



Senate Daily Summary

No. 18/2023

Tuesday, 9 May 2023

The Senate met from 12 pm to 9.13 pm

Budget

- The Budget statement and associated documents were tabled
- The Senate referred the budget documents to legislation committees for consideration during estimates hearings from 22 May to 2 June 2023
- Portfolio budget statements for the parliamentary departments, and portfolio and executive departments, were tabled

Bills

Considered

- [Housing Australia Future Fund Bill 2023](#)
[National Housing Supply and Affordability Council Bill 2023](#)
[Treasury Laws Amendment \(Housing Measures No. 1\) Bill 2023](#)
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Debate on these bills will continue on 10 May 2023

Committees

Reports tabled

- [3rd report of 2023—Cocos \(Keeling\) Islands — West Island, Seawater Reverse Osmosis Plant Project and other works](#) Public Works Joint Committee
- [Statement on the draft estimates for the Australian National Audit Office and the Parliamentary Budget Office for 2023-24](#) Public Accounts and Audit Joint Committee

Government response

- [Response to Regulation of the use of financial services such as credit cards and digital wallets for online gambling in Australia](#) Parliamentary Joint Committee on Corporations and Financial Services

Reporting dates extended

- [Universal access to reproductive healthcare](#) extended to 25 May 2023
- [Treasury Laws Amendment \(Refining and Improving Our Tax System\) Bill 2023](#) extended to 12 May 2023

- [Environment and Other Legislation Amendment \(Removing Nuclear Energy Prohibitions\) Bill 2022](#) extended to 15 June 2023
- [Project known as the Iron Boomerang](#) extended to 10 August 2023

Membership

[See committee membership page](#)

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

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

Other business

Disallowance motions

Notices of motion to disallow

- Social Security (Administration) (Declinable Transactions and BasicsCard Bank Account) Determination 2023 [[F2023L00189](#)] notice given by Senator Rice

Explanations

- The Senate took note of Ministers' explanations relating to the delay in providing answers to questions on notice
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Statements

- The President made a statement regarding the coronation of His Majesty King Charles III
- Senators Wong, Birmingham and Steele-John made statements regarding the conflict in Sudan
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Condolence

- [The Honourable John Charles Kerin AO](#), a former minister and member of the House of Representatives
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Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	0
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	0
Reports tabled	2
Orders for production of documents agreed to	0
Notices of motion given	20
Divisions	1

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