THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CFM SALE BILL 1996

SUPPLEMENTARY EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Amendments to be Moved on Behalf of the Government

(Circulated by authority of the Minister for Finance, the Hon John Fahey, MP)

The amendments are to Division 2 of the Bill, which contains transitional and saving provisions in relation to long service leave benefits of CFM employees. There is no financial impact.

Amendment 1

This amendment clarifies the provision for payments in lieu of long service leave where an employee stops employment because of ill-health by deleting from Clause 38 (d) the words "because of ill-health" as they are unnecessary having regard to paragraph (e) of Clause 38.

Amendment 2

Subdivision 2 (D) provides for payments in respect of long service leave to an employee who has died and has less than 10 but more than 1 year service for long service leave purposes. The Bill as drafted would limit payments to the dependants of such employees, as there is no provision for payments to be made to the legal personal representative of an employee. Clause 41 is amended to make the purpose of the subdivision clear.

Amendment 3

Clause 42 is amended by the insertion of a new subclause (1A) which provides for payment in respect of long service leave to the legal personal representative of an employee in circumstances where there are no dependents.

Amendment 4

The amendment to Clause 42 (3) is consequential on amendment 3 above.



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