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Notices of motion
A proposed resolution that a senator intends to put to the Senate for debate and/or a vote. Notice is given so others have time to consider the proposal.

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GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

Orders of the Day

1 Royal Commissions Amendment (Private Sessions) Bill 2019—(Minister for Families and Social Services, Senator Ruston)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (Minister for Aged Care and Senior Australians (Senator Colbeck), in continuation, 9 September 2019).

2 Inspector-General of Live Animal Exports Bill 2019—(Senate bill)—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (31 July 2019).

*3 National Sports Tribunal Bill 2019
   National Sports Tribunal (Consequential Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Bill 2019—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (9 September 2019).

*4 Criminal Code Amendment (Agricultural Protection) Bill 2019—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (9 September 2019).

5 Governor-General’s Opening Speech
   Adjourned debate on the motion of Senator McDonald—That the following address-in-reply be agreed to:
   
   To His Excellency the Governor-General

   MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY—

   We, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Australia in Parliament assembled, desire to express our loyalty to our Most Gracious Sovereign and to thank Your Excellency for the speech which you have been pleased to address to Parliament (Senator Stoker, in continuation, 1 August 2019).

*6 Customs Amendment (Immediate Destruction of Illicit Tobacco) Bill 2019—
   (Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (9 September 2019).

7 Treasury Laws Amendment (2019 Tax Integrity and Other Measures No. 1) Bill 2019—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (1 August 2019).

8 Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency Amendment Bill 2019—
   (Senate bill)—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (25 July 2019).

9 Intellectual Property Laws Amendment (Productivity Commission Response Part 2 and Other Measures) Bill 2019—(Senate bill)—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (25 July 2019).
10 **Counter-Terrorism Legislation Amendment (2019 Measures No. 1) Bill 2019**—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)

Second reading—Adjourned debate (1 August 2019).

11 **National Disability Insurance Scheme Amendment (Streamlined Governance) Bill 2019**—(Senate bill)—(Assistant Minister for Forestry and Fisheries, Senator Duniam)

Second reading—Adjourned debate (25 July 2019).

**Notices of Motion**

*Notice given 9 September 2019*

1. **Assistant Minister for Finance, Charities and Electoral Matters (Senator Seselja):** To move—That, in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Works Committee Act 1969*, the following proposed work be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works for consideration and report as soon as reasonably possible:
   Fit-out of leased premises for the Australian Federal Police at 140 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne, Victoria.

2. **Assistant Minister for Finance, Charities and Electoral Matters (Senator Seselja):** To move—That, in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Works Committee Act 1969*, the following proposed work be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works for consideration and report as soon as reasonably possible:
   HMAS *Watson* Redevelopment, Sydney, New South Wales.

3. **Assistant Minister for Finance, Charities and Electoral Matters (Senator Seselja):** To move—That, in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Works Committee Act 1969*, the following proposed work be referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works for consideration and report as soon as reasonably possible:
   Navy Capability Infrastructure Sub-program: Facilities and Infrastructure to Support New Navy Capabilities.

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**GENERAL BUSINESS**

A complete list of all general business notices of motion and orders of the day remaining on the *Notice Paper* is published at: [www.aph.gov.au/Senate/business](http://www.aph.gov.au/Senate/business)

**Notices of Motion**

*Notice given 9 September 2019*

93. **Senators Dean Smith, Lines and Brockman:** To move—That the Senate—
   (a) acknowledges all recent recipients of Australian Bravery Decorations;
   (b) notes that the Bravery Medal is awarded for acts of bravery in hazardous circumstances;
(c) recognises the following Western Australian recipients of the Bravery Medal: Mr Leon Corey Brouwer, Mr Jason Troy Shepherd and Mr Andrew Gordon Strunk;

(d) notes that the Commendation for Brave Conduct is awarded for other acts of bravery which are considered worthy of recognition;

(e) recognises the Western Australian recipient of a Commendation for Brave Conduct: Miss Ella Layne Andrews;

(f) notes that the Group Bravery Citation is awarded for a collective act of bravery by a group of persons in extraordinary circumstances that is considered worthy of recognition; and

(g) recognises the following Western Australian recipients of the Group Bravery Citation: Mr Robin John Lee, Mr Jake Wilson Pugh and Mr Ian Trevor Urquhart.

*94** Senator Whish-Wilson: To move—that the following bill be introduced: A Bill for an Act to amend the Product Stewardship Act 2011, and for related purposes. Product Stewardship Amendment (Packaging and Plastics) Bill 2019.

