



Senate Daily Summary

2007-08 BUDGET ESTIMATES

Tuesday, 29 May 2007

Community Affairs Committee

Portfolios allocated: Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs; Health and Ageing

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

The committee met from 9.05am until 11.00pm.

The committee again **called** the department and agencies of the Family, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs portfolio.

The committee will next meet on Thursday, 31 May 2007 in Committee Room 2S1, calling the Health and Ageing portfolio, commencing with the department.

Economics Committee

Portfolios allocated: Industry, Tourism and Resources; Treasury

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

The committee met from 9.00am until 10.35pm.

The committee **called** the department and agencies of the Treasury portfolio, including: the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority, the Australian Taxation Office and the Inspector-General of Taxation.

The committee will next meet on Wednesday, 30 May 2007 in Committee Room 2R1, again calling the Treasury portfolio, commencing with the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission

The committee will not be calling the Australian Office of Financial Management.

Employment, Workplace Relations and Education Committee

Portfolios allocated: Employment and Workplace Relations; Education, Science and Training
For [current information](#) about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.00am until 10.57pm.

The committee:

- ❑ again **called** the department and agencies of the Employment and Workplace Relations portfolio, and
- ❑ **did not require** Comcare or the Australian Building and Construction Commission.

The committee will next meet on Wednesday, 30 May 2007 in Committee Room 2S3, calling the Education, Science and Training portfolio, commencing with the Australian Research Council.

Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Committee

Portfolios allocated: Foreign Affairs and Trade; Defence (including Veterans' Affairs)
For [current information](#) about the committee's hearings

The committee met from 9.00am until 11.00pm.

The committee **called** the department and agencies of the Foreign Affairs and Trade portfolio.

The committee will next meet on Wednesday, 30 May 2007 in the Main Committee Room, calling the Defence portfolio, commencing with the department.

Related links

Portfolio budget statements and related papers can be obtained from the Senate Table Office (phone 6277 3010) and on the [Internet](#).

[General information](#) about the consideration of the 2007-08 budget estimates (membership of committees, portfolio allocation, terms of reference etc.) is available on the Senate website.

[A program](#) for each committee is available on the Senate website and will be updated as necessary.

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

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