



# Senate Daily Summary

No. 22/2023

**Wednesday, 14 June 2023**

The Senate met from 9 am to 10.30 pm

## Bills

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### Introduced

- [Health Insurance Amendment \(Professional Services Review Scheme\) Bill 2023](#)
- [Statute Law Amendment \(Prescribed Forms and Other Updates\) Bill 2023](#)
- [Trade Support Loans Amendment Bill 2023](#)
- [Student Loans \(Overseas Debtors Repayment Levy\) Amendment Bill 2023](#)
- [Broadcasting Services Amendment \(Ban on Gambling Advertisements During Live Sport\) Bill 2023](#) [private senators' bill]

### Considered

- [Productivity Commission Amendment \(Electricity Reporting\) Bill 2023](#) [private senator's bill]
  - ▶ [Watch the debate](#)    📄 [Read the transcript](#)
- [Appropriation Bill \(No. 3\) 2022-2023](#)
- [Appropriation Bill \(No. 4\) 2022-2023](#)
- [Appropriation \(Parliamentary Departments\) Bill \(No. 2\) 2022-2023](#)
  - ▶ Watch the debate [[part one](#)] [[part two](#)]    📄 Read the transcript [[part one](#)] [[part two](#)]
- [Constitution Alteration \(Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Voice\) 2023](#)
  - ▶ [Watch the debate](#)    📄 [Read the transcript](#)

Debate on these bills will continue at a later date

### Defeated

- The [Acts Interpretation Amendment \(Aboriginality\) Bill 2023](#) was defeated at the first reading

## Committees

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### New inquiries

- [Residential electrification](#) referred to the Economics References Committee for inquiry and report by the last sitting day in 2024
- [Access to cancer diagnosis and treatment](#) referred to the Community Affairs References Committee for inquiry and report by the first sitting Thursday in March 2024

## Reports tabled

- [Scrutiny digest 6 of 2023](#) Scrutiny of Bills Committee
- [Crimes and Other Legislation Amendment \(Omnibus\) Bill 2023](#) Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee
- [Family Law Amendment \(Information Sharing\) Bill 2023](#) Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee

## Government responses

- [Response to dissenting report to the first report of 2021](#) Public Works Joint Committee
- [Response to Advisory report on the Constitution Alteration \(Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Voice\) 2023](#) Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Voice Referendum Joint Select Committee
- [Response to Advisory report on the Referendum \(Machinery Provisions\) Amendment Bill 2022](#) Electoral Matters Joint Committee

## Reporting date extended

- [Legal and Constitutional Affairs 2023-24 Budget estimates](#) extended to 3 August 2023

## Membership

[See committee membership page](#)

## Documents

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### Tabled documents

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

To view individual government and other documents visit [tabled documents](#) and search using the relevant date.

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

### Orders for the production of documents

Agreed to

- [Documents](#) relating to Australia's credit rating to be tabled by the Minister representing the Treasurer, by no later than midday on Thursday, 15 June 2023
- [Documents](#) relating to fisheries industry meetings to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for the Environment and Water, by no later than midday on Wednesday, 21 June 2023
- [Documents](#) relating to the Macquarie Island Marine Park to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for the Environment and Water, by no later than midday on Wednesday, 21 June 2023
- [Documents](#) relating to native timber harvesting in Western Australia to be tabled by the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, by no later than midday on Wednesday, 21 June 2023
- [Documents](#) relating to urban development projects in Hobart and Launceston to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government, by no later than Thursday, 22 June 2023


## Other business

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### Scheduling

- The Senate [varied its hours of meeting and routine of business](#) for 14 to 16 June 2023

### Condolence

- [The Honourable Anthony Allan \(Tony\) Staley AO](#), former minister and member of the House of Representatives
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## Statistics

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Bills received from the House of Representatives	4
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	1
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	2
Reports tabled	3
Orders for production of documents agreed to	5
Notices of motion given	12
Divisions	7

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