

# Senate Daily Summary 2008-09 BUDGET ESTIMATES

# Monday, 2 June 2008

## **Community Affairs Committee**

**Portfolios allocated:** Families, Housing, 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 10.30pm.

The committee called the department and agencies of the Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs portfolio, including: the Equal Opportunity for Women in the Workplace Agency.

The committee will meet on Tuesday, 3 June 2008 in Committee Room 2S1, again calling the Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs portfolio, commencing with the department.

### **Economics Committee**

**Portfolios allocated:** Innovation, Industry, Science and Research; Resources, Energy and Tourism; Treasury

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

The committee met from 9.02am until 10.57pm.

The committee called:

- □ the Department of Innovation, Industry, Science and Research; and
- □ the department and agencies of the Resources, Energy and Tourism portfolio, including Geoscience Australia and Tourism Australia.

The committee will meet on Tuesday, 3 June 2008 in Committee Room 2R1:

- again calling the Innovation, Industry, Science and Research portfolio; commencing with the department; and
- calling the department and agencies of the Treasury portfolio, commencing with the department.

### Education, Employment and Workplace Relations Committee

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

The committee met from 9.00am until 10.37pm.

The committee called the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations.

The committee will meet on Tuesday, 3 June 2008 in Committee Room 2S3, again calling the Education, Employment and Workplace Relations portfolio, commencing with Comcare.

### Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Committee

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

The committee met from 9.00am until 9.50pm.

The committee called the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

The committee will meet on Tuesday, 3 June 2008 in the Main Committee Room, again calling the Foreign Affairs and Trade portfolio, commencing with the Australian Agency for International Development.

### **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 2008-09 budget estimates (membership of committees, portfolio allocation, terms of reference etc.) is available on the Senate web page.

<u>A program</u> for each of the committees is available on the Senate webpage and will be updated as necessary.

Committee proceedings can be viewed on the Internet

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

*The Senate Daily Summary* will be published each day after the 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.

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### **Further information**

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

No. 4: Senate Committees

No. 5: Consideration of Estimates by the Senate Committees

No. 13: Rights and Responsibilities of Witnesses before Senate Committees

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