

Senate Daily Summary

2001-02 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS

Tuesday 29 May 2001

Related links

For <u>general information</u> about the consideration of the 2001-02 Budget estimates (membership of committees, portfolio allocation, terms of reference, hearing schedules etc)

Portfolio budget statements and related budget papers can be obtained from the Senate Table Office (phone 6277 3010) and on the Internet at www.budget.gov.au

Community Affairs Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Family and Community Services; Health and Aged Care For current information about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.10am until 10.10pm.

The committee:

- □ **completed** Health and Aged Care (outcomes 2, 4 to 9 and cross outcomes)
- □ will commence Family and Community Services when it meets on Wednesday 30 May 2001 in Senate Committee Room 2S3

Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Finance and Administration; Parliament; Prime Minister and Cabinet; Reconciliation and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs For current information about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.05am until 12.07am.

The committee:

- continued Finance and Public Administration (completed ComSuper and Australian Electoral Commission)
- u will continue Prime Minister and Cabinet and
- □ will continue Finance and Public Administration (Office of Asset Sales and Commercial Support) when it meets on Wednesday 30 May 2001 in Senate Committee Room 2S1

Legal and Constitutional Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Attorney-General; Immigration and Multicultural Affairs For current information about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.00am until 10.40pm.

The committee:

- □ **completed** Attorney-General (departmental outcomes 1 and 2 and the Family Court of Australia) and
- □ **commenced** Immigration and Multicultural Affairs (completed Migration Review Tribunal and Migration Agents Registration Authority)
- □ will continue Immigration and Multicultural Affairs when it meets on Wednesday 30 May 2001 in the Main Committee Room

Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry; Transport and Regional Services For current information about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.10am until 11.00pm.

The committee:

- **completed** Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (outputs C to J)
- □ **commenced** Transport and Regional Services (completed output 1 [Executive and Corporate Management] and commenced output 2)
- □ will continue Transport and Regional Services (outputs 2 to 8) when it meets on Wednesday 30 May 2001 in House of Representatives Committee Room 2R1

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Further information

Committee Hansards can be obtained from the Senate Table Office (phone 62773010) and on the Internet (when available)

Committee proceedings can be viewed on the <u>Internet</u> and through <u>Fedcast</u> (see the estimates information document)

Senate Briefs, prepared by the Senate Procedure Office, provide general information about the estimates process:

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