



Speech By Andrew Powell

MEMBER FOR GLASS HOUSE

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MOTION

Amendments to Sessional Orders

Mr POWELL (Glass House—LNP) (11.51 am): I rise to address the motion to temporarily amend the sessional orders, moved by the Leader of the House. The LNP opposition will be opposing this motion. We would accept the changes being made in relation to valedictory speeches—we acknowledge that our members for Gregory, Burleigh, Oodgeroo and Ipswich West will be delivering such—but by removing debate on committee reports the Leader of the House is not diminishing our opportunity to debate; he is outright abolishing it. This is all because those opposite cannot manage their own agenda. They are in chaos. They are in crisis. They are increasingly desperate each and every week in this chamber.