

The Senate

BUSINESS OF COMMITTEES

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SENATE ENVIRONMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Public Hearings: BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 2016–17

Thursday, 5 May 2016

**Committee Room 2S3
Parliament House
Canberra ACT**

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THURSDAY, 5 May 2016

Time Environment Portfolio

9.00 am	General questions of the Department
9.20 am	Bureau of Meteorology
9.40 am	Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority
10.15 am	Clean Energy Finance Corporation
	Morning Tea: 10.30 am to 10.45 am
10.45 am	Director of National Parks
11.05 am	Australian Renewable Energy Agency
11.25 am	Climate Change Authority
11.45 am	Clean Energy Regulator
12.05 pm	National Wind Farm Commissioner
	Lunch: 12.20 pm to 1.20 pm
1.20 pm	Program 2.2: Adapting to Climate Change
1.35 pm	Program 2.1: Reducing Australia's Greenhouse Gas Emissions

1.50 pm	Program 1.4: Conservation of Australia's Heritage and the Environment
2.20 pm	Program 4.1: Water Reform
2.35 pm	Program 4.2: Commonwealth Environment Water Office
2.55 pm	Program 1.5: Environmental regulation
3.35 pm	Program 1.1: Sustainable Management of Natural Resources and the Environment
4.00 pm	Program 1.2: Environmental Information and Research
	Afternoon Tea: 4.15 pm to 4.30 pm

Time Communications and the Arts Portfolio

4.30 pm	General questions of the Department
4.50 pm	Screen Australia
5.05 pm	Australia Council
5.20 pm	Australian Broadcasting Corporation
5.50 pm	Australia Post
	Dinner: 6.20 pm to 7.20 pm
7.20 pm	Program 2.1: Arts and Cultural Development
8.20 pm	Program 1.1: Digital Technologies and Communications Services
	Tea Break: 9.00 pm to 9.15 pm
9.15 pm	NBN Co
11.00 pm	Adjournment

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