*95** Senator Sterle: To move—that a copy of the final report entitled, Biosecurity Imports Levy: A Way Forward, dated May 2019, by the Biosecurity Imports Levy Industry Steering Committee be laid on the table by the Minister for Agriculture, by no later than 3 pm on 12 September 2019.

*96** Senator Faruqi: To move—that the Senate—

(a) notes that the first week of September was Early Learning Matters Week, which highlights how early childhood education supports the well-being of our children, families and society; and

(b) supports a well-resourced and accessibly early childhood education system with professional pay for staff.

*97** Senator Brown: To move—that the Senate—

(a) notes that:

(i) 25 August marked 50 years since the sinking of the cargo ship MV Noongah,

(ii) the MV Noongah sank in heavy seas off Smokey Cape, South West Rocks, New South Wales in 1969, two days after leaving Newcastle bound for Townsville,

(iii) the wind was blowing in excess of 70 knots (110 km) per hour and the sea at almost 10 metre waves,

(iv) the 26 man crew abandoned ship just 14 minutes after a distress signal was transmitted,

(v) a four day search and rescue was conducted with only 5 survivors and 1 body being pulled from the water,

(vi) the search was one of the largest in Australian maritime history involving five destroyers, three mine sweepers, seven aircraft, two helicopters and Australian-flag and international merchant vessels, and

(vii) this tragedy was marked on its 50th anniversary on 25 August by family members and others at a memorial site at Smokey Cape, New South Wales;
(b) recognises that the anniversary of this tragedy is a reminder of the bravery of Australia’s maritime workers and the risks of the work they undertake daily for the benefit of the nation; and

(c) offers its condolences to the families affected by the sinking of the cargo ship MV Noongah and to all people impacted by maritime tragedies.

*98 Senators Di Natale and Faruqi: To move—That the Senate—

(a) notes with deep concern that:

(i) in August, the Indian Government decided to revoke Kashmir’s special status and its relative autonomy under India’s Constitution, further eroding Kashmiri’s right to self-determination,

(ii) the Indian Government shut down phone and internet connections, arbitrarily detained political leaders, evacuated tourists, restricted freedom of movement and oversaw an influx of tens of thousands of additional troops to Kashmir, and

(iii) these actions risk a dangerous escalation of violence in the world’s most militarised region;

(b) expresses solidarity for the many Australian Kashmiris who have been deeply worried about their loved ones in Kashmir;

(c) further notes that, in response to the three wars between India and Pakistan over Kashmir, the United Nations has unequivocally called for Kashmiri’s right to self-determination; and

(d) urges the Australian Government to call on the Indian Government to respect the human rights of the people in Kashmir, withdraw military forces, end the mass lockdown and the Kashmiri’s right to self-determination.

*99 Senator Patrick: To move—That the following bill be introduced: A Bill for an Act to amend the Customs Act 1901, and for related purposes. Customs Amendment (Safer Cladding) Bill 2019.

*100 Senator Patrick: To move—

(1) That the Senate notes that:

(a) on 12 October 2017, Mr Richard Boyle made a disclosure under the Public Interest Disclosure Act 2013 (PID Act) as a former employee of the Australian Taxation Office (ATO), alleging the ATO:

(i) had instructed employees to issue standard garnishee notices to seize funds from taxpayers’ bank accounts without notice or consideration of their personal and business circumstances, and

(ii) in doing so, had required employees to engage in conduct that was unethical, unprofessional and against the Australian Public Service Code of Conduct;

(b) on 27 October 2017, the ATO decided not to further investigate Mr Boyle’s disclosure on the basis that the information did not concern serious disclosable conduct as defined in the PID Act; and

(c) subsequent media inquiries found anomalies in the ATO’s debt collection practices that appeared consistent with Mr Boyle’s disclosure.
That the Senate is of the opinion that examining the ATO’s actions in relation to Mr Boyle’s disclosure is consistent with the Senate’s role in providing oversight of government administration.

That the Senate orders the Commissioner of Taxation to provide all documents relating to the disclosure generated or received by Mr Boyle’s supervisor, authorised officer and principal officer (as defined in the PID Act), including but not limited to notes, minutes, memoranda, letters, other external or internal correspondence, emails and/or Microsoft Office Communicator conversations, to the Economics Legislation Committee (the committee) by no later than 5 pm on 16 September 2019.

That the committee, when it has considered the documents, report to the Senate as to whether the ATO’s handling of disclosures by whistleblowers warrants further inquiry.

