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CPSA invites all pensioners in on state election campaign

“Combined Pensioners and Superannuants Association (CPSA) is getting ready for next year’s state election campaign”, said Bob Jay, CPSA State Secretary today.

“The March 2007 state election is less than eight months away. Pensioners need to make their voices heard, because their benefits and entitlements are being eroded at an alarming rate.

“For example, effective immediately Orange City Council has abolished its contribution to the pensioner rebate on council rates.

“Other councils around the state are watching if Orange will get away with abolishing its contribution to the pensioner rebate on council rates. Then, they will all do it.

“In the lead-up to the March 2007 state election, CPSA is campaigning on, among other things:

- Hospital waiting lists
- Lack of GPs in the bush
- Crisis in public dental health
- Lack of public podiatry
- The Great CountryLink Robbery
- Poor community transport
- Lack of homecare services
- Council rates rebate

“CPSA wants to hear from all pensioners and take on their issues:.”

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