by Mr Palaszczuk—

At page 31, amendment of *Irvinebank State Treatment Works (Sale and Operation)*

Act 1990, lines 7 and 8—

omit, insert—

‘1. Section 10—

omit.’.

Debate ensued.

Question – That Mr Palaszczuk's amendment be agreed to – put and agreed to.

Schedule 1, as amended, agreed to.

Schedule 2 agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

In the House

Bill reported with amendments.

Ordered – That the Bill, as amended, be taken into consideration.

Mr Palaszczuk, by leave, moved – That the Bill be now read a third time.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Title agreed to.

24 DAIRY INDUSTRY (IMPLEMENTATION OF NATIONAL ADJUSTMENT ARRANGEMENTS) AMENDMENT BILL – DECLARATION AS URGENT BILL

Leader of the House (Mr Mackenroth), by leave, moved – That under the provisions of Standing Order 273, the Dairy Industry (Implementation of National Adjustment Arrangements) Amendment Bill be declared an urgent Bill and the following time limits apply to enable the Bill to be passed through its remaining stages at this day's sitting—

- (a) Second reading by 11.30pm;
- (b) Report from Committee of the Whole House by 11.50pm ;
- (c) Third reading by 11.55pm ; and
- (d) Title agreed by 12 midnight.

At the times so specified, Mr Speaker or the Chairman, as the case may be, shall put all remaining questions necessary to pass the Bill, including clauses and any amendments *en bloc* to be moved by the Minister in charge of the Bill, without further amendment or debate.

Question put.

The House divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood	Clark	Hollis	Nelson–Carr	Rose
Barton	Cunningham, J	Kaiser	Nuttall	Schwarten
Beattie	Edmond	Lavarch	Palaszczyk	Spence
Bligh	Fenlon	Lucas	Pitt	Struthers
Boyle	Foley	Mackenroth	Purcell*	Sullivan*
Braddy	Fouras	Miller	Reeves	Welford
Bredhauer	Hamill	Mulherin	Roberts	Wells
Briskey	Hayward	Musgrove	Robertson	Wilson

NOES, 35

Baumann	Davidson	Johnson	Paff	Slack
Beanland	Elliott	Kingston	Prenzler	Springborg
Black	Feldman	Knuth	Quinn	Stephan*
Borbidge	Healy	Laming	Rowell	Turner
Connor	Hegarty*	Lingard	Santoro	Veivers
Cunningham, E	Hobbs	Malone	Seeney	Watson
Dalglish	Horan	Mitchell	Simpson	Wellington

Pairs – Messrs Elder, McGrady and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice and Lester (NOES)

*Tellers

Question agreed to.

25 DAIRY INDUSTRY (IMPLEMENTATION OF NATIONAL ADJUSTMENT ARRANGEMENTS) AMENDMENT BILL

Order of the day read for the adjourned debate on the motion of the Minister for Primary Industries and Rural Communities (Mr Palaszczyk) – That the Bill be now read a second time.

Debate resumed.

Limitation of Debate: Under the provisions of the Resolution agreed to by the House and the time limit for the debate on the second reading of the Bill having expired—

Question put – That the Bill be now read a second time.

The House divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood	Clark	Kaiser	Nelson–Carr	Rose
Barton	Cunningham, J	Lavarch	Nuttall	Schwarten
Beattie	Edmond	Lucas	Palaszczyk	Spence
Bligh	Fenlon	Mackenroth	Pitt	Struthers
Boyle	Foley	Mickel	Purcell*	Sullivan*
Braddy	Fouras	Miller	Reeves	Welford
Bredhauer	Hamill	Mulherin	Roberts	Wells
Briskey	Hayward	Musgrove	Robertson	Wilson

NOES, 35

Baumann
Beanland
Black
Borbidge
Connor
Cunningham, E
Dalglish

Davidson
Elliott
Feldman
Healy
Hegarty*
Hobbs
Horan

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Wellington

Pairs – Messrs Elder, McGrady and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice and Lester (NOES)

*Tellers

Question agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Bill committed on the motion of Mr Palaszczuk.

In Committee

Clause 1 agreed to.

Clause 2—

Debate ensued.

Limitation of Debate: Under the provisions of the Resolution agreed to by the House and the time limit for the consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole House having expired—

Question put – That Clauses 2 to 16 be agreed to.

The Committee divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood
Barton
Beattie
Bligh
Boyle
Braddy
Bredhauer
Briskey

Clark
Cunningham, J
Edmond
Fenlon
Foley
Hamill
Hayward
Hollis

Kaiser
Lavarch
Lucas
Mackenroth
Mickel
Miller
Mulherin
Musgrove

Nelson–Carr
Nuttall
Palaszczuk
Pitt
Purcell*
Reeves
Roberts
Robertson

Rose
Schwarten
Spence
Struthers
Sullivan*
Welford
Wells
Wilson

NOES, 35

Baumann
Beanland
Black
Borbidge
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Cunningham, E
Dalglish

Davidson
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Feldman
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Wellington

Pairs – Messrs Elder, McGrady and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice and Lester (NOES)

*Tellers

Question agreed to.

