Senate Daily Summary

No. 13/2019

Monday, 9 September 2019

The Senate met from 10.00am to 10.16pm

Senators

• The President tabled <u>Senator Fifield's resignation</u> and <u>letter to the Governor of Victoria</u> notifying of the casual vacancy.

Bills

Introduced

- <u>National Sports Tribunal Bill 2019</u>
 <u>National Sports Tribunal (Consequential Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Bill 2019</u>
- <u>Criminal Code Amendment (Agricultural Protection) Bill 2019</u>
- <u>Customs Amendment (Immediate Destruction of Illicit Tobacco) Bill 2019</u>

Considered

<u>Royal Commissions Amendment (Private Sessions) Bill 2019</u>
 Watch the debate [part one] [part two]
 Read the transcript [part one] [part two]

Debate on this bill will continue on 10 September 2019

Passed

Without amendment

<u>National Integrity Commission Bill 2018 (No. 2)</u> [private senator's bill]
 <u>Watch the debate</u> <u>Read the transcript</u>

The House of Representatives will now consider the bill

<u>Treasury Laws Amendment (Making Sure Multinationals Pay Their Fair Share of Tax in Australia and Other Measures) Bill 2019</u>
 Watch the debate Read the transcript

This bill will now be sent to the Governor-General for assent

Messages

• The House of Representatives agreed to the <u>Road Vehicle Standards Legislation Amendment Bill 2019</u> without amendment

This bill will now be sent to the Governor-General for assent

Committees

New inquiries

- <u>Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder</u> referred to the Community Affairs References Committee for inquiry and report by the first sitting day in June 2020
- <u>Joint Select Committee on the implementation of the National Redress Scheme</u> for inquiry and report by the last sitting day in May 2022

Reporting dates extended

- <u>Human Services Amendment (Photographic Identification and Fraud Prevention) Bill 2019</u> extended to 16 October 2019
- Impact of feral deer, pigs and goats in Australia extended to 3 December 2019
- <u>Compliance by former Ministers of State with Ministerial Standards</u> extended to 26 September 2019

Membership

<u>Members were appointed to joint committees</u>

See also committee membership page

Documents

Tabled documents

- <u>Government documents and documents presented by the President</u> (includes documents presented since the Senate last sat)
- <u>Clerk's documents</u> [legislative instruments and other documents required by statute to be tabled]

To view individual instruments visit <u>www.legislation.gov.au</u> and search using the Federal Register of Legislation (FRL) number

 Responses <u>from Mr Dutton</u> and <u>Senator Cash</u> to a <u>question asked by Senator Patrick</u> during consideration of the Australian Security Intelligence Organisation Amendment (Sunsetting of Special Powers Relating to Terrorism Offences) Bill 2019 on 1 August 2019

Order for the production of documents

Agreed to

<u>Government response to a report of the Joint Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Committee into the management of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances</u> to be tabled by the Minister for Defence by 12pm on 10 September 2019

Other

• Senator Di Natale tabled a petitioning document regarding West Papua

Other business

Motions

Agreed to

• <u>Threatened species protection</u> moved by Senator Hanson-Young

Negatived

- <u>Clean energy jobs</u> moved by Senator Waters
- <u>Fossil fuel basins</u> moved by Senator Hanson-Young
- <u>Jobactive</u> moved by Senator Siewert

Disallowance motions

Notices of motion to disallow

- Quality of Care Amendment (Minimising the Use of Restraints) Principles 2019 [F2019L00511] notice given by Senators Siewert and McKim
- Australian Education Amendment (2019 Measures No. 1) Regulation 2019 [F2019L00558] notice given by Senator Faruqi

Condolences

- The Honourable Tim Andrew Fischer, AC, former Deputy Prime Minister and member of the House of Representatives
 - Watch the condolences 🖹 Read the transcript

Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	4
Bill introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bill introduced in the Senate – private senator's	0
Bills passed in the Senate	2
Bills negatived or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	2
Reports tabled	0
Notices of motion given	18
Divisions	7

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