

Senate Daily Summary

No. 21/2022

Tuesday, 25 October 2022

The Senate met from 12 pm to 10.01 pm

Budget

- Minister for Finance (Senator Gallagher) tabled the Budget statement and associated documents
- The Senate referred the budget documents to legislation committees for consideration during estimates hearings from 28 October and 7 to 11 November 2022
- Portfolio budget statements for the parliamentary departments, and portfolio and executive departments were tabled

Bills

Introduced

- <u>Financial Accountability Regime Bill 2022</u>
 <u>Financial Sector Reform Bill 2022</u>
 <u>Financial Services Compensation Scheme of Last Resort Levy Bill 2022</u>
 <u>Financial Services Compensation Scheme of Last Resort Levy (Collection) Bill 2022</u>
- National Health Amendment (General Co-payment) Bill 2022
- Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment (Incentivising Pensioners to Downsize) Bill 2022

Considered

Fair Work Amendment (Paid Family and Domestic Violence Leave) Bill 2022
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Debate on this bill will continue on 26 October 2022

Committees

New inquiries

- Matter of privilege referred to the Privileges Committee for inquiry and report
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- The Senate agreed to refer <u>certain time critical bills</u>, introduced in the House of Representatives during budget estimates hearings, to legislation committees for inquiry and report by 21 November 2022

Reports tabled

- Public Accounts and Audit Joint Committee:
 - Statement on the draft estimates for the Australian National Audit Office and the Parliamentary Budget Office for 2022-23
 - 493rd report Annual report 2021-22

Reporting date extended

 Community safety, support services and job opportunities in the Northern Territory extended to 1 March 2023

Membership

- Members were appointed to joint committees
- Variations were agreed to

See also committee membership page

Documents

Tabled documents

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

To view individual government and other documents visit <u>tabled documents</u> and search using the relevant date

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

Other

Response to a question asked by Senator Roberts during question time on 28 September 2022

Orders for the production of documents

Tabled

• Response to an order for the production of documents relating to changes to the effigy of the Sovereign on Australian legal tender agreed to on 27 September 2022

Agreed to

- <u>Documents</u> relating to Hahndorf township improvements to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government, by no later than midday on Friday, 4 November 2022
- <u>Documents</u> relating to changes to the superannuation industry payment disclosure requirements to be tabled by the Minister representing the Assistant Treasurer, by no later than midday on Thursday, 27 October 2022

Other business

Disallowance motions

Withdrawn

- The Chair of the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation Committee (Senator White) withdrew the following notices:
 - Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Home Affairs Measures No. 4)
 Regulations 2021 [F2021L01824]
 - Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Prime Minister and Cabinet's Portfolio Measures No. 2) Regulations 2022 [F2022L00240]
 - Telecommunications (Fibre-Ready Facilities in Real Estate Development Projects and Other Matters) Instrument 2022 [<u>F2022L00328</u>]

Notices of motion to disallow

- Schedules 3 and 4 to the Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative—Plantation Forestry) Methodology Determination 2022 [F2022L00047] notice given by Senator David Pocock
- Notices given by the Chair of the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation Committee (Senator White):
 - Australian Capital Territory National Land (Lakes) Ordinance 2022 [F2022L00468]
 - Bankruptcy Amendment (Service of Documents) Regulations 2022 [F2022L00528]
 - Competition and Consumer (Industry Codes—Franchising) Amendment (Franchise Disclosure Register) Regulations 2022 [F2022L00471]
 - Competition and Consumer Amendment (Consumer Data Right) Regulations 2021 [F2021L01617]
 - Financial Sector Reform (Hayne Royal Commission Response) (Hawking of Financial Products)
 Regulations 2021 [F2021L01080]
- Notices given by Senator Waters:
 - Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative) Amendment (Carbon Capture and Storage Projects) Rule 2021 [F2021L01378]
 - Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative—Carbon Capture and Storage) Methodology Determination 2021 [F2021L01379]
 - Industry Research and Development (Carbon Capture, Use and Storage Hubs and Technologies Program) Instrument 2021 [F2021L01593]

Negatived

- Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Amendment (Annual Members' Meetings Notices)
 Regulations 2022 [<u>F2022L01162</u>] moved by Senator David Pocock

Statements

The President made a statement regarding a matter of privilege

Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	6
Bills introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bills introduced in the Senate – private senators'	0
Bills passed in the Senate	0
Bills negatived or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	2
Reports tabled	2
Orders for production of documents agreed to	2
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