SOCIAL SECURITY AND REPATRIATION (ABOLITION OF ASSETS TEST) BILL 1985 [NO. 2]

Private Senator's Bill

Date Introduced: 8 May 1985
House: Senate
Presented by: Senator the Hon. A.J. Messner

Short Digest of Bill

Purpose

To abolish the assets test on social security and repatriation pensions and benefits.

Background

A similar Bill was introduced on 28 February 1985. It was negatived in the Senate at the Second Reading stage.

For information on the issues addressed by this Bill, refer to the Background section for the digest of the original Bill (Digest No. 85/7).

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