*101 Senator Siewert: To move—That the Senate—

(a) acknowledges that today, 10 September 2019, is World Suicide Prevention Day, which this year seeks to ‘shine a light’ on suicide prevention;

(b) notes that, in 2017, 3,128 people in Australia died from self-harm, which equates to 8.57 deaths per day and a 9.1% increase from the following year;

(c) expresses concern that, in 2016, 47% of all suicides occurred in rural and remote regions, and First Nations peoples had a rate of suicide approximately twice that of non-Aboriginal people;

(d) acknowledges that the highest risk factor of a future suicide attempt, is a previous attempt;

(e) further acknowledges that working together to prevent suicide, raise awareness and encourage conversations is important, and that:

(i) everyone has a role to play in preventing suicide and the choices we make today can help prevent suicide,

(ii) we can all make a difference in the lives of those who might be struggling by having regular, meaningful conversations about life’s ups and downs,

(iii) you do not need to be an expert to reach out – just a good friend and a great listener, and

(iv) you do not need to be a clinician, a GP, or a nurse to check-in with someone you are worried about;

(f) recognises that it is better to reach out than avoid the person for fear of getting the conversation wrong; and

(g) urges all Australians to help shine a light on suicide prevention.

*102 Senators Siewert and Steele-John: To move—That the Senate—

(a) notes that new research from Monash University on the health of Disability Support Pension and Newstart Allowance Recipients found:

(i) Disability Support Pension recipients were 18.3 times more likely to rate their health as poor compared to wage earners,

(ii) more than two-thirds (69.1%) of Disability Support Pension recipients reported having mental or behavioural problems compared with 21% of wage earners,

(iii) only 19% of Disability Support Pension recipients reported having seen a psychologist in the preceding 12-month period, and
(iv) Disability Support Pension recipients were at 2 to 3 times the risk of visiting a hospital than wage earners; and

(b) calls on the Federal Government to:

   (i) investigate ways to improve the health status of people receiving Disability Support Pension,

   (ii) deliver more targeted and effective health services that address the health needs of people on Disability Support Pension, and

   (iii) make access to the income support system simpler and less stressful for disabled persons.

*103 Senator Waters: To move—That the Senate—

(a) notes:

   (i) that just one week after winter, Queensland is experiencing unprecedented and devastating bushfires and facing what the fire service has described as the most catastrophic bushfire season in recorded history,

   (ii) that hundreds of people have been affected by the devastating fires – to date, 47 properties have been reported as damaged or destroyed, including the heritage-listed Bina Burra resort, and prior to these bushfires, a total of 40 properties had been lost to bushfire in Queensland in the previous 130 years,

   (iii) the critical role that firefighting and emergency services personnel play in the frontline response to emergencies and climate-related disasters,

   (iv) that the Bushfire and Natural Hazard Cooperative Research Centre’s latest Seasonal Bushfire Outlook, August 2019, confirmed that Queensland fire seasons have been starting earlier and persisting longer since 1990,

   (v) that drought conditions and severe water shortages in the Darling Downs and Granite Belt are expected to make fighting bushfires even more difficult across the summer, and

   (vi) that, unless urgent action is taken to reduce harmful emissions and stop further global warming, bushfires, drought, and heatwaves will become more frequent and severe, putting Australian lives and properties at risk; and

(b) calls on the Federal Government to:

   (i) urgently take action to address climate change and manage the risk and severity of bushfires,

   (ii) invest in community adaptation efforts to build resilience to climate change in moderate and high risk areas, and

   (iii) commit to action to progress a rapid and just transition to clean and renewable energy sources to reduce the harmful emissions driving climate change.
Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale): To move—That the Senate—

(a) notes that:

(i) the Bureau of Meteorology has stated that the current drought in the Murray-Darling Basin is the most severe on record and that the climate crisis is a contributing factor,

(ii) drier and warmer conditions are likely for most of mainland Australia during spring,

(iii) the fire season started two months earlier than usual in New South Wales and Queensland with increased fire risk in south-east Australia in the coming months, and

(iv) water storages in the northern Murray-Darling Basin are at 7%; and

(b) calls on the Federal Government to protect Australian farmers by taking urgent action to address the climate emergency.

