Act Now Says the PM

In a total \$42 billion whirlwind plan, addressing the Press on Tuesday, 03.02.09, PM Rudd promised to insulate Australia's homes. The dark greens want much more.

He also promised 40,000 new homes for the homeless. Twenty thousand immediately, at a cost of \$6 billion. He has already estimated how many tonnes of CO2 this will save being injected into the atmosphere. Apparently the world's most heinous crime.

Investment allowances to all kinds of businesses. 25 percent of the package will go to household consumption for "stimulation" purposes. This part of the strategy will be implemented to restore "confidence". And he promises more as it becomes necessary.

The huge deficit required will be reduced when growth exceeds about three percent. Any opposition by any state governments will be met with zero tolerance. "Act now" is our policy he intoned.

He stated that it is a feat of National organisation and planning that has not been seen since the early 1940s (WW2). "It is complex, hard and detailed" he assured the press, "but there is no guarantee of success".

He intends to borrow when deficits can no longer be sustained. This guarantees certain falls in living standards as otherwise viable projects will be unable to acquire the always scarce capital resources for investment in competitive production for goods which the public struggle to buy.

He urged banks which have benefited enormously from his policies to be openhearted and compassionate with unfortunate people. (Stop laughing, this is serious).

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