



Senate Daily Summary

2003-04 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS

Monday 26 May 2003

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For [general information](#) about the consideration of the 2003-04 Budget estimates (membership of committees, portfolio allocation, terms of reference, hearing schedules etc)

Portfolio budget statements and related documents can be obtained from the Senate Table Office (phone 62773010) and on the Internet at www.budget.gov.au

Environment, Communications, Information Technology and the Arts Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Communications, Information Technology and the Arts; Environment and Heritage

For [current information](#) about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.15am until 11.00pm.

The committee:

- ❑ **commenced** Communications, Information Technology and the Arts Portfolio (commenced outcome 3 of the department)
- ❑ **will continue** Communications, Information Technology and the Arts Portfolio (Telstra, Australia Post, Australian Communications Authority and outcome 3 of the department) when it meets on Tuesday 27 May 2003 in Senate Committee Room 2S3

Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Finance and Administration; Parliament; Prime Minister and Cabinet

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The committee met from 9.04am until 10.56pm.

The committee:

- ❑ **completed** Parliament and commenced the Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio (completed Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General; Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman)

- ❑ **will continue** the Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio (outcomes 1 and 2 and output group 2 of the department, Australian National Audit Office, Australian Public Service Commission, Office of National Assessments, Office of the Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security) when it meets on Tuesday 27 May 2003 in Senate Committee Room 2S1

Legal and Constitutional Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Attorney-General; Immigration and Multicultural and Indigenous Affairs
For [current information](#) about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.00am until 10.34pm.

The committee:

- ❑ **commenced** the Attorney-General's Portfolio (completed outcome 2 of the department, AUSTRAC, Crimtrac, Australian Government Solicitor, Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions, Insolvency and Trustee Service Australia, Australian Customs Service)
- ❑ **will continue** the Attorney-General's Portfolio (output 1.7 of the department and portfolio agencies) when it meets on Tuesday 27 May 2003 in the Main Committee Room

Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee

Portfolios allocated: Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry; Transport and Regional Services
For [current information](#) about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.04am until 11.00pm.

The committee:

- ❑ **commenced** the Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Portfolio (completed parts A to G)
- ❑ **will continue** the Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Portfolio (parts H to J) and
- ❑ **commence** the Transport and Regional Services Portfolio when it meets on Tuesday 27 May 2003 in House of Representatives Committee Room 2R1

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Further information

Committee Hansards can be obtained from the Senate Table Office (phone 62773010) and on the [Internet](#) (when available)

Committee proceedings can be viewed on the [Internet](#)

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