

The Senate

BUSINESS OF COMMITTEES

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SENATE FINANCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Public Hearings: ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES FOR 2017–18

Monday 26 February and Tuesday 27 February 2018

**Committee Room 2S1
Parliament House
Canberra ACT**

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AGENDA

MONDAY, 26 FEBRUARY 2018

Senator the Hon. Scott Ryan	Parliament
9.00am	Department of the Senate Outcome 1: Advisory and administrative support services to enable the Senate and Senators to fulfil their representative and legislative duties. Program 1—Advice and Support
9.30am	Parliamentary Budget Office Outcome: Inform the Parliament by providing independent and non-partisan analysis of the budget cycle, fiscal policy and the financial implications of proposals. Program 1—Parliamentary Budget Office

<p>10.00am</p>	<p>Department of Parliamentary Services Outcome: Support the functions of Parliament and parliamentarians through the provision of professional services, advice and facilities and maintain Australian Parliament House. Program 1.1—Parliamentary Services Program 1.2—Parliament House Works Program</p>
	<p>Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio</p>
<p>Senator the Hon. Michaelia Cash 11.00am</p>	<p>Australian Public Service Commission Outcome 1: Increased awareness and adoption of best practice public administration by the public service through leadership, promotion, advice and professional development, drawing on research and evaluation. Program 1.1—Australian Public Service Commission Program 1.2—Parliamentarians' and Judicial Office Holders' Remuneration and Entitlements</p>
<p>12.00pm</p>	<p>Office for Women (Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet)</p>
<p>Senator the Hon. Mathias Cormann 1.30pm</p>	<p>Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet Outcome 1: Provide high quality policy advice and support to the Prime Minister, the Cabinet, Portfolio Ministers and Assistant Ministers including through the coordination of government activities, policy development and program delivery. Program 1.1—Prime Minister and Cabinet</p>

TUESDAY, 27 FEBRUARY 2018

	Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio
9.00am Senator the Hon. James McGrath	Digital Transformation Agency Outcome 1: To improve the user experience for all Australians accessing government information and services by leading the design, development and continual enhancement of whole-of-government service delivery policies and standards, platforms and joined up services. Program 1.1: Digital Transformation Agency
9.45am	Australian National Audit Office Outcome 1: To improve public sector performance and accountability through independent reporting on Australian Government administration to Parliament, the Executive and the public. Program 1.1—Assurance Audit Services Program 1.2—Performance Audit Services
10.45am Senator the Hon. James McGrath	Office of the Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security Outcome 1: Independent assurance for the Prime Minister, senior ministers and Parliament as to whether Australia's intelligence and security agencies act legally and with propriety by inspecting, inquiring into and reporting on their activities. Program 1.1—Office of the Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security
Senator the Hon. Mathias Cormann	Finance Portfolio
11.15am	ASC Pty Ltd
12.00pm	Australian Naval Infrastructure Pty Ltd
1.30pm	Department of Finance Outcome 1: Support sustainable Australian Government finances through providing high quality policy advice and operational support to the government and Commonwealth entities to maintain effective and efficient use of public resources. Program 1.1—Budget and Financial Management Outcome 2: Support an efficient and high-performing public sector through providing leadership to Commonwealth entities in ongoing improvements to public sector governance, including through systems, frameworks, policy, advice and service delivery. Program 2.1: Public Sector Governance Program 2.2: Transforming Government Program 2.3: Property and Construction Program 2.4: Insurance and Risk Management Program 2.5: Technology and Procurement Services Program 2.6: Service Delivery Office Outcome 3: Support for Parliamentarians and others as required by the Australian Government through the delivery of, and advice on, work expenses and allowances, entitlements and targeted programs. Program 3.1—Ministerial and Parliamentary Services (MaPs)
8.45pm	Independent Parliamentary Expenses Authority Outcome 1: Support for current and former Parliamentarians and others as required by the Australian Government through the delivery of, independent oversight and advice on, work resources and travel resources. Program 1.1—Independent Parliamentary Expenses Authority - Travel

	Oversight and Reporting
9.30pm	Australian Electoral Commission Outcome 1: Maintain an impartial and independent electoral system for eligible voters through active electoral roll management, efficient delivery of polling services, and targeted education and public awareness programs. Program 1.1—Deliver Electoral Events
10.30pm	Future Fund Management Agency Outcome 1: Make provision for the Commonwealth's unfunded superannuation liabilities, payments for the creation and development of infrastructure, and payments from the DisabilityCare Australia Fund and Medical Research Future Fund by managing the investment activities of the Future Fund, Nation-building Funds, Disability Care Australia Fund and Medical Research Future Fund, in line with the Government's investment mandates. Program 1.1—Management of the Investment of the Future Fund Program 1.2—Management of the Investment of the Australian Government Investment Funds To be examined concurrently with: Department of Finance Program 2.8—Australian Government Investment Funds

Proposed breaks	Morning tea	10.30 to 10.45
	Lunch	12.30 to 13.30
	Afternoon tea	15:45 to 16:00
	Dinner	18.30 to 20.00
	Tea Break	21:15 to 21:30

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