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Budget Estimates 2020–21

Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee

Monday, 19 October – Thursday, 22 October 2020

Main Committee Room, Parliament House, Canberra

Times listed are indicative only



Hearing location

Main Committee Room,
Parliament House, Canberra
Waiting room: MCR Waiting Room 1
Waiting overflow room: Committee Room 1S2



Committee members

Senator Amanda Stoker, Chair
Senator the Hon Kim Carr, Deputy Chair
Senator Claire Chandler
Senator Anthony Chisolm
Senator the Hon Sarah Henderson
Senator Lidia Thorpe



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Monday, 19 October

Home Affairs Portfolio

9.00 am	Department of Home Affairs (incl. Australian Border Force) Cross-portfolio, corporate and general matters
10.30 am	Morning tea
10.45 am	Outcome 1: Protect Australia's sovereignty, security and safety through its national security, emergency management system, law enforcement, and managing its border, including managing the stay and departure of all non-citizens Program 1.1 Border Enforcement Program 1.2 Border Management Program 1.3 Onshore Compliance and Detention Program 1.4 IMA Offshore Management Program 1.5 Regional Cooperation Program 1.6 Transport Security Program 1.7 National Security and Criminal Justice Program 1.8 Cyber Security Program 1.9 Counter Terrorism Program 1.10 Australian Government Disaster Financial Support Payments
12.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	Outcome 1 (continued)
3.15 pm	Afternoon tea
3.30 pm	Outcome 1 (continued)
4.00 pm	Outcome 2: Support a prosperous and inclusive society, and advance Australia's economic interests through the effective management of the visa, multicultural and citizenship programs and provision of refugee and humanitarian assistance and settlement and migrant services Program 2.1 Multicultural Affairs and Citizenship Program 2.2 Migration Program 2.3 Visas Program 2.4: Refugee, Humanitarian, Settlement and Migrant Services
6.00 pm	Dinner
7.00 pm	Outcome 2 (continued)
8.45 pm	Tea
9.00 pm	Outcome 3: Advance Australia's economic interests through the facilitation of the trade of goods to and from Australia and the collection of border revenue Program 3.1 Border–Revenue Collection Program 3.2 Trade Facilitation and Industry Engagement
11.00pm	Adjournment

Tuesday, 20 October

Home Affairs Portfolio

9.00 am	Australian Institute for Disaster Resilience
10.00 am	Australian Federal Police
10.30 am	Morning tea
10.45 am	Australian Federal Police (continued)
12.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	Australian Security Intelligence Organisation
2.45 pm	Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission and the Australian Institute of Criminology
3.15 pm	Afternoon tea
3.30 pm	Australian Transaction Reports and Analysis Centre
5.00 pm	<p>Department of Home Affairs (incl Australian Border Force)</p> <p>Outcome 1: Protect Australia's sovereignty, security and safety through its national security, emergency management system, law enforcement, and managing its border, including managing the stay and departure of all non-citizens</p> <p>Program 1.1 Border Enforcement</p> <p>Program 1.2 Border Management</p> <p>Program 1.3 Onshore Compliance and Detention</p> <p>Program 1.4 IMA Offshore Management</p> <p>Program 1.5 Regional Cooperation</p> <p>Program 1.6 Transport Security</p> <p>Program 1.7 National Security and Criminal Justice</p> <p>Program 1.8 Cyber Security</p> <p>Program 1.9 Counter-Terrorism</p> <p>Program 1.10 Australian Government Disaster Financial Support Payments</p>
6.00 pm	Dinner
7.00 pm	<p>Outcome 2: Support a prosperous and inclusive society, and advance Australia's economic interests through the effective management of the visa, multicultural and citizenship programs and provision of refugee and humanitarian assistance and settlement and migrant services</p> <p>Program 2.1 Multicultural Affairs and Citizenship</p> <p>Program 2.2 Migration</p> <p>Program 2.3 Visas</p> <p>Program 2.4: Refugee, Humanitarian, Settlement and Migrant Services</p>
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11.00 pm	Adjournment

