



Senate Daily Summary

No. 22/2022

Wednesday, 26 October 2022

The Senate met from 9 am to 9.10 pm

Bills

Introduced

- [Supply Bill \(No. 3\) 2022-2023](#)
[Supply Bill \(No. 4\) 2022-2023](#)
[Supply \(Parliamentary Departments\) Bill \(No. 2\) 2022-2023](#)
- [Treasury Laws Amendment \(More Competition, Better Prices\) Bill 2022](#)

Considered

- [Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment \(Save the Koala\) Bill 2021](#)
[private senator's bill]
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Debate on this bill will continue on a later date

Passed

Without amendments

- [Supply Bill \(No. 3\) 2022-2023](#)
[Supply Bill \(No. 4\) 2022-2023](#)
[Supply \(Parliamentary Departments\) Bill \(No. 2\) 2022-2023](#)
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These bills will now be sent to the Governor-General for assent

With amendments

- [Fair Work Amendment \(Paid Family and Domestic Violence Leave\) Bill 2022](#)
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- [National Health Amendment \(General Co-payment\) Bill 2022](#)
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- [Jobs and Skills Australia Bill 2022](#)
[Jobs and Skills Australia \(National Skills Commissioner Repeal\) Bill 2022](#)
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The House of Representatives will now consider the Senate's amendments

Messages

- The House of Representatives disagreed to 9 of the Senate's amendments to the [Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment \(Lifting the Income Limit for the Commonwealth Seniors Health Card\) Bill 2022](#). The Senate did not insist on its amendments and the bill will now be sent to the Governor-General for assent

Committees

New inquiry

- [Department of Employment and Workplace Relations and Australian Electoral Commission proposed fit-out](#) referred to the Public Works Joint Committee for consideration and report as expeditiously as is practicable

Reports tabled

- [Scrutiny digest 6 of 2022](#) Scrutiny of Bills Committee
- [Delegated legislation monitor 7 of 2022](#) Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation Committee
- [4th report of 2022](#) Public Works Joint Committee

Estimates

- The Senate agreed to a motion moved by Senator Bragg regarding the [attendance of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Ombudsman of the Australian Financial Complaints Authority at Budget estimates hearings](#)

Membership

- [Variations were agreed to](#)

[See also committee membership page](#)

Documents

Tabled documents

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

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Other

- [Response](#) to a [question asked by Senator Cox](#) during question time on 25 October 2022
- [Response](#) to a [question asked by Senator David Pocock](#) during question time on 25 October 2022
- [Response](#) to a [question asked by Senator Paterson](#) during question time on 25 October 2022

Orders for the production of documents

Agreed to

- [Documents](#) relating to the Hells Gates Dam to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government by no later than 9.30 am on 27 October 2022
- [Correspondence](#) relating to the 2022-23 Federal Budget to be tabled by the Minister representing the Prime Minister and the Minister representing the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government, by no later than midday Thursday, 27 October 2022
- [Documents](#) relating to the ASEAN meeting on military medicine to be tabled by no later than 3 pm on Wednesday, 2 November 2022 by:
 - Minister for Foreign Affairs
 - Minister for Defence
- [Documents](#) relating to the Wine Tourism and Cellar Door grants program to be tabled by no later than 3 pm on Wednesday 2 November by:
 - Minister representing the Treasurer
 - Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry
 - Minister for Trade and Tourism
- [Documents](#) relating to the Global Methane Pledge to be tabled by no later than midday on 2 November 2022 by:
 - Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry
 - Minister representing the Minister for Climate Change and Energy

Ministerial statement

- [Regional budget statement](#) tabled on behalf of the Minister for Regional Development and Local Development

Petition

- Senator Allman-Payne presented a [petition regarding the live animal export trade](#)

Other business

Motions

Negatived

- [Attendance by Senator Thorpe](#) moved by Senator Hanson

Disallowance motions

Notice of intention to withdraw

- The Chair of the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation Committee (Senator White) gave notice of her intention to withdraw the following notices on the next day of sitting:
 - Air Navigation (Aircraft Noise) Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L01768](#)]
 - Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Health Measures No. 9) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L01823](#)]

- Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Prime Minister and Cabinet Measures No. 11) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L01825](#)]
- Industry Research and Development (Underwriting New Generation Investments Program) Instrument 2021 [[F2021L01708](#)]
- Bankruptcy Amendment (Service of Documents) Regulations 2022 [[F2022L00528](#)]

Negated

- A motion moved by Senator Allman-Payne to disallow the Australian Education Amendment (2022 Capital Funding Indexation) Regulations 2022 [[F2022L01167](#)] was defeated

Agreed to

- A motion moved by Senator Waters to disallow the Industry Research and Development (Underwriting New Generation Investments Program) Instrument 2021 [[F2021L01708](#)] was agreed to

Scheduling

- The Senate [varied the hours of meeting and routine of business](#) for 26 and 27 October 2022

Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	4
Bills introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bills introduced in the Senate – private senators'	0
Bills passed in the Senate	7
Bills negated or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	1
Reports tabled	3
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