HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Supplementary Order Paper

Tuesday, the 3rd Day of July 1973

ADMIRALTY BILL

Proposed Amendment

Hon. Dr Finlay, in Committee, to move the following amendment:

Clause 14, subclause (3): To omit the words "subsection (1) of" in line 1 on page 9.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The effect of this amendment is that subsection (2) of section 486 of the Shipping and Seamen Act 1952 is also consequentially repealed.

That subsection enables proceedings to be taken in the Supreme Court to recover money due in connection with the loading or discharging of fuel on or from a ship. Jurisdiction in respect of such a claim is conferred on the Supreme Court and (up to a certain amount) on Magistrates' Courts by clause 4 (1) (n) of the Bill, and section 486 (2) is no longer required.