Senator Hanson-Young: To move—That the Senate—

(a) notes a study entitled *Lots of loss with little scrutiny: The attrition of habitat critical for threatened species in Australia*, which was published on 8 September 2019, and found that:

(i) Australia has one of the worst extinction rates of any nation, yet there has been little assessment of the effect of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act), to prevent species extinction,

(ii) 7.7 million hectares of potential habitat for terrestrial threatened species, terrestrial migratory species, and threatened ecological communities has been cleared between 2000 and 2017,

(iii) of this loss, 7.1 million hectare (93%) was not referred to the Federal Government for assessment,

(iv) this non-compliance means that potential habitat for terrestrial threatened species, terrestrial migratory species, and threatened ecological communities have been lost without assessment, regulation, or enforcement under the EPBC Act,

(v) additionally, when an action has been referred, most habitat loss has been approved, sometimes with conditions, and therefore has resulted in large areas of cumulative habitat loss,

(vi) the EPBC Act is ineffective at protecting potential habitat for terrestrial threatened species, terrestrial migratory species, or threatened ecological communities, and

(vii) without strict, comprehensive application and enforcement, as well as explicit guidance and requirements, policies such as the EPBC Act will remain ineffective at regulating habitat loss and protecting biodiversity;
(b) notes that:

(i) last week, the Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC) revealed that the Federal Government authorised the clearing of north Queensland woodland, despite its own environment department finding it was likely to destroy habitat critical to the vulnerable greater glider—former Deputy Prime Minister Mr Joyce had written to the former Minister for the Environment and Energy, Mr Frydenberg, asking for no unnecessary intervention under the EPBC Act in relation to the land clearing,

(ii) *Guardian Australia* recently revealed that a company part-owned by Mr Angus Taylor, MP and his brother were under investigation by the Department of the Environment and Energy for alleged unlawful destruction of critically-endangered grasslands when Minister Taylor met with departmental staff, including a compliance officer investigating the clearing allegations, and he also approached the former Minister for the Environment and Energy, Mr Frydenberg, about amending the critically-endangered listing of the grassland species, and

(iii) the ABC revealed last year that the former Minister for the Environment and Energy, Mr Frydenberg, ignored advice from his own Department that he should reject an application for the Toondah Harbour apartment and marina proposal in Queensland because of the damage it would do to an internationally protected wetland, home to critically-endangered migratory shorebirds, instead allowing the project to progress to the next stage of assessment; and

(c) calls on the Federal Government to:

(i) implement the study’s recommendations, including that when scientifically determinable, critical habitat is demarcated for listed species and communities, which provides absolute protection that is enforced, monitored, and investigated by the regulator,

(ii) ensure that the current review of the EPBC Act address its fundamental failure to actually protect the environment, biodiversity and conservation, and

(iii) audit all decisions made by Mr Frydenberg in his capacity as the Minister for the Environment and Energy, as they relate to land clearing and critical habitat destruction.
ORDERS FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS

Government response to committee report—Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade—Report into the management of PFAS contamination—Order for production of documents

By the Minister for Defence, by 12 pm on 10 September 2019, the government’s response to the recommendations contained in the PFAS report. (Motion of Senators Faruqi, Kitching, McCarthy, Sheldon and Patrick agreed to 9 September 2019.)

BUSINESS LISTED FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION

On the next day of sitting (11 September 2019)

Business of the Senate—Notice of Motion

Notice given 31 July 2019

1 Senator Roberts: To move—that the following legislative instruments, made under the Corporations Act 2001, be disallowed:

(a) the ASIC Corporations (Banking Code of Practice - Revocation of 2018 Approval) Instrument 2019/662 [F2019L00877]; and
(b) the ASIC Corporations (Approval of Banking Code of Practice) Instrument 2019/663 [F2019L00878].

Thirteen sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

On 13 September 2019

Business of the Senate—Orders of the Day

1 Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee

Report to be presented on the provisions of the Migration Amendment (Strengthening the Character Test) Bill 2019. (Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)

2 Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee

Report to be presented on the provisions of the Migration Legislation Amendment (Regional Processing Cohort) Bill 2019. (Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)
On 16 September 2019

Business of the Senate—Notices of Motion

Notice given 31 July 2019

1 Senator Whish-Wilson: To move—that the following matter be referred to the Environment and Communications References Committee for inquiry and report by 11 November 2019:

The impact of seismic testing on fisheries and the marine environment, with particular reference to:

(a) the body of science and research into the impacts of seismic testing;
(b) the regulation of seismic testing in both Commonwealth and state waters;
(c) the approach taken to seismic testing internationally; and
(d) any other related matters.

Notice given 9 September 2019

*2 Senator Faruqi: To move—that the Australian Education Amendment (2019 Measures No. 1) Regulations 2019, made under the Australian Education Act 2013, be disallowed [F2019L00558].

