

The Senate

BUSINESS OF COMMITTEES

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SENATE EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Public Hearings: ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES FOR 2015-16

Wednesday, 10 February and Thursday, 11 February 2016

**Committee Room 2S3
Parliament House
Canberra ACT**

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AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, 10 FEBRUARY 2016

<i>9.00am</i>	Education and Training Portfolio
	Cross Portfolio - Department of Education & Training
	Australian Curriculum Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA)
<i>10.30am – 10.45am</i>	<i>Break</i>
	Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL)
	Australian Research Council
<i>12.30pm – 1.30pm</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
	Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency (TEQSA)
	Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA)

3.30pm – 3.45pm	Break
	<p>Outcome 2: Promote growth in economic productivity and social wellbeing through access to quality higher education, international education and international quality research, skills and training</p> <p>Programme 2.1: Commonwealth Grant Scheme Programme 2.2: Higher Education Superannuation Programme Programme 2.3: Higher Education Support Programme 2.4: Higher Education Loan Programme Programme 2.5: Investment in Higher Education Research Programme 2.6: Research Capacity Programme 2.7: International Education Support Programme 2.8: Building Skills and Capacity</p>
6.00pm – 7.00pm	Dinner
	<p>Outcome 2 (continued)</p> <p>Outcome 1: Improved early learning, schooling, student educational outcomes and transitions to and from school through access to quality child care, support, parent engagement, quality teaching and learning environments</p> <p>Programme 1.1: Government Schools National Support Programme 1.2: Non-Government Schools National Support Programme 1.3: Early Learning and Schools Support Programme 1.4: Trade Training Centres in Schools Programme 1.5: More support for Students with Disabilities Programme 1.6: Youth Support Programme 1.7: Support for the Child Care System Programme 1.8: Child Care Benefit Programme 1.9: Child Care Rebate Programme 1.10: Child Care Subsidy</p>
8.45pm – 9:00pm	Break
	Outcome 1 (continued)
11.00pm	Adjournment

Proposed breaks	Morning tea	10.30am – 10.45am
	Lunch	12.30pm – 1.30pm
	Afternoon tea	3.30pm – 3.45pm
	Dinner	6.00pm – 7.00pm
	Tea Break	8.45pm – 9.00pm

THURSDAY, 11 FEBRUARY 2016

9.00am	Employment Portfolio
	Cross Portfolio - Department of Employment
	Outcome 1: Foster a productive and competitive labour market through employment policies and programmes that assist job seekers into work, meet employer needs and increase Australia's workforce participation. Programme 1.1: Employment Services
10.30am – 10.45am	<i>Break</i>
	Outcome 1 (continued)
	Outcome 2: Facilitate jobs growth through policies that promote fair, productive and safe workplaces. Programme 2.1: Employee Assistance Programme 2.2: Workplace Assistance Programme 2.3: Workers Compensation Payments
12.30pm – 1.30pm	<i>Lunch</i>
	Outcome 2 (continued)
	Workplace Gender Equality Agency
	Asbestos Safety and Eradication Agency
3.30pm – 3.45pm	<i>Break</i>
	Fair Work Commission
	Office of the Fair Work Ombudsman
6.00pm – 7.00pm	<i>Dinner</i>
	Comcare, the Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Commission, and the Seafarers' Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Authority
	Safe Work Australia
8.45pm – 9.00pm	<i>Break</i>
	Office of the Fair Work Building Industry Inspectorate (Fair Work Building and Construction)
11.00pm	<i>Adjournment</i>

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AGENDA

FRIDAY, 12 FEBRUARY 2016

<i>9.00am</i>	Employment Portfolio
	Office of the Fair Work Building Industry Inspectorate (<i>Fair Work Building and Construction</i>)
	<i>Adjournment</i>

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