

The Senate

BUSINESS OF COMMITTEES

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SENATE LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Public Hearings: ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES FOR 2017-18

Monday, 26 February and Tuesday, 27 February 2018

**Committee Room 1R1
Parliament House
Canberra ACT**

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AGENDA

MONDAY, 26 FEBRUARY 2018

	Home Affairs Portfolio
	Department of Home Affairs
9.00 am – 10.30 am	Cross-portfolio/corporate/general (incl. Australian Border Force)
10.30 am – 10.45 am	<i>Morning tea</i>
10.45 am – 12.45 pm	Cross-portfolio/corporate/general (<i>continued</i>)
12.45 pm – 1.45 pm	<i>Lunch</i>
1.45 pm – 3.00 pm	Outcome 1: Protect Australia's sovereignty, security and safety through its national security, emergency management system, law enforcement, and managing its border, including managing the stay and departure of all non-citizens. Program 1.1: Border Enforcement Program 1.2: Border Management Program 1.3: Onshore Compliance and Detention Program 1.4: IMA Offshore Management Program 1.5: Regional Cooperation Program 1.6: Transport Security

	<p>Program 1.7: National Security and Criminal Justice Program 1.8: Cyber Security Program 1.9: Counter-Terrorism Program 1.10: Australian Government Disaster Financial Support Payments</p>
3.00 pm – 3.15 pm	<i>Afternoon tea</i>
3.15 pm – 6.30 pm	<p>Outcome 2: Support a prosperous and inclusive society, and advance Australia’s economic interests through the effective management of the visa, multicultural and citizenship programs and provision of refugee and humanitarian assistance. Program 2.1: Multicultural Affairs and Citizenship Program 2.2: Migration Program 2.3: Visas Program 2.4: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance</p>
6.30 pm – 7.30 pm	<i>Dinner break</i>
7.30 pm – 9.15 pm	<p>Outcome 3: Advance Australia's economic interests through the facilitation of the trade of goods to and from Australia and the collection of border revenue. Programme 3.1: Border-Revenue Collection Programme 3.2: Trade Facilitation and Industry Engagement</p>
9.15 pm – 9.30 pm	<i>Tea break</i>
9.30 pm – 10.30 pm	Outcome 3 (continued)
10.30 pm – 11.00 pm	<p>Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission Australian Institute of Criminology</p>
11.00pm	<i>Adjournment</i>

TUESDAY, 27 FEBRUARY 2018

	Home Affairs Portfolio
9.00 am – 10.30 am	Australian Federal Police
10.30 am – 10.45 am	Morning tea
	Attorney-General's Portfolio
*Interstate agencies	
10.45 am – 11.15 am	Administrative Appeals Tribunal*
11.15 am – 11.45 am	Federal Court of Australia, Federal Circuit Court of Australia and Family Court of Australia*
11.45 am – 12.15 pm	Office of the Australian Information Commissioner*
12.15 pm – 1.15 pm	Lunch
1.15 pm – 2.00 pm	Australian Human Rights Commission*
	Attorney-General's Department
	Outcome 1: A just and secure society through the maintenance and improvement of Australia's law and justice framework and its national security and emergency management system
2.00 pm – 3.15 pm	Cross-portfolio/corporate/general
3.15 pm – 3.30 pm	Afternoon tea
3.30 pm – 6.00 pm	GROUP 2 – Civil Justice and Corporate Group Encompassing: Civil Justice Policy and Programmes, Civil Law, Constitutional Law, International Law, Corporate Services, Human Resources, and Information. Program 1.1: Attorney-General's Department Operating Expenses – Civil Justice and Legal Services Program 1.4: Justice Services Program 1.5: Family Relationships Program 1.6: Indigenous Legal and Native Title Assistance Program 1.9: Royal Commissions
6.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Dinner break
7.00 pm – 8.45 pm	GROUP 3 – Criminal Justice and National Security Group Encompassing: International Cooperation, Security and Criminal Law, and CERT. Program 1.2: Attorney-General's Department Operating Expenses – National Security and Criminal Justice
8.45 pm – 9.15 pm	High Court of Australia

9.15 pm – 9.30 pm	Tea break
9.30 pm – 10.00 pm	National Archives of Australia
10.00 pm – 11.00 pm	Australian Security Intelligence Organisation
11.00 pm	Adjournment

Proposed breaks	Morning tea	10:30 am – 10:45 am
	Lunch	12:45 pm – 1:45 pm (Mon), 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm (Tues)
	Afternoon tea	3:00 pm – 3:15 pm (Mon), 3:15 pm – 3:30 pm (Tues)
	Dinner	6:30 pm – 7:30 pm
	Tea break	9:15 pm – 9:30 pm
	Adjournment	11.00 pm

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