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(b) It advocates gloom at a time when Australia needs confidence;

(c) It takes away incentive, at a time when we should be providing incentive;

(d) It imposes intolerable and unreasonable burdens on the State;

(e) It shamefully deserts the needy sections of the community;

(f) It further burdens the rural community which so much needs boosting;

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(1) That a Joint Committee be appointed—

(a) To examine and report upon the future form and construction of the public accounts and the financial accounts of Statutory Authorities with particular reference to the presentation of the accounts to ensure that they—

(i) comprehensively report on the receipt and expenditure of public moneys;

(ii) fairly disclose the financial position at the close of each financial year;

(iii) may be clearly understood and assessed by the community; and

(b) without restricting the generality of the foregoing to report on any matters relative to the presentation of the accounts which the Committee considers as a result of its examination to be necessary or desirable in the public interest.

(2) That such Committee consist of five members of the Legislative Assembly and four members of the Legislative Council.

(3) That Mr Clough, Mr Durick, Mr Murray, Mr O'Connell and Mr Rogan be appointed to serve on such Committee as the members of the Legislative Assembly. immediately, as an interim measure, the formation of an adequate statistical base

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(4) That the Committee have leave to sit during the sittings or adjournment of either or both Houses, to adjourn from place to place and to make visits of inspection within the State of New South Wales and other States of Australia and the Australian Capital Territory; to have power to take evidence and to send for persons and papers; and to report from time to time.

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Suspension of Standing Orders—(Mr F. J. Walker—Urgency)—That the General Loan
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# NEW SOUTH WALES LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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(THIRD SESSION OF THE FORTY-FIFTH PARLIAMENT)

Date of Writs: 2 April, 1976.

Nomination Day: 8 April, 1976.

Polling Day: 1 May, 1976.

Return of Writs: 21 May, 1976.

