

Senate Daily Summary

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Tuesday, 10 November 2020

The Senate met from 12pm to 9.57pm

Bills

Introduced

- Broadcasting Services Amendment (Regional Commercial Radio and Other Measures) Bill 2020
- Health Insurance Amendment (Administration) Bill 2020
- Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment (Omnibus) Bill 2020
- Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment (Supporting the Wellbeing of Veterans and Their Families) Bill
 2020
- Education Legislation Amendment (Up-front Payments Tuition Protection) Bill 2020
- Higher Education (Up-front Payments Tuition Protection Levy) Bill 2020

Considered

Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment (Coronavirus and Other Measures) Bill 2020
 Watch the debate
 Read the transcript

Debate on this bill will continue on 11 November 2020

Passed

With amendments

Economic Recovery Package (JobMaker Hiring Credit) Amendment Bill 2020
 Watch the debate [part one] [part two] Read the transcript [part one] [part two]

The House of Representatives will now consider the Senate's amendments

Messages

The House of Representatives agreed to the following bill without amendment:

Family Law Amendment (Risk Screening Protections) Bill 2020

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

Committees

New inquiry

• Export Market Development Grants Legislation Amendment Bill 2020 referred to the Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Legislation Committee for inquiry and report by 26 November 2020

Reports tabled

- <u>Crimes Legislation Amendment (Economic Disruption) Bill 2020</u> Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee
- Annual report of committee activities 2019–20 Intelligence and Security Joint Committee
- Review of regulations listing the Islamic State West Africa Province and re-listing Boko Haram, Islamic State and Islamic State East Asia as terrorist organisations under the Criminal Code Act 1995 Intelligence and Security Joint Committee
- Review of the mandatory data retention regime Intelligence and Security Joint Committee
- Summary report of the 24 June 2020 public hearing on the Australian Institute of Criminology's National Deaths in Custody Program Law Enforcement Joint Committee
- <u>Delegation to the Antarctic Parliamentarians Assembly</u> National Capital and External Territories Joint Committee
- 190th report—Matters relating to two treaties with Hong Kong Treaties Joint Committee
- <u>191st report—IMF-NAB; IMF-BBA; IMF-PRGT</u> Treaties Joint Committee

Government response

• Response to Charity Fundraising in the 21st Century Select Committee

Reporting date extended

 Environment and Communications Legislation Committee 2020-21 Budget estimates extended to 8 December 2020

Membership

See committee membership page

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 www.legislation.gov.au and search using the Federal Register of Legislation (FRL) number

Orders for the production of documents

Agreed to

- <u>Copy of AUSTRAC 2017 Casino Junkets Campaign Information Report</u> to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Home Affairs, by no later than 11.45 am on 12 November 2020
- <u>Documents relating to the Inland Rail Interface Improvement Program</u> to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Infrastructure, by no later than 10 am on 1 December 2020

Petition

Senator Abetz presented a <u>petition</u> regarding access to e-cigarettes

Ministerial statement

Veterans and their families tabled on behalf of the Minister for Veterans' Affairs

Motions

Agreed to

- Australians stranded overseas moved by Senators Wong and Keneally
- Horse racing moved by Senator Faruqi
- Australian coal moved by Senator Canavan and others

Negatived

- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flags moved by Senator McCarthy and others
- Gas industry moved by Senator Hanson-Young

Denied formality

• Prohibition of nuclear weapons moved by Senator Steele-John

Disallowance motion

Notice of motion to disallow

• Fair Work Amendment (Variation of Enterprise Agreements No. 2) Regulations 2020 [F2020L00702] notice given by the Chair of the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation Committee (Senator Fierravanti-Wells)

Scheduling

• The Senate <u>agreed to suspend sitting on 11 November 2020</u> to enable senators to attend Remembrance Day services

Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	6
Bill introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bill introduced in the Senate – private senator's	0
Bills passed in the Senate	1
Bills negatived or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	1
New inquiries	1
Reports tabled	8
Orders for production of documents agreed to	2
Notices of motion given	13
Divisions	13

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