



This week at a glance

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Budget 2005-06

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The Senate will meet on Tuesday 10 May at 12.30pm. The Minister for Finance and Administration will table the 2005-06 budget documents in the Senate at 8.00pm. The documents will then be referred to legislation committees to enable the committees to hold estimates hearings. Budget [estimates hearings](#) are scheduled from 23 May to 3 June 2005.

Legislation

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The following bills may be considered on the days indicated

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- Crimes Legislation Amendment (Telecommunications Interception and Other Measures) Bill 2005
- Family Law Amendment Bill 2005
- Workplace Relations Amendment (Right of Entry) Bill 2004

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- Border Protection Legislation Amendment (Deterrence of Illegal Foreign Fishing) Bill 2005
- Criminal Code Amendment (Trafficking in Persons Offences) Bill 2004 [2005]
- Higher Education Legislation Amendment (2005 Measures No. 1) Bill 2005
- Tax Laws Amendment (2005 Measures No. 1) Bill 2005
- Trade Practices Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 1) 2005

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- Australian Institute of Marine Science Amendment Bill 2005
- Consular Privileges and Immunities Amendment Bill 2005
- Customs Tariff Amendment Bill (No. 1) 2005
- Environment and Heritage Legislation Amendment Bill 2005
- Fisheries Legislation Amendment (International Obligations and Other Matters) Bill 2005
- National Security Information Legislation Amendment Bill 2005
- Social Security Amendment (Extension of Youth Allowance and Austudy Eligibility to New Apprentices) Bill 2005

- Statute Law Revision Bill 2005
- Telecommunications Legislation Amendment (Regular Reviews and Other Measures) Bill 2005

Committees

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The following reports are due to be tabled on the days indicated

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- Migration Litigation Reform Bill 2005—Legal and Constitutional Legislation Committee
- National Security Information Legislation Amendment Bill 2005—Legal and Constitutional Legislation Committee
- Telecommunications Legislation Amendment (Regular Reviews and Other Measures) Bill 2005—Environment, Communications, Information Technology and the Arts Legislation Committee

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- AusLink (National Land Transport) Bill 2004 and the AusLink (National Land Transport—Consequential and Transitional Provisions) Bill 2004—Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee
- Indigenous education—Employment, Workplace Relations and Education References Committee

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