Senate Daily Summary

2006-07 BUDGET ESTIMATES

Tuesday 30 May 2006

Related links

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 2006-07 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 to the next day.

Community Affairs Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Family, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs; Health and Ageing

For <u>current information</u> about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.00am until 11.00pm.

The committee:

- completed the Family, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs portfolio
- □ will commence the Health and Ageing portfolio (whole of portfolio/corporate matters, outcomes 2, 3, 4, 9, 12 and 13) when it meets on Wednesday 31 May 2006 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 9.04am until 11.02pm.

The committee:

□ **commenced** the Treasury portfolio (completed outcome 3, Australian Taxation Office and the Inspector-General of Taxation)

will continue the Treasury portfolio (Takeovers Panel, National Competition Council, Australian Office of Financial Management, Treasury outcomes 2 and 4, Australian Securities and Investment Commission, Australian Prudential Regulation Authority, Productivity Commission, and the Australian Bureau of Statistics) when it meets on Wednesday 31 May 2006 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 9.03am until 11.50pm.

The committee:

- **completed** the Employment and Workplace Relations portfolio
- □ will continue the Education, Science and Training portfolio (Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation, Australian Research Council, Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation, Department of Education, Science and Training, Science Group, Cross Portfolio, Innovation and Research Systems Group, Indigenous and Transitions Group, and the Strategic Analysis and Evaluation Group) when it meets on Wednesday 31 May 2006 in Senate Committee Room 2S3

Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Legislation Committee

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

The committee met from 9.00am until 7.00pm.

The committee:

- □ **completed** the Foreign Affairs and Trade portfolio
- □ will commence the Defence portfolio (Department of Defence, Portfolio overview and major corporate issues, Defence Material Organisation, Major capability facilities projects, Defence outcomes, and Business processes) when it meets on Wednesday 31 May 2006 in the Main Committee Room

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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 Internet

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

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