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[ASSEMBLY - Tuesday, 6 May 2003] p7031b-7031b Mr Paul Omodei

SENIORS AND PENSIONERS, BOTTLED GAS SUBSIDY

Petition

Mr P.D. Omodei presented the following petition bearing the signatures of 27 persons -

To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

Seniors and Pensioners, Bottled Gas

We, the undersigned, call on the Treasurer to introduce a scheme to provide rebates for seniors and pensioners who rely upon bottled gas for heating and cooking in Western Australia.

The additional costs for gas provide a disincentive for using this clean and environmentally friendly energy source and have a significant impact on the cost of living for seniors and pensioners in areas without access to piped gas.

Your petitioners therefore humbly pray that you will give this matter earnest consideration and your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

[See petition No 158.]