Fifteen sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

On 17 September 2019

Business of the Senate—Notices of Motion

Notice given 1 August 2019

1 Senator Rice: To move—that the Gene Technology Amendment (2019 Measures No. 1) Regulations 2019, made under the Gene Technology Act 2000, be disallowed [F2019L00573].

Fourteen sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

Notice given 9 September 2019

*2 Senators Siewert and McKim: To move—that the Quality of Care Amendment (Minimising the Use of Restraints) Principles 2019, made under the Aged Care Act 1997, be disallowed [F2019L00511].

Fifteen sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.
Six sitting days after today (19 September 2019)

Business of the Senate—Notices of Motion

Notice given 22 July 2019

1 Senator Patrick: To move—That the Civil Aviation (Community Service Flights – Conditions on Flight Crew Licences) Amendment Instrument 2019, made under the Civil Aviation Safety Regulations 1998, be disallowed [F2019L00554].

Seven sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

Notice given 29 July 2019

2 Senator Patrick: To move—That the Civil Aviation (Community Service Flights - Conditions on Flight Crew Licences) Instrument 2019, made under the Civil Aviation Safety Regulations 1998, be disallowed [F2019L00134].

Eleven sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

On 19 September 2019

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Environment and Communications Legislation Committee
   Report to be presented on the Murray-Darling Basin Commission of Inquiry Bill 2019. (Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)

On 26 September 2019

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Finance and Public Administration References Committee
   Report to be presented on compliance by former Ministers of State with Ministerial Standards.

On 16 October 2019

Business of the Senate—Orders of the Day

1 Legal and Constitutional Affairs References Committee
   Report to be presented on the impact of changes to service delivery models on the administration and running of Government programs.

2 Community Affairs Legislation Committee
   Report to be presented on the Human Services Amendment (Photographic Identification and Fraud Prevention) Bill 2019. (Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)
On 18 October 2019

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 **Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee**
   Report to be presented on the Migration Amendment (Repairing Medical Transfers) Bill 2019. *(Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)*

Government Business—Order of the Day

1 **Migration Amendment (Repairing Medical Transfers) Bill 2019**—*(Assistant Minister for Finance, Charities and Electoral Matters, Senator Seselja)*
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (29 July 2019).

On 25 October 2019

Business of the Senate—Orders of the Day

1 **Education and Employment Legislation Committee**
   Report to be presented on the provisions of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Amendment (Ensuring Integrity) Bill 2019. *(Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)*

2 **Education and Employment Legislation Committee**
   Report to be presented on the provisions of the Fair Work Laws Amendment (Proper Use of Worker Benefits) Bill 2019. *(Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)*

Government Business—Order of the Day

1 **Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Amendment (Ensuring Integrity) Bill 2019**—*(Minister for Families and Social Services, Senator Ruston)*
   Second reading—Adjourned debate (31 July 2019).

On 11 November 2019

Business of the Senate—Orders of the Day

1 **Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**
   Report to be presented on the Ministers of State (Checks for Security Purposes) Bill 2019. *(Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)*

2 **Community Affairs Legislation Committee**
   Report to be presented on the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Amendment (Assisted Reproductive Treatment Statistics) Bill 2019. *(Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)*
On 12 November 2019

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Community Affairs References Committee

Report to be presented on income support payments.

Thirteen sitting days after today (13 November 2019)

Business of the Senate—Notices of Motion

Notice given 1 August 2019

1 Chair of the Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances (Senator Fierravanti-Wells): To move—That the Immigration (Guardianship of Children) Regulations 2018, made under the Immigration (Guardianship of Children) Act 1946, be disallowed [F2018L01708].

Fourteen sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

2 Chair of the Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances (Senator Fierravanti-Wells): To move—That the Underwater Cultural Heritage Rules 2018, made under the Underwater Cultural Heritage Act 2018, be disallowed [F2019L00096].

Fourteen sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

3 Chair of the Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances (Senator Fierravanti-Wells): To move—That the Water Amendment (Murray-Darling Basin Agreement - Basin Salinity Management) Regulations 2018, made under the Water Act 2007, be disallowed [F2018L01674].

Fourteen sitting days remain, including today, to resolve the motion or the instrument will be deemed to have been disallowed.

On 13 November 2019

General Business—Notice of Motion

Notice given 31 July 2019

84 Chair of the Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances (Senator Fierravanti-Wells): To move—That, in accordance with the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances in its report, Parliamentary scrutiny of delegated legislation—

(1) The standing orders be amended, with effect from 4 December 2019, as follows:

(a) omit standing order 23, substitute:

23 Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation

(1) A Standing Committee for the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation shall be appointed at the commencement of each Parliament.
(2) All instruments made under the authority of Acts of the Parliament, which are subject to disallowance, disapproval or affirmative resolution by the Senate and which are of a legislative character, shall stand referred to the committee for consideration and, if necessary, report.

