

Senate Daily Summary

No. 48/2021

Monday, 29 November 2021

The Senate met from 10.00 am to 6.28 pm

Bills

Introduced

Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Amendment (Fight for Australia's Coastline) Bill
 2021 [private senator's bill]

Considered

- Ensuring Northern Territory Rights Bill 2021 [private senator's bill]
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- Health Insurance Legislation Amendment (Transparent Patient Outcomes) Bill 2021 [private senator's bill]
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Debate on these bills will continue at a later date

Passed

Without amendments

- Social Security Legislation Amendment (Remote Engagement Program) Bill 2021

This bill will now be sent to the Governor-General for assent

Committees

New inquiry

• Recording of pairs referred to the <u>Procedure Committee</u> for inquiry and report by 2 December 2021

Reporting dates extended

- <u>Sterling Income Trust</u> extended to 2021 to 1 February 2022
- Media diversity in Australia extended to 9 December 2021
- Australia's engagement in Afghanistan (interim report) extended to 10 December 2021

Documents ordered to be produced

 The Senate <u>ordered that the Minister representing the Prime Minister provide documents relating</u> to the Urban Congestion Fund to the Finance and Public Administration References Committee by no later than 7.20 pm on Tuesday, 30 November 2021

Documents

Tabled documents

- Government documents and documents presented by the President
- <u>Clerk's documents</u> [legislative instruments and other documents required by statute to be tabled]

To view individual instruments visit <u>www.legislation.gov.au</u> and search using the Federal Register of Legislation (FRL) number

Orders for the production of documents

Agreed to

- Report of the 2021 review of the Australian Packaging Covenant and National Environment
 Protection (Used Packaging Materials) Measure 2011 to be tabled by the Minister representing the
 Minister for the Environment, by no later than 12 noon on Thursday, 2 December 2021
- Report of the second independent review of the Water for the Environment Special Account to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Resources and Water, by 9 am on Wednesday, 1 December 2021

Other business

Motions

Agreed to

- <u>Establishment of the Safe and Respectful Workplaces Training Program Register</u> moved by Senator Birmingham
- Approval of works within the Parliamentary Zone—Dame Enid Lyons and Dame Dorothy Tangney commemorative sculpture moved by Senator Duniam

Disallowance motions

Notice of motion to disallow

Taxation Administration (Data Sharing

Relevant COVID-19 Business Support Program)

Declaration 2021 [F2021L01157] notice given by the Chair of the Scrutiny of Delegated
Legislation Committee (Senator Fierravanti-Wells)

Negatived

- Industry Research and Development (Beetaloo Cooperative Drilling Program) Instrument [F2021L00567] moved by Senator Hanson-Young
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Condolences

• Alexander McEachian Gallacher, former Senator for South Australia

Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	0
Bills introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bills introduced in the Senate – private senators'	1
Bills passed in the Senate	1
Bills negatived or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	1
Reports tabled	0
Orders for production of documents agreed to	3
Notices of motion given	2
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