



Senate Daily Summary

2005-06 BUDGET ESTIMATES supplementary hearings

Tuesday 1 November 2005

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Environment, Communications, Information Technology and the Arts Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Communications, Information Technology and the Arts;
Environment and Heritage

For [current information](#) about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.05am until 11.05pm.

The committee **completed**:

- Communications, Information Technology and the Arts portfolio (outcome 2)
- Environment and Heritage portfolio (Marine, Natural Resource Management Programmes, Policy Coordination, and Environment Quality Divisions to be examined through questions on notice)
- budget estimates supplementary hearings

Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Finance and Administration; Human Services; Parliament; Prime Minister and Cabinet

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The committee met from 9.03am until 11.02pm.

The committee **completed:**

- Finance and Administration portfolio (including the Department of Finance and Administration, Australian Electoral Commission, Comsuper, CSS Board, PSS Board, Department of Human Services, and Centrelink)
- budget estimates supplementary hearings

Legal and Constitutional Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Attorney-General; Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs

For [current information](#) about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.03am until 11.01pm.

The committee **completed:**

- Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs portfolio
- budget estimates supplementary hearings

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 9.00am until 10.50pm.

The committee **completed:**

- Transport and Regional Services portfolio
- Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry portfolio
- budget estimates supplementary hearings

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