



PARLIAMENT  
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## HEARING PROGRAM

### **Budget Estimates 2019–20**

### Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee

Thursday, 04 April – Tuesday, 09 April 2019

**Main Committee Room**, Parliament House, Canberra

Times listed are indicative only



#### **Hearing location**

Main Committee Room,  
Parliament House, Canberra  
Waiting room: MCR Waiting Room 1  
Waiting overflow room: Committee Room 1S2



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#### **Committee members**

Senator the Hon Ian Macdonald, Chair  
Senator Louise Pratt, Deputy Chair  
Senator Jane Hume  
Senator Jim Molan  
Senator Nick McKim  
Senator Murray Watt

#### **Ministers attending**

#### **Secretariat**

Sean Turner, Committee Secretary  
Ophelia Tynan, Estimates Officer

## Home Affairs Portfolio

<p><b>9.00am</b></p>	<p><b>Department of Home Affairs</b></p> <p><b>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 (including Australian Border Force)</b></p> <p>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            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>
<p><b>10.30am</b></p>	<p>Morning tea</p>
<p><b>10.45am</b></p>	<p><b>Cross-portfolio, corporate and general matters.</b>  <b>Relates to departmental administration, budgets and staffing, and to contract management.</b></p>
<p><b>11.45am</b></p>	<p><b>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.</b></p> <p>Program 2.1: Multicultural Affairs and Citizenship            Program 2.2: Migration            Program 2.3: Visas            Program 2.4: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance</p>
<p><b>12.30pm</b></p>	<p>Lunch break</p>
<p><b>1.30pm</b></p>	<p><b>Outcome 2 (continued)</b></p>
<p><b>2.30pm</b></p>	<p><b>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.</b></p> <p>Program 3.1: Border-Revenue Collection            Program 3.2: Trade Facilitation and Industry Engagement</p>
<p><b>3.15pm</b></p>	<p>Afternoon tea break</p>
<p><b>3.30pm</b></p>	<p><b>Australian Security Intelligence Organisation</b></p>
<p><b>4.15pm</b></p>	<p><b>Australian Federal Police</b></p>

5.45pm	Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission
6.00pm	Dinner break

## Attorney-General's Portfolio

7.00pm	Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity
7.30pm	Commonwealth Director of Public Prosecutions
8.00pm	Administrative Appeals Tribunal
8.30pm	National Archives of Australia
8.45pm	Tea break
9.00pm	<b>Attorney-General's Department</b> <b>Cross-portfolio, corporate and general matters</b>
9.30pm	<b>Group 2: Legal Services and Families Group. Encompassing: Families and Legal System Division (Legal System, Family Law, Family Safety), Legal Services Policy Division (Office of Constitutional Law, Office of legal Services Coordination, Royal Commissions Commonwealth Representation, Legal Assistance, Office of Corporate Counsel), and the Royal Commission into Aged Care Quality and Safety</b> Program 1.1: Civil Justice and Legal Services - Operating expenses Program 1.4: Justice Services Program 1.5: Family Relationships Program 1.6: Indigenous Legal and Native Title Assistance Program 1.9: Royal Commissions
10.00pm	<b>Group 3: Integrity and International Group. Encompassing: Integrity and Security Division (Security and Criminal Justice, Integrity, Institutional Integrity Taskforce), Comprehensive Review of Intelligence Legislation, and International Division (Office of International Law, International Cooperation, PNG Law and Justice).</b> Program 1.1: Civil Justice and Legal Services - Operating Expenses Program 1.2: National Security and Criminal Justice - Operating Expenses
10.30pm	<b>Group 4: Enabling Services Group. Encompassing: Corporate Services Division (AGS Finance, Financial Services, Business Operations Branch), Information Division, Strategy and Governance, and Human Resources.</b>

	Program 1.1: Civil Justice and Legal Services - Operating Expenses Program 1.2: National Security and Criminal Justice - Operating Expenses
<b>11.00pm</b>	Adjournment

Monday, 08 April

## Home Affairs Portfolio

<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Department of Home Affairs</b> <b>Cross-portfolio, corporate and general matters.</b> <b>Relates to departmental administration, budgets and staffing, and to contract management.</b>
<b>10.30am</b>	Morning tea
<b>10.45am</b>	<b>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.</b>  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 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
<b>12.30pm</b>	Lunch break
<b>1.30pm</b>	<b>Outcome 1 (continued)</b>
<b>3.15pm</b>	Afternoon tea break
<b>3.30pm</b>	<b>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.</b>  Program 2.1: Multicultural Affairs and Citizenship Program 2.2: Migration Program 2.3: Visas Program 2.4: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance
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<b>5.00pm</b>	<b>Australian Security Intelligence Organisation</b>
<b>6.00pm</b>	Dinner break
<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission</b>
<b>9.15pm</b>	Tea break
<b>9.30pm</b>	
<b>11.00pm</b>	Adjournment

## Tuesday, 09 April

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### Attorney-General's Portfolio

<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Office of the Australian Information Commissioner</b>
<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Attorney-General's Department</b> <b>Group 1: Australian Government Solicitor. Encompassing: Chief Operating Officer, General Counsel, Dispute Resolution and Commercial.</b>
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Group 2: Legal Services and Families Group. Encompassing: Families and Legal System Division (Legal System, Family Law, Family Safety), Legal Services Policy Division (Office of Constitutional Law, Office of legal Services Coordination, Royal Commissions Commonwealth Representation, Legal Assistance, Office of Corporate Counsel), and the Royal Commission into Aged Care Quality and Safety.</b> Program 1.1: Civil Justice and Legal Services - Operating expenses Program 1.4: Justice Services Program 1.5: Family Relationships Program 1.6: Indigenous Legal and Native Title Assistance Program 1.9: Royal Commissions
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<b>1.00pm</b>	Adjournment