Attorney-General's Portfolio

9.00 am	Attorney-General's Department Cross portfolio, corporate and general matters
9.30am	Legal Services and Families Group – Encompassing: Families and Legal System Division (Legal System, Family Law, Family Safety), Legal Services Policy Division (Office of Constitutional Law, Office of Legal Services Coordination, Royal Commissions Commonwealth Representation, Legal Assistance, Office of Corporate Counsel), Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability, the Royal Commission into Aged Care Quality and Safety, the Royal Commission into National Natural Disaster Arrangements. Program 1.1: Civil Justice and Legal Services - Operating Expenses Program 1.4: Justice Services Program 1.5: Family Relationships Program 1.6: Indigenous Legal and Native Title Assistance Program 1.7: Royal Commissions
10.30 am	Morning tea
10.45 am	Legal Services and Families Group (continued)
12.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	Legal Services and Families Group (continued)
2.30 pm	Integrity and International Group – Encompassing: Integrity and Security Division (Security and Criminal Justice, Integrity Law, Fraud Prevention and Anti-Corruption, Transparency Frameworks), Information Law and Intelligence Review Response Taskforce, and International Division (Office of International Law, International Cooperation, PNG Law & Justice) Program 1.1: Civil Justice and Legal Services - Operating Expenses Program 1.2: National Security and Criminal Justice - Operating Expenses
3.15 pm	Afternoon tea
3.30 pm	Integrity and International Group (continued)
6.00pm	Dinner
7.00pm	Integrity and International Group (continued)
7.30 pm	Enabling Services Group – Encompassing: Corporate Services Division (AGS Finance, Financial Services, Business Operations Branch), Information Division, Strategy and Governance, and Human Resources. Program 1.1: Civil Justice and Legal Services - Operating Expenses Program 1.2: National Security and Criminal Justice - Operating Expenses

9.15pm	Tea
9.30pm	Australian Government Solicitor Group – Encompassing: Office of the AGS COO; Office of General Counsel; AGS Dispute Resolution; AGS Commercial. Program 1.3: Australian Government Solicitor
11.00pm	Adjournment

Attorney-General's Portfolio

9.00 am	<p>Attorney-General's Department</p> <p>Legal Services and Families Group – Encompassing: Families and Legal System Division (Legal System, Family Law, Family Safety), Legal Services Policy Division (Office of Constitutional Law, Office of Legal Services Coordination, Royal Commissions Commonwealth Representation, Legal Assistance, Office of Corporate Counsel), Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability, the Royal Commission into Aged Care Quality and Safety, the Royal Commission into National Natural Disaster Arrangements.</p> <p>Program 1.7: Royal Commissions</p>
9.15 am	National Archives of Australia
10.00 am	Australian Financial Security Authority*
10.30 am	Morning tea
10.45 am	High Court of Australia
11.15 am	<p>Australian Human Rights Commission*</p> <p>Emeritus Professor Rosalind Croucher AM, President</p> <p>The Hon Dr Kay Patterson AO, Age Discrimination Commissioner</p> <p>Ms June Oscar, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Justice Commissioner</p> <p>Mr Edward Santow, Human Rights Commissioner</p> <p>Ms Kate Jenkins, Sex Discrimination Commissioner</p> <p>Dr Ben Gauntlett, Disability Discrimination Commissioner</p> <p>Mr Chin Tan, Race Discrimination Commissioner</p>
12.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	Office of the Australian Information Commissioner*
2.30 pm	Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security
3.15 pm	Afternoon tea
3.30 pm	Administrative Appeals Tribunal*
5.00 pm	Independent National Security Legislation Monitor
6.00 pm	Dinner
7.00 pm	Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity

8.00 pm	Commonwealth Ombudsman
9.15pm	Tea
9.30pm	Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability
10.00 pm	Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions*
11.00pm	Adjournment