(3) The committee shall scrutinise each instrument as to whether:
   (a) it is in accordance with its enabling Act and otherwise complies with all legislative requirements;
   (b) it appears to be supported by a constitutional head of legislative power and is otherwise constitutionally valid;
   (c) it makes rights, liberties, obligations or interests unduly dependent on insufficiently defined administrative powers;
   (d) those likely to be affected by the instrument were adequately consulted in relation to it;
   (e) its drafting is defective or unclear;
   (f) it, and any document it incorporates, may be freely accessed and used;
   (g) the accompanying explanatory material provides sufficient information to gain a clear understanding of the instrument;
   (h) it trespasses unduly on personal rights and liberties;
   (i) it unduly excludes, limits or fails to provide for independent review of decisions affecting rights, liberties, obligations or interests;
   (j) it contains matters more appropriate for parliamentary enactment; and
   (k) it complies with any other ground relating to the technical scrutiny of delegated legislation that the committee considers appropriate.

(4) The committee shall also scrutinise each instrument to determine whether the attention of the Senate should be drawn to the instrument on the ground that it raises significant issues, or otherwise gives rise to issues that are likely to be of interest to the Senate.

(5) The committee may, for the purpose of reporting on its terms of reference, consider any proposed or draft legislative instrument, including an exposure draft of such an instrument.

(6) (a) The committee shall consist of 6 senators, 3 being members of the government party nominated by the Leader of the Government in the Senate, and 3 being senators who are not members of the government party, nominated by the Leader of the Opposition in the Senate or by any minority groups or independent senators.
(b) The nominations of the opposition or any minority groups or independent senators shall be determined by agreement between the opposition and the minority groups or independent senators, and, in the absence of agreement duly notified to the President, the question of the representation on the committee shall be determined by the Senate.

(7) The committee may appoint sub-committees consisting of 3 or more of its members, and refer to any such sub-committee any matters which the committee is empowered to consider.

(8) The committee shall elect as chair a member appointed to the committee on the nomination of the Leader of the Government in the Senate.

(9) The committee shall elect as deputy chair a member appointed to the committee on the nomination of the Leader of the Opposition in the Senate, and the member so elected shall act as chair of the committee when there is no chair or the chair is not present at a meeting of the committee.

(10) Where votes on a question before the committee are equally divided, the chair, or the deputy chair when acting as chair, shall have a casting vote.

(11) The committee and any sub-committee shall have power to send for persons and documents, to move from place to place, and to meet and transact business in public or private session and notwithstanding any prorogation of the Parliament or dissolution of the House of Representatives.

(12) The committee may inquire into and report on any matter related to the technical scrutiny of delegated legislation.

(13) The committee may appoint with the approval of the President a legal adviser to the committee.

(14) The committee shall be empowered to print from day to day any of its documents and evidence. A daily Hansard shall be published of public proceedings of the committee.

(15) The committee may report from time to time its proceedings and evidence and any recommendations, and shall make regular reports of the progress of the proceedings of the committee.

(b) omit standing order 25(2)(a), substitute:

(a) The legislation committees shall inquire into and report upon:

(i) estimates of expenditure in accordance with standing order 26,
(ii) bills or draft bills referred to them by the Senate,
(iii) legislative instruments made in the portfolios allocated to them,
(iv) annual reports in accordance with paragraph (20), and
(v) the performance of departments and agencies allocated to them.
(2) The initial members of the Standing Committee for the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation shall be the members of the Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances appointed at the commencement of this Parliament.

(3) The Standing Committee for the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation have the power to consider and use the records of the Standing Committee on Regulations and Ordinances.

On 25 November 2019

General Business—Notice of Motion

Notice given 30 July 2019

72 Senator Kitching: To move—

(1) That a select committee, to be known as the Select Committee on Integrity, be established to inquire into and report on the integrity of government administration, with particular reference to:

(a) the adequacy and performance of existing integrity measures including, but not limited to:
   (i) the Statement of Ministerial Standards, and
   (ii) the Lobbyist Code and Register of Lobbyists;
(b) the funding, functions and performance of Commonwealth integrity agencies;
(c) the adequacy of government responses to Senate committee reports;
(d) the adequacy of government responses to Senate orders for the production of documents;
(e) the operation of the Commonwealth Procurement Framework;
(f) the administration of the Freedom of Information Act 1982 legislation;
(g) any proposals to strengthen the integrity of government administration; and
(h) any related matters.

