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Statement - Electoral redivision

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STATEMENT BY THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION, HON, DON DUNSTAN, Q.C., M.P. 1.8.68:

The proposals of the Government put to the House this afternoon for electoral redivision in South Australia; on the face of them appear to show some move for compromise. This is the first sign that the Government has shown of moving from the position on electoral redivision it previously outlined but it is none the less welcome for that.

While any detailed statement of the Labor Party's position on this must wait an examination by the Labor Party's appropriate Committee of the degree of differentiation between seats which is likely to occur under the proposal, one can say, if I am correct in assessing the Government's mood as being one of compromise, in any change of their proposals which they have made, then it might seem that we are getting somewhere at last on this issue.