



Senate Daily Summary

Tuesday 4 February 2003

The Senate met from 2.00pm until 8.17pm

Australian bushfires

The Senate debated and agreed to [a motion](#) (moved by the Minister for Defence) expressing sympathy to all Australians who suffered losses during the recent bushfires throughout Australia

Ministerial statement

The Minister for Defence made [a statement](#) about the Government's policy on Iraq. The Senate debated a motion to take note of the Minister's statement. The Leader of the Opposition and the Leader of the Australian Democrats both [moved amendments](#) to the motion. The debate did not conclude and will continue on Wednesday 5 February.

Legislation

No legislation was considered

Notices of motion

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Orders for the production of documents

Notices of motion given

- ❑ Senator Allison gave [a notice of motion](#) to require the submission or submissions made by the Department of Defence to the Environment Impact Assessment for a National Radioactive Waste Repository in South Australia to be tabled (no later than 4.00pm on 6 February 2003)
- ❑ Senator Allison gave a [notice of motion](#) to require all documents relating to the records and communications between the Department of Defence and the Department of Education, Science and Training concerning the Government's consideration of a National Radioactive Waste Repository in South Australia to be tabled (no later than 4.00pm on 3 March 2003)

Documents

No documents were tabled

Petitions

No petitions were received

Also in the Senate yesterday

- Adjournment debate

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