(2) That the committee present its final report on or before the third sitting day of 2021.

(3) That the committee consist of 8 senators, as follows:

(a) 2 nominated by the Leader of the Government in the Senate;
(b) 2 nominated by the Leader of the Opposition in the Senate;
(c) 1 nominated by the Leader of the Australian Greens; and
(d) 3 nominated by minor party and independent senators.

(4) That:

(a) participating members may be appointed to the committee on the nomination of the Leader of the Government in the Senate, the Leader of the Opposition in the Senate or any minority party or independent senator; and
(b) participating members may participate in hearings of evidence and deliberations of the committee, and have all the rights of members of the committee, but may not vote on any questions before the committee.

(5) That 4 members of the committee constitute a quorum of the committee.

(6) That the committee may proceed to the dispatch of business notwithstanding that not all members have been duly nominated and appointed and notwithstanding any vacancy.

(7) That the committee elect as chair one of the members nominated by the Leader of the Opposition in the Senate and as deputy chair one of the members nominated by the Leader of the Australian Greens or by minor party and independent senators.

(8) That the deputy chair shall act chair when the chair is absent from a meeting of the committee or the position of chair is temporarily vacant.

(9) That, in the event of an equality of voting, the chair, or the deputy chair when acting as chair, have a casting vote.

(10) That the committee have power to appoint subcommittees consisting of 3 or more of its members, and to refer to any such subcommittee any of the matters which the committee is empowered to consider.

(11) That the committee and any subcommittee have power to send for and examine persons and documents, to move from place to place, to sit in public or in private, notwithstanding any prorogation of the Parliament or dissolution of the House of Representatives, and have leave to report from time to time its proceedings and the evidence taken and such interim recommendations as it may deem fit.

(12) That the committee be provided with all necessary staff, facilities and resources and be empowered to appoint persons with specialist knowledge for the purposes of the committee with the approval of the President.

(13) That the committee be empowered to print from day to day such papers and evidence as may be ordered by it, and a daily Hansard be published of such proceedings as take place in public.

On 26 November 2019

Business of the Senate—Notice of Motion

Notice given 2 July 2019

1 Senator Rice: To move—that the following matter be referred to the Legal and Constitutional Affairs References Committee for inquiry and report by 3 December 2019:

The continuing discrimination against lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender diverse, intersex and queer people and their families in Australia, its prevalence and its impacts, including:

(a) existing discrimination within federal, state and territory law and policy;
(b) experience of discrimination in Australian life, including but not limited to educational settings, workplaces, aged care, healthcare, sporting clubs and organisations, religious organisations, the provision of government services, including where contracted out, and in the provision of goods, services, housing and accommodation;

(c) where discrimination is sanctioned by federal, state and territory legislation and where it is occurring in breach or potential breach of legislation;

(d) how this discrimination affects the human rights, legal rights, access to justice, health, wellbeing and educational and economic outcomes of LGBTIQ+ people in Australia;

(e) the additional and compounding impacts of discrimination on LGBTIQ+ people and their families who are Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, of different or minority race, ethnicity or religion, or on the grounds of their migrant status, age, ability and socio-economic background or circumstances, who have intersectional LGBTIQ+ identities, or who have a range of these personal characteristics;

(f) how the experience of discrimination on LGBTIQ+ people and their families differs for young people;

(g) how the experience of discrimination on LGBTIQ+ people and their families differs based on whether they live in urban, regional, rural or remote areas;

(h) the specific discrimination, stigmatisation and human rights violations, including harmful practices in medical settings, experienced by people born with variations of sex characteristics, including infants, children and adolescents, and also encompassing prenatal interventions due to variations of sex characteristics;

(i) the broad range of sexual orientation and gender identity change efforts and associated formal and informal activities, particularly by religious organisations, and the impacts of these on lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, gender diverse and queer people;

(j) the reforms and initiatives required to remedy prejudice, stigma and discrimination against LGBTIQ+ people and their families, including legislative and policy reforms, funding for training and education programs, funding for community and government initiatives, development of funded government strategies, better liaison between government, relevant NGOs and the LGBTIQ+ community, and the development of national standards for best-practice legislative, policy and program initiatives; and

(k) any other related matters.

