

Senate Daily Summary 2004-05 BUDGET ESTIMATES

Thursday 3 June 2004

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Portfolio budget statements and related papers can be obtained from the Senate Table Office (phone 6277 3010) and on the <u>Internet</u>.

<u>General information</u> about the consideration of the 2004-05 Budget Estimates (membership of committees, portfolio allocation, terms of reference etc.) is available on the Senate web page.

<u>An agenda</u> for each of the legislation committees listed below is available on the Senate webpage and will be updated as necessary.

The Senate Daily Summary will be published each day after the legislation committees meet. The Summary will give a brief overview on the progress made by each committee and the business each committee expects to consider the next day.

Community Affairs Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Family and Community Services; Health and Ageing For <u>current information</u> about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.05am until 10.10pm.

The committee:

- **completed** the Health and Ageing portfolio (outcomes 1, and 4 to 9)
- will continue the Family and Community Services portfolio (output groups 1.1, 1.4, 3.2, 3.3 and 3.4) when it meets on Friday 4 June 2004 in Senate Committee Room 2S1

Economics Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Industry, Tourism and Resources; Treasury For <u>current information</u> about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.07am until 11.00pm.

The committee:

□ **continued** the Treasury portfolio (Australian Competition and Consumer Commission)

will continue the Treasury portfolio (outcome 2 of the department [Australian Taxation Office]) when it meets on Friday 4 June 2004 in House of Representatives Committee Room 2R1

Employment, Workplace Relations and Education Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Education, Science and Training; Employment and Workplace Relations For <u>current information</u> about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.05am until 5.45pm.

The committee **completed**:

- the Education, Science and Training portfolio (Australian National Training Authority, Vocational Education and Training Group, Higher Education Group, Innovation and Research System Group, and Australian Education International Group)
- □ budget estimates consideration

Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Defence (including Veterans' Affairs); Foreign Affairs and Trade For <u>current information</u> about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.00am until 7.00pm.

The committee:

- **completed** the Foreign Affairs and Trade portfolio (Austrade, outputs 1.1, 1.2, and 2.1 of the department)
- □ will continue the Defence portfolio on a day to be determined during the *next sitting week* (15 to 17 June 2004)

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Further information

Committee Hansards can be obtained from the Senate Table Office (phone 6277 3010) and on the Internet (when available)

Committee proceedings can be viewed on the <u>Internet</u> (see the estimates information document) *Senate Briefs*, prepared by the Senate Procedure Office, provide general information about the estimates process:

<u>No. 4</u>: Senate Committees

<u>No. 5</u>: Consideration of Estimates by the Senate's Legislation Committees

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