

enate Daily Summary

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20 June 2000

The Senate met from 2.00pm until 7.27pm

Legislation

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The following bills were introduced in the Senate

Indirect Tax Legislation Amendment Bill 2000 New Business Tax System (Integrity Measures) Bill 2000 Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 6) 2000

The following bills were considered

Indirect Tax Legislation Amendment Bill 2000–second reading debate began

Social Security and Veterans' Entitlements Legislation Amendment (Miscellaneous Matters) Bill 2000–second reading agreed to Sydney Harbour Federation Trust Bill 1999 [2000]–committee of the whole consideration continued (49 Opposition/Democrat amendments agreed to, 3 clauses negatived)

Bills assented to

Assent to several bills was reported in the Senate

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Committees

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Reports tabled

- □ New Business Tax System (Integrity Measures) Bill 2000–Economics Legislation Committee
- □ Taxation Laws Amendment Bill (No. 11) 1999–Economics Legislation Committee

New inquiry

The Senate agreed to refer matters relating to <u>child migration in Australia</u> to the Community Affairs References Committee—to report by 14 May 2001

Delegated legislation

For a complete list of notices of motion to disallow (and outcomes) click here 🕒

Regulation disallowed

The Senate *agreed to disallow* the Customs (Prohibited Imports) Amendment Regulations 1999 (No. 9), as contained in Statutory Rules 1999 No. 333 and made under the *Customs Act 1901*

Notices of motion given

Notices of motion were given to disallow the following delegated legislation:

- □ Civil Aviation Amendment Order (No. 2) 2000, made under the Civil Aviation Regulations 1988–15 sitting days after today
- □ Civil Aviation Amendment Order (No. 4) 2000, made under the Civil Aviation Regulations 1988–15 sitting days after today
- □ Exemption No. CASA EX28/2000, made under regulation 308 of the Civil Aviation Regulations 1988–15 sitting days after today

Notices of motion withdrawn

Notices of motion were withdrawn to disallow 12 instruments

See the **Documents** section for details of instruments tabled

Notices of motion

For other notices of motion not mentioned elsewhere click here 🕒

Orders for the return of documents

Motions agreed to

- □ The Senate ordered the Assistant Treasurer to table correspondence from the Australian Taxation Commissioner to the Australian Electoral Commissioner of 19 April 2000 and any written response to such correspondence by the Australian Electoral Commission (no later than 11am on 22 June 2000)
- □ The Senate ordered the Minister for Industry, Science and Resources to table any documents, including (but not limited to) internal memos, internal reports, consultants' reports, tender documentation, tender submissions or appendices to tender submissions, held by the Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation relating to fuel for the new nuclear reactor at Lucas Heights (no later than 4pm on 26 June 2000)

Documents tabled

A letter and attachment relating to the final report prepared for the Federal Office of Road Safety by Roaduser International Pty Ltd, *Investigation into the specification of heavy trucks and consequent effects on truck dynamics and drivers* were tabled (in response to a motion moved by Senator Harris on 5 June 2000)

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Documents

The following documents were tabled:

- □ Auditor-General–Report No. 47 of 1999-2000–Performance audit–Survey of fraud control: Arrangements in APS agencies
- □ <u>Clerk's documents</u> (disallowable instruments and other documents required by statute to be tabled)
- Government documents

Petitions

A petition was tabled

Also in the Senate yesterday

- Questions without notice and debate on issues arising in Question Time
- Government documents were discussed
- □ Adjournment debate

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