



Speech by
Jeff Seeney

MEMBER FOR CALLIDE

Hansard Wednesday, 22 August 2007

NOTICE OF MOTION

Local Government Reform

Mr SEENEY (Callide—NPA) (Leader of the Opposition) (10.29 am): I give notice that I shall move—
That this Parliament ensure that, in the event of the amalgamation of Councils—

1. communities be allowed to appeal the decision to the Electoral Commission;
2. a no disadvantage test be conducted so that ratepayers can be assured that—
 - Rates will not rise above the CPI;
 - Council services will not be withdrawn or lessened; and
 - There will be no local job losses for Council staff delivering services.