# The Senate BUSINESS OF COMMITTEES

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### SENATE ENVIRONMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

#### Public Hearings: SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 2015–16

Monday, 19 October and Tuesday, 20 October 2015

Committee Room 2S3 Parliament House Canberra ACT

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## MONDAY, 19 October 2015

Time	<b>Environment Portfolio</b>
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9.00 am	General questions of the Department
10.10 am	Bureau of Meteorology
	Morning Tea: 10.30 am to 10.45 am
10.45 am	Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority
11.30 am	Outcome 3: Antarctica
11.50 am	Director of National Parks
	Lunch: 12.20 pm to 1.20 pm
1.20 pm	Office of the Supervising Scientist
1.40 pm	Program 1.2: Environmental Information and Research
2.10 pm	Program 1.3: Carbon Pollution Reduction – Land Sector Initiatives
2.25 pm	Program 2.1: Reducing Australia's Greenhouse Gas Emissions
3.15 pm	Program 2.2: Adapting to Climate Change

	Afternoon Tea: 3.45 pm to 4.00 pm
4.00 pm	Program 1.4: Conservation of Australia's Heritage and the Environment
4.30 pm	<b>Program 1.1: Sustainable Management of Natural Resources and the Environment</b>
5.30 pm	Clean Energy Regulator
6.00 pm	Climate Change Authority
	Dinner: 6.30 pm to 7.30 pm
7.30 pm	Program 1.6: Management of Hazardous Wastes, Substances and Pollutants
8.00 pm	Program 4.1: Water Reform*
8.30 pm	Program 4.2: Commonwealth Environmental Water Office
	Tea Break: 9.00 pm to 9.15 pm
9.15 pm	Program 1.5: Environmental regulation
10.00 pm	Clean Energy Finance Corporation
10.30 pm	Australian Renewable Energy Agency
11.00 pm	Adjournment

\*Program name to be confirmed

# TUESDAY, 20 October 2015

#### Time **Communications Portfolio**

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9.00 am	General questions of the Department
9.45 am	Australian Communications and Media Authority
	Morning Tea: 10.15 am to 10.30 am
10.30 am	Special Broad casting Service
11.30 am	Outcome 2 Program 2.1: Arts and Cultural Development
	Lunch: 12.30 pm to 1.30 pm
1.30 pm	Australia Council
2.00 pm	Screen Australia
2.30 pm	Program 1.1: Digital Technologies and Communications Services
	Afternoon Tea: 4.00 pm to 4.15 pm
4.15 pm	NBN Co
	Dinner 6.30 pm to 7.30 pm
7.30 pm	NBN Co (continued)
	Tea Break: 9.00 pm to 9.15 pm
9.15 pm	NBN Co (continued)
10.00 pm	Australia Post
11.00 pm	Adjournment

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