### SESSION-OPENED 16 AUGUST, 1978-DISSOLVED 12 SEPTEMBER, 1978

No.	Name	Party	Electorate	No.	Name	Party	Electorate
	AKISTER, John Edward	A.L.P.	Monaro.	52	KEARNS, Nicholas Joseph	A.L.P.	Bankstown.
2	ARBLASTER, David Amos	Lib.	Mosman.	53	KELLY, The Hon. Lawrence Borthwick		Corrimal.
3	BANNON, Brian Joseph		Rockdale.	54	LEITCH, David Stanley, M.B., B.S	C.P.	Armidale.
4	BARNIER, Gordon Arthur		Blacktown.	55	(c)LEWIS, Thomas Lancelot	Lib.	Wollondilly,
5	BARRACLOUGH, Lindley John Forbes		Bligh,	56	McDONALD, Bruce John, A.S.T.C., M.I.E.Aust.,	Lib.	Kirribitli.
6	BEDFORD, The Hon. Eric Lance, B.A	1	Fairfield.	ł	Dip.T.C.P.	l !	
7	BOOTH, The Hon. Kenneth George	1	Wallsend.	57	McGINTY, Laurence Frederick, M.B.E., LL.B.	Lib.	Willoughby.
8	BOYD, John Charles		Byron.	58	McGOWAN, Brian, B.A.		Gosford.
9	BRERETON, Laurence John	A.L.P.	Heffron.	59	MACKIE, Gordon Charlton	Lib.	Albury.
10	BREWER, Ronald Alfred St Clair	·	Goulburn.	60	MADDISON, John Clarkson, B.A., LL.B.		Ku-ring-gai.
11	BROWN, James Hill	·	Raleigh.	61	MAHER, Michael John, M.A., LL.B.	A.L.P.	Drummoyne.
12	BRUXNER, James Caird		Tenterfield.	62	MALLAM, Heathcote Clifford	A.L.P.	Campbelltown. Dubbo.
13	CAHILL, Thomas James	1	Marrickville.	63	MASON, John Marsden, L.Th MEILLON. Mrs Mary	Lib. Lib.	Murray.
14	CAMERON, James Alexander, LL.M	1	Northcott. The Hills.	64			Gordon.
15	CATERSON, Frederick Douglas Claude	1		65		Lib.	Maitland.
16	CLEARY, Michael Arthur	1	Coogee.	66 67	MORRIS, The Hon. Milton Arthur		Penrith.
17 18	CLOUGH, james Arthur	1	Blue Mountains.	68	MURRAY, Wallace Telford John		Barwon.
18	COLEMAN, William Peter, B.A., M.Sc.(Econ.)		Fuller.	69	MUTTON, Lerryn William	Lib.	Yaratla.
20	COWAN, David Bruce	,	Oxley.	70	(d)NEILLY, George Henry	A.L.P.	Cessnock.
21	COX, The Hon. Peter Francis	1	Auburn.	71	O'CONNELL, Keith	A.L.P.	Peats.
22	CRABTREE, The Hon. William Frederick		Kogarah.	72	OSBORNE, Clive Geoffrey	C.P.	Bathurst.
23	DARBY, Evelyn Douglas, B.Ec		Manly.	73	PACIULLO, George	A.L.P.	Liverpool.
24	DAY, The Hon, Donald		Casino.	- 74	PARK, Ernest Noel, D.S.O., E.D.		Tamworth,
25	DEGEN, Roger Charles	A.L.P.	Balmain.	75	(e)PETERSEN, Wilfred George	A.L.P.	Illawarra.
26	DOWD, John Robert Arthur, LL.B	i .	Lane Cove.	76	PICKARD, Neil Edward William, B.A., M.Ed.,	Lib.	Hornsby.
27	DOYLE, Keith Ralph, B.Ec.	1	Vaucluse.		Dip.Ed., L.Th.		-
28	DUNCAN, Robert Bruce	C.P.	Lismore.	77	PUNCH, Leon Ashton	C.P.	Gloucester.
29	DURICK, Vincent Patrick, B.A	A.L.P.	Lakemba.	78	QUINN, Ernest Neville	A.L.P.	Wentworthville
30	EINFELD, The Hon. Sydney David	A.L.P.	Waverley.	79	RAMSAY, Eric Daniel	A.L.P.	Wollongong.
31	FACE, jack Richard	A.L.P.	Charlestown.	80	RENSHAW, The Hon, John Brophy	A.L.P.	Castlereagh.
32	FERGUSON, The Hon. Laurie John	A.L.P.	Merrylands.	81	ROFE, Ronald Ernest Arthur	Lib.	Nepcan.
33	FISCHER, Timothy Andrew		Sturt.	82	ROGAN, Patrick Alfan	A.L.P.	East Hills.
34	FISHER, Colin Murray		Upper Hunter.	83	ROZZOLI, Kevin Richard		Hawkesbury.
35	FLAHERTY, James Patrick		Granville.	84	RYAN, Kovin James, LL.B		Hurstville.
36	FREUDENSTEIN, George Francis		Young.	85	SCHIPP, Joseph John	Lib.	Wagga Wagga
37	(o)GABB, Kenneth George, LL.B	1	Earlwood.	86	SHEAHAN, Terence Williams, B.A., LL.B.	A.L.P.	Burrinjuck.
38	GORDON, The Hon. Alan Robert Lindsay		Murrumbidgee.	87	SINGLETON, Matthew	C.P.	Clarence.
39	GRIFFITH, Ian Ross	1 -	Cronulla.	88	STEWART, The Hon. Kevin James	A.L.P.	Canterbury.
40	HAIGH, The Hon. William Henry	1	Maroubra.	89	TAYLOR, James Hugh	C.P. Lib.	Temora. Wakehurst.
41	HATTON, John Edward		South Coast.	00 10	VINEY, Arthur Edward Allanby	A.L.P.	Newcastle.
42	HEALEY, Richard Owen		Davidson.	92			Georges River.
43	HILLS, The Hon. Patrick Darcy		Phillip. Lake Macquarie.	93	WALKER, The Hon. Francis John, LL.M		Miranda.
44 45	HUNTER, Mervyn Leslie		Burwood.	93	(f)WEBSTER, Bruce Laurence	Lib.	Pittwater.
45 46	JACKETT, John Gordon Thorne		Heathcote.	95	WEST, Garry Bruce		Orange.
47		A.L.P.	Munmorah.	96	WHELAN, Paul Francis Patrick, LL.B		Ashfield.
48	JOHNSON, Anthony Valentine Patrick	1	Mount Druitt.	97		A.L.P.	Parramatta.
49	JOHNSTONE, Lewis Albert	1	Broken Hill.	98	(g) WILLIS, Sir Eric Archibald, K.B.E., C.M.G.		Earlwood.
50	(b) ONES, Samuel Barry	1 .	Waratah.	99	WOTTON, Rozer Corfield Anson		Burrendong.
51	KEANE, Maurice Francis		Woronora.	100		A.L.P.	Bass Hill.
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- (a) Elected 15 July, 1978.
- (b) Granted leave of absence on account of absence from the State, 15 August, 1978.
- (c) Resigned, 7 September, 1978.
- (d) Resigned, 8 September, 1978.
- (e) Granted leave of absence on account of absence from the State, 15 August, 1978.
- (f) Resigned, 21 July, 1978.
- (g) Resigned, 16 June, 1978.

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From 10th February, 1977

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THE HON. PATRICK DARCY HILLS, M.P.

Minister for Planning and Environment and Vice-President of the Executive Council:

THE HON. DAVID PAUL LANDA, LL.B., M.L.C.

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THE HON. KENNETH GEORGE BOOTH, M.P.

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THE HON. ALAN ROBERT LINDSAY GORDON, M.P.

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THE HON. REX FREDERICK JACKSON, M.P.

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WILLIAM PETER COLEMAN, B.A., M.Sc.(Econ.), M.P.

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