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**Speaker** Shorten, Bill, MP

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**Mr SHORTEN** (Maribyrnong—Leader of the Opposition) (16:06): I have the honour to inform the House that the Australian Labor Party has elected me as its leader, and I am delighted to advise the House that the honourable member for Sydney has been elected as our deputy leader. The honourable member for Fowler has been appointed Chief Opposition Whip. The honourable member for Shortland, who has served in this position since 2004, has been reappointed as whip, and the member for Lalor—fresh from being principal and having a distinguished career at Moonee Ponds Central School—has also been elected whip to help apply those skills with the caucus. I understand that a full list of my shadow ministry will be included in *Hansard*.

*The document read as follows—*

## SHADOW MINISTRY

**18 October 2013**

Title	Shadow Minister
Leader of the Opposition	Hon Bill Shorten MP
<b>Shadow Minister Assisting the Leader for Science</b>	Senator the Hon Kim Carr
Shadow Minister Assisting the Leader for Small Business	Hon Bernie Ripoll MP
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Small Business</i>	<i>Julie Owens MP</i>
<i>Shadow Cabinet Secretary</i>	<i>Senator the Hon Jacinta Collins</i>
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary to the Leader of the Opposition</i>	
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary to the Leader of the Opposition</i>	<i>Hon Michael Danby MP</i>
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary to the Leader of the Opposition</i>	<i>Dr Jim Chalmers MP</i>
<b>Deputy Leader of the Opposition</b>	Hon Tanya Plibersek MP
<b>Shadow Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Development</b>	
Shadow Minister for Women	Senator Claire Moore
Manager of Opposition Business (Senate)	
Shadow Minister for the Centenary of ANZAC	Senator the Hon Don Farrell
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Foreign Affairs</i>	<i>Hon Matt Thistlethwaite MP</i>
<b>Leader of the Opposition in the Senate</b>	Senator the Hon Penny Wong
<b>Shadow Minister for Trade and Investment</b>	
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Trade and Investment</i>	Dr Jim Chalmers MP
<b>Deputy Leader of the Opposition in the Senate</b>	Senator the Hon Stephen Conroy
<b>Shadow Minister for Defence</b>	
Shadow Assistant Minister for Defence	Hon David Feeney MP
Shadow Minister for Veterans ' Affairs	Senator the Hon Don Farrell
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Defence</i>	<i>Gai Brodtmann MP</i>
<b>Shadow Minister for Infrastructure and Transport</b>	Hon Anthony Albanese MP
<b>Shadow Minister for Tourism</b>	
Shadow Minister for Regional Development and Local Government	Hon Julie Collins MP
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Regional Development and Infrastructure</i>	<i>Stephen Jones MP</i>
<i>Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for External Territories</i>	<i>Hon Warren Snowdon MP</i>
<b>Shadow Treasurer</b>	Hon Chris Bowen MP
Shadow Assistant Treasurer	Hon Dr Andrew Leigh MP
Shadow Minister for Competition	

Shadow Minister for Financial Services and Superannuation

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary to the Shadow Treasurer*

**Shadow Minister for Finance**

Manager of Opposition Business (House)

**Shadow Minister for Environment, Climate Change and Water**

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for the Environment, Climate Change and Water*

**Shadow Minister for Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Industry**

Shadow Minister for Vocational Education

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Manufacturing*

**Shadow Minister for Communications**

Shadow Assistant Minister for Communications

**Shadow Attorney General**

**Shadow Minister for the Arts**

Deputy Manager of Opposition Business (House)

Shadow Minister for Justice

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary to the Shadow Attorney General*

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for the Arts*

**Shadow Minister for Education**

**Shadow Minister for Early Childhood**

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Education*

**Shadow Minister for Agriculture**

**Shadow Minister for Resources**

**Shadow Minister for Northern Australia**

**Shadow Special Minister of State**

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Northern Australia*

**Shadow Minister for Health**

Shadow Assistant Minister for Health

Shadow Minister for Mental Health

Shadow Minister for Sport

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Health*

**Shadow Minister for Families and Payments**

**Shadow Minister for Disability Reform**

Shadow Minister for Human Services

Shadow Minister for Housing and Homelessness

Shadow Minister for Carers

Shadow Minister for Communities

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Families and Payments*

**Shadow Minister for Immigration and Border Protection**

Shadow Minister for Citizenship and Multiculturalism

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Immigration*

**Shadow Minister for Indigenous Affairs**

**Shadow Minister for Ageing**

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Indigenous Affairs*

*Shadow Parliamentary Secretary for Aged Care*

**Shadow Minister for Employment and Workplace Relations**

Shadow Minister for Employment Services

Hon Bernie Ripoll MP

*Hon Ed Husic MP*

Hon Tony Burke MP

Hon Mark Butler MP

*Senator Louise Pratt*

Senator the Hon Kim Carr

Hon Sharon Bird MP

*Tony Zappia MP*

Hon Jason Clare MP

Michelle Rowland MP

Hon Mark Dreyfus QC MP

Hon David Feeney MP

*Senator the Hon Lisa Singh*

*Hon Michael Danby MP*

Hon Kate Ellis MP

*Julie Owens MP*

Hon Joel Fitzgibbon MP

Hon Gary Gray AO MP

*Hon Warren Snowdon MP*

Hon Catherine King MP

Hon Melissa Parke MP

Senator Hon Jan McLucas

Hon Bernie Ripoll MP

*Hon Amanda Rishworth MP*

Hon Jenny Macklin MP

Senator the Hon Doug Cameron

Senator the Hon Jan McLucas

Senator Claire Moore

*Senator Carol Brown*

Hon Richard Marles MP

Michelle Rowland MP

*Hon Matt Thistlethwaite MP*

Hon Shayne Neumann MP

*Hon Warren Snowdon MP*

*Senator Helen Polley*

Hon Brendan O ' Connor MP

Hon Julie Collins MP