



Senate Daily Summary

No. 14/2022

Monday, 5 September 2022

The Senate met from 10.00 am to 10.24 pm

Senators

- [Senator Linda White](#) gave her first speech
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- [Senator Ross Cadell](#) gave his first speech
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Bills

Introduced

- [Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment \(Climate Trigger\) Bill 2022 \[No. 2\]](#) [private senator's bill]
- [Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment \(Lifting the Income Limit for the Commonwealth Seniors Health Card\) Bill 2022](#)
- [Climate Change Bill 2022](#)
[Climate Change \(Consequential Amendments\) Bill 2022](#)

Considered

- [Restoring Territory Rights Bill 2022](#) [private members' bill]
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- [Social Services Legislation Amendment \(Enhancing Pensioner and Veteran Workforce Participation\) Bill 2022](#) [private senator's bill]
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Debate on these bills will continue at a later date

Messages

- The House of Representatives agreed to the Senate's amendments to the [Treasury Laws Amendment \(2022 Measure No. 1\) Bill 2022](#). This Bill has been assented to by the Governor-General and is now an Act of Parliament

Committees

New inquiries

- [Climate-related marine invasive species](#) be referred to the Environment and Communications References Committee for inquiry and report by 1 March 2023
- [Iron Boomerang project](#) be referred to the Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport References Committee for inquiry and report by the first sitting day of 2023
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Membership

- [Variations were agreed to](#)
- [Members were appointed to joint committees](#)

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Documents

Tabled documents

- [Government documents and documents presented by the President](#) [includes documents presented since the Senate last sat]
- [Clerk's documents](#) [legislative instruments and other documents required by statute to be tabled]

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

Other

- [Proposal for works within the Parliamentary Zone](#) relating to new construction and refurbishment works at West Block [a [related notice of motion](#) to approve the proposal was given]

Order for the production of documents

Tabled

- [Response](#) to an order for the production of documents [relating to certain animal welfare incident reports](#) agreed to on 9 February 2022
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Other business

Motion

Debated

- [Afghanistan](#) moved by Senators Wong, Birmingham, and Payman
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Disallowance motion

Debated

- Tendering and Performance of Building Work Amendment Instrument 2022 [[F2022L01007](#)]
moved by Senator Cash
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Condolence

- Mikhail Sergeyevich Gorbachev, former leader of the Soviet Union
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Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	3
Bills introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bills introduced in the Senate – private senators'	1
Bills passed in the Senate	0
Bills negatived or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	2
Reports tabled	0
Orders for production of documents agreed to	0
Notices of motion given	5
Divisions	0

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