



Senate Daily Summary

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Monday, 18 October 2021

The Senate met from 10 am to 7.39 pm

Senators

New senators

- [Senator Cox](#) was sworn in as a senator for Western Australia and [Senator Grogan](#) was sworn in as a senator for South Australia
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The President

- The Governor-General tabled [former President Ryan's resignation](#)
- [Senator Brockman](#) was elected to the position of President, following a ballot
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Bills

Introduced

- [Aboriginal Land Rights \(Northern Territory\) Amendment \(Economic Empowerment\) Bill 2021](#)

Considered

- [Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Amendment \(Improved Grants Reporting\) Bill 2021](#) [private senator's bill]
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- [Commonwealth Electoral Amendment \(Integrity of Elections\) Bill 2021](#) [private senator's bill]
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Debate on these bills will continue at a later date

Passed

Without amendments

- [Export Finance and Insurance Corporation Amendment \(Equity Investments and Other Measures\) Bill 2021](#)
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This bill will now be sent to the Governor-General for assent

Message

The House of Representatives agreed to the Senate's amendments to the following bill:

- [Treasury Laws Amendment \(2021 Measures No. 2\) Bill 2021](#)

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

Committees

Report tabled

- [Destruction of caves at the Juukan Gorge](#) Northern Australia Joint Committee
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Reporting dates extended

- [Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment \(Climate Trigger\) Bill 2020](#) extended to 8 December 2021
- [Live Performance Federal Insurance Guarantee Fund Bill 2021](#) extended to 3 November 2021
- [COAG Legislation Amendment Bill 2021](#) extended to 19 October 2021
- [Crimes Amendment \(Remissions of Sentences\) Bill 2021](#) extended to 5 November 2021
- [Anti-money laundering and counter-terrorism financing regime](#) extended to the last sitting day in March 2022
- [Family and partner reunion visas](#) extended to the first sitting day in March 2022

Membership

- [Variations were agreed to](#)

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Documents

Tabled documents

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

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

Other

- [Response](#) to a [question asked by Senator Watt during question time on 25 February 2021](#)
- [Response](#) to a [question asked by Senator O'Neill during question time on 26 August 2021](#)

Order for the production of documents

Tabled

- [Response](#) to an [order for the production of documents relating to the Beetaloo Cooperative Drilling program](#) agreed to on 24 August 2021

Other business

Disallowance motions

Notice of intention to withdraw

- The Chair of the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation Committee (Senator Fierravanti-Wells) gave notice of her intention to withdraw the following notices on the next day of sitting:
 - Aged Care Legislation Amendment (Serious Incident Response Scheme) Instrument 2021 [[F2021L00222](#)]
 - Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Health Measures No. 1) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L00290](#)]
 - High Court of Australia (Building and Precincts – Regulating the Conduct of Persons) Directions 2021 [[F2021L00391](#)]
 - Legislation (Telecommunications Customer Service Guarantee Instruments) Sunset-altering Declaration 2021 [[F2021L00277](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 List 2003 (No. 2) [[F2021L00632](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 List 2003 (No. 3) [[F2021L00628](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 List 2004 (No. 2) [[F2021L00642](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 List 2009 (No. 1) [[F2021L00637](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2010 (No. 1) [[F2021L00638](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2011 (No. 1) [[F2021L00641](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2013 (No. 1) [[F2021L00634](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2015 (No. 1) [[F2021L00640](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2015 (No. 2) [[F2021L00627](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2015 (No. 3) [[F2021L00648](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2016 (No. 1) [[F2021L00635](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2018 (No. 2) [[F2021L00639](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing 2019 (No. 1) [[F2021L00649](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing (No. 1) 2020 [[F2021L00626](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations Act 1945 Listing (No. 2) 2020 [[F2021L00633](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations (Anti-terrorism – Persons and Entities) List 2001 [[F2021L00631](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations (Anti-terrorism – Persons and Entities) List 2001 (No. 2) [[F2021L00643](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations (Anti-terrorism – Persons and Entities) List 2002 (No. 1) [[F2021L00645](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations (Anti-terrorism – Persons and Entities) List 2002 (No. 2) [[F2021L00647](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations (Anti-terrorism – Persons and Entities) List 2002 (No. 3) [[F2021L00636](#)]
 - Charter of the United Nations (Anti-terrorism – Persons and Entities) List 2002 (No. 4) [[F2021L00644](#)]

Notices of motion to disallow

- Notices given by the Chair of the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation Committee (Senator Fierravanti-Wells)
 - Aged Care Legislation Amendment (Royal Commission Response No. 1) Principles 2021 [[F2021L00923](#)]

- Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Amendment (2021 Measures No. 2) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L00863](#)]
- Australian Renewable Energy Agency (Implementing the Technology Investment Roadmap) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L01043](#)]
- Civil Dispute Resolution Regulations 2021 [[F2021L01031](#)]
- Education Services for Overseas Students (Exempt Courses) Instrument 2021 [[F2021L00877](#)]
- Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Amendment (No-Anchoring Areas) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L00843](#)]
- Industry Research and Development (Regional Decentralisation Agenda—Securing Raw Materials Program) Instrument 2021 [[F2021L00973](#)]
- Legislation (Exemptions and Other Matters) Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L00859](#)]
- Migration Amendment (Subclass 417 and 462 Visas) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L01030](#)]

Negated

- Motions moved by Senators McKim and Brown to disallow section 7 of the Australian Renewable Energy Agency (Implementing the Technology Investment Roadmap) Regulations 2021 [[F2021L01043](#)] were defeated
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Explanation

- The Senate took note of the Minister's explanation relating to the [delay in providing answers to questions on notice](#)
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Scheduling

- The Senate agreed to [vary the hours of meeting for 18 and 19 October 2021](#)

Statistics

Bills received from the House of Representatives	1
Bills introduced in the Senate – government	0
Bills introduced in the Senate – private senators'	0
Bills passed in the Senate	1
Bills negated or discharged	0
Bills referred to committees	0
New inquiries	0
Reports tabled	1
Orders for production of documents agreed to	0
Notices of motion given	22
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