Question put – That the Chairman do now leave the Chair and report the Bill without amendment to the House.

The Committee divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood
Barton
Beattie
Bligh
Boyle
Braddy
Bredhauer
Briskey

Clark
Cunningham, J
Edmond
Fenlon
Foley
Hamill
Hayward
Hollis

Kaiser
Lavarch
Lucas
Mackenroth
Mickel
Miller
Mulherin
Musgrove

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Schwarten
Spence
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Welford
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NOES, 35

Baumann
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Stephan*
Turner
Veivers
Watson
Wellington

Pairs – Messrs Elder, McGrady and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice and Lester (NOES)

*Tellers

Question agreed to.

Bill to be reported without amendment.

In the House

And the House having continued to sit till 12 midnight—

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Bill reported without amendment.

Mr Palaszczuk moved – That the Bill be now read a third time.

The House divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood
Barton
Beattie
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Spence
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Welford
Wells
Wilson

NOES, 35

Baumann
Beanland
Black
Borbidge
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Cunningham, E
Dalglish

Davidson
Elliott
Feldman
Healy
Hegarty*
Hobbs
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Johnson
Kingston
Knuth
Laming
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Simpson

Slack
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Stephan*
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Veivers
Watson
Wellington

Pairs – Messrs Elder, McGrady and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice and Lester (NOES)

*Tellers

Question agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Question put – That the Title of the Bill be agreed to.

The House divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood
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Beattie
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Braddy
Bredhauer
Briskey

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NOES, 35

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Beanland	Elliott	Kingston	Prenzler	Springborg
Black	Feldman	Knuth	Quinn	Stephan*
Borbidge	Healy	Laming	Rowell	Turner
Connor	Hegarty*	Lingard	Santoro	Veivers
Cunningham, E	Hobbs	Malone	Seeney	Watson
Dalglish	Horan	Mitchell	Simpson	Wellington

Pairs – Messrs Elder, McGrady and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice and Lester (NOES)

**Tellers*

Question agreed to.

26 SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT

Leader of the House (Mr Mackenroth) moved – That the House at its rising do adjourn until 9.30am on Tuesday, 18 July 2000.
The House divided.

AYES, 40

Attwood	Clark	Kaiser	Nelson–Carr	Rose
Barton	Cunningham, J	Lavarch	Nuttall	Schwarten
Beattie	Edmond	Lucas	Palaszczuk	Spence
Bligh	Fenlon	Mackenroth	Pitt	Struthers
Boyle	Foley	Mickel	Purcell*	Sullivan*
Braddy	Fouras	Miller	Reeves	Welford
Bredhauer	Hamill	Mulherin	Roberts	Wells
Briskey	Hayward	Musgrove	Robertson	Wilson

NOES, 35

Baumann	Davidson	Johnson	Paff	Slack
Beanland	Elliott	Kingston	Prenzler	Springborg
Black	Feldman	Knuth	Quinn	Stephan*
Borbidge	Healy	Laming	Rowell	Turner
Connor	Hegarty*	Lingard	Santoro	Veivers
Cunningham, E	Hobbs	Malone	Seeney	Watson
Dalglish	Horan	Mitchell	Simpson	Wellington

Pairs – Messrs Elder, McGrady and Reynolds (AYES) and Messrs Goss, Grice and Lester (NOES)

**Tellers*

Question agreed to.

27 ADJOURNMENT

Leader of the House (Mr Mackenroth) moved – That this House do now adjourn.
Question agreed to.
The House adjourned at 12.11am.

28 ATTENDANCE

The following Members were present—

Attwood	Davidson	Kaiser	Nuttall	Simpson
Barton	Edmond	Kingston	Paff	Slack
Baumann	Elder	Knuth	Palaszczuk	Spence
Beanland	Elliott	Laming	Pearce	Springborg
Beattie	Feldman	Lavarch	Pitt	Stephan
Black	Fenlon	Lester	Prenzler	Struthers
Bligh	Foley	Lingard	Purcell	Sullivan
Borbidge	Fouras	Lucas	Quinn	Turner
Boyle	Gamin	Mackenroth	Reeves	Veivers
Braddy	Grice	Malone	Reynolds	Watson
Bredhauer	Hamill	McGrady	Roberts	Welford
Briskey	Hayward	Mickel	Robertson	Wellington
Clark	Healy	Miller	Rose	Wells
Connor	Hegarty	Mitchell	Rowell	Wilson
Cunningham, E	Hobbs	Mulherin	Santoro	
Cunningham, J	Horan	Musgrove	Schwarten	
Dalglish	Johnson	Nelson–Carr	Seeney	

R K HOLLIS
Speaker

R D DOYLE
The Clerk of the Parliament

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