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PROROGUING THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AND DISSOLVING THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

Whereas sub-section 8 (1) of the *Constitution Act* 1975 provides that the Governor may by proclamation or otherwise fix such places within Victoria and subject to the said Act such times for holding every session of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly and may vary and alter the same respectively in such manner as he thinks fit:

And whereas sub-section 8 (2) of the said Act provides that subject to sub-section (3) the Governor may if he thinks fit by proclamation or otherwise from time to time prorogue the Legislative Council, the Legislative Assembly or both the Council and the Assembly or from time to time dissolve the Assembly:

Now therefore I, the Governor of the State of Victoria, pursuant to the provisions of the *Constitution Act* 1975 and all other powers invested in me, do by this my proclamation prorogue the Legislative Council forthwith. And I do dissolve the Legislative Assembly, such dissolution to take effect forthwith. And I do hereby declare that I have this day given Order that Writs be issued in due form and according to law for a general election of Members to be duly returned to serve in the Legislative Assembly and for a periodical election of Members to be duly returned to serve in the Legislative Council.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of January in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and eighty-five and in the thirty-third year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second, Queen of Australia.

(L.S.)

B. S. MURRAY

By His Excellency's Command

JOHN CAIN
Premier

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

The Constitution Act Amendment (Electoral Legislation) Act 1984 (No. 10146)

DATE OF COMING INTO OPERATION

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament of the State of Victoria passed in the thirty-third year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second, Queen of Australia, entitled *The Constitution Act Amendment (Electoral Legislation) Act* 1984, No. 10146, it is amongst other things enacted that the several provisions of the said Act shall come into operation on a day or on the respective days to be fixed by Proclamation or successive Proclamations of the Governor in Council published in the *Government Gazette*:

Now therefore I, the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do by this my Proclamation fix Friday, 25 January 1985, as the day upon which sections 36, 37, 39, 41 to 67 and 69 to 115 of *The Constitution Act Amendment (Electoral Legislation) Act* 1984, No. 10146, shall come into operation.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of January in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and eighty-five and in the thirty-third year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second, Queen of Australia.

(L.S.)

B. S. MURRAY

By His Excellency's Command

J. H. SIMPSON
Minister for Property and Services
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SIMULTANEOUS ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor will issue Writs for a General Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, and for the Periodical Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Council of Victoria, on the day first hereinafter mentioned, viz:—

Date of Issue of Writs	Saturday, 26 January 1985
Date for Close of the Rolls	Saturday, 2 February 1985
Day of Nomination (before or on which nominations are to be made)	Thursday, 7 February 1985
Day of Polling	Saturday, 2 March 1985
Return of Writs	On or before Friday, 22 March 1985.

By His Excellency's Command

L. G. HOUSTON
Official Secretary

The Governor's Office,
Melbourne, 25 January 1985