

Senate Daily Summary

No. 21/2020

Tuesday, 16 June 2020

The Senate met from 12pm to 10.18pm

Bills

Introduced

- Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Amendment (Coronavirus Economic Response Package) Bill 2020
- Fair Work Amendment (One in, All in) Bill 2020 [private senator's bill]

Considered

Treasury Laws Amendment (Your Superannuation, Your Choice) Bill 2019
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Debate on this bill will continue on 17 June 2020

Messages

 The House of Representatives agreed to Senate amendments nos 1 and 3 and disagreed to amendment no. 2 to the <u>Crimes Legislation Amendment (Sexual Crimes Against Children and Community Protection</u> <u>Measures) Bill 2019</u>. The Senate did not insist on its amendment

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

The Senate insisted on its amendments to the <u>Treasury Laws Amendment (2019 Measures No. 3) Bill 2019</u> to which the House had disagreed. The House insisted on disagreeing to the amendments

The Senate will now consider the House's message advising of its disagreement to the amendments

Committees

New inquiries

- <u>Future of Australia Post's service delivery</u> referred to the <u>Environment and Communications Legislation</u> <u>Committee</u> for inquiry and report by 11 August 2020
- AIR 555 Phase 1 Airborne Intelligence Surveillance Reconnaissance Electronic Warfare Capability
 Facilities Works referred to the Public Works Committee for inquiry and report as soon as reasonably possible

Government response

• Response to Investments Uruguay, ISDS UN Convention and Convention SKAO Treaties Joint Committee

Statement

- The Chair of the Joint Select Committee on Australia's Family Law System (Senator Hanson) made a statement on the progress of the inquiry

Membership

Variations were agreed to

See committee membership page

Documents

Tabled documents

• Clerk's documents [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

Orders for the production of documents

Agreed to

- <u>Documents relating to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal</u> to be tabled by the Minister representing the Attorney-General by no later than 9 am on 30 July 2020
- <u>Documents relating to the support of international students</u> to be tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Education and the Minister representing the Treasurer by 7.20pm on 17 June 2020

Delegation report

Report tabled from the <u>Australian parliamentary delegation to Thailand, the Philippines and Malaysia</u>
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Other business

Motions

Agreed to

- <u>Confidentiality provisions</u> moved by Senator Steele-John
- Live export industry moved by Senator Roberts
- World Elder Abuse Awareness Day moved by Senator Siewert
- Vietnamese community moved by Senators Dean Smith and Keneally
- Migraine Awareness Month moved by Senators Polley and Bilyk

Negatived

- Adani Carmichael coal mine moved by Senator Waters
- <u>Robodebt</u> moved by Senator Siewert
- Live export during the northern summer moved by Senator Farugi
- <u>Bradfield Scheme</u> moved by Senator Hanson

Denied formality

• <u>Indigenous deaths in custody</u> moved by Senator Roberts

Disallowance motion

Debated

• Australian Postal Corporation (Performance Standards) Amendment (2020 Measures No. 1) Regulations 2020 [F2020L00579] moved by Senator Kitching and others

Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	1
Bill introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bill introduced in the Senate – private senators'	1
Bills passed in the Senate	0
Bills negatived or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	2
Reports tabled	0
Orders for production of documents agreed to	2
Notices of motion given	17
Divisions	12

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