On 2 December 2019

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Environment and Communications Legislation Committee

Report to be presented on the Coal-Fired Power Funding Prohibition Bill 2017. (Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)
On 3 December 2019

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Environment and Communications References Committee
   Report to be presented on the impact of feral deer, pigs and goats in Australia.

On 4 December 2019

Business of the Senate—Orders of the Day

1 Jobs for the Future in Regional Areas—Select Committee
   Report to be presented.

2 Community Affairs References Committee
   Report to be presented on Centrelink’s compliance program.

On the third sitting day of December 2019 (4 December 2019)

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Environment and Communications References Committee
   Report to be presented on the disclosure and reporting of sensitive and classified information.

On 5 December 2019

Business of the Senate—Orders of the Day

1 Environment and Communications Legislation Committee
   Report to be presented on the Competition and Consumer Amendment (Prevention of Exploitation of Indigenous Cultural Expressions) Bill 2019. (Referred pursuant to Selection of Bills Committee report.)

2 Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport References Committee
   Report to be presented on policy, regulatory, taxation, administrative and funding priorities for Australian shipping.

3 Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport References Committee
   Report to be presented on the feasibility of a National Horse Traceability Register for all horses.

4 Economics References Committee
   Report to be presented on regional inequality in Australia.

On 1 March 2020

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Corporations and Financial Services—Joint Statutory Committee
   Report to be presented on the regulation of auditing in Australia.
On 27 March 2020
Business of the Senate—Order of the Day
   1 Community Affairs References Committee
      Report to be presented on the adequacy of Newstart and related payments.

On or before 30 March 2020
Business of the Senate—Order of the Day
   1 Road Safety—Joint Select Committee
      Interim report to be presented.

On the last sitting day of the 2020 Autumn sittings
Business of the Senate—Order of the Day
   1 Environment and Communications References Committee
      Report to be presented on Australia’s faunal extinction crisis.

On the last sitting day in May 2020
Business of the Senate—Order of the Day
   1 Legal and Constitutional Affairs References Committee
      Report to be presented on nationhood, national identity and democracy.

On the first sitting day in June 2020
Business of the Senate—Order of the Day
   *1 Community Affairs References Committee
      Report to be presented on Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder.

On or before 31 July 2020
Business of the Senate—Order of the Day
   1 Road Safety—Joint Select Committee
      Final report to be presented.

On 1 November 2020
Business of the Senate—Order of the Day
   1 Multi-Jurisdictional Management and Execution of the Murray Darling Basin Plan—Select Committee
      Report to be presented.
On or before the final sitting day of 2020

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Effectiveness of the Australian Government’s Northern Australia agenda—Select Committee
   Report to be presented.

On the last sitting day in May 2022

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

*1 Implementation of the National Redress Scheme—Joint Select Committee
   Report to be presented.

Within 6 months of the Joint Standing Committee on Electoral Matters receiving the reference

Business of the Senate—Order of the Day

1 Electoral Matters—Joint Standing Committee
   (Bill received royal assent on 29 November 2018.)

OTHER INFORMATION

BILLS CURRENTLY BEFORE COMMITTEES

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Amendment (Assisted Reproductive Treatment Statistics) Bill 2019 ‡
   Referred to Community Affairs Legislation Committee (referred 25 July 2019; reporting date: 11 November 2019)

Coal-Fired Power Funding Prohibition Bill 2017 ‡
   Referred to Environment and Communications Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 2 December 2019)

Competition and Consumer Amendment (Prevention of Exploitation of Indigenous Cultural Expressions) Bill 2019 ‡
   Referred to Environment and Communications Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 5 December 2019)
Fair Work Laws Amendment (Proper Use of Worker Benefits) Bill 2019 [provisions]
Referred to Education and Employment Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 25 October 2019)

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Amendment (Ensuring Integrity) Bill 2019 [provisions]
Referred to Education and Employment Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 25 October 2019)

Human Services Amendment (Photographic Identification and Fraud Prevention) Bill 2019
Referred to Community Affairs Legislation Committee (referred 1 August 2019; reporting date: 16 October 2019)

Migration Amendment (Repairing Medical Transfers) Bill 2019 [provisions]
Referred to Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 18 October 2019)

Migration Amendment (Strengthening the Character Test) Bill 2019 [provisions]
Referred to Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 13 September 2019)

Migration Legislation Amendment (Regional Processing Cohort) Bill 2019 [provisions]
Referred to Legal and Constitutional Affairs Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 13 September 2019)

Ministers of State (Checks for Security Purposes) Bill 2019
Referred to Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 11 November 2019)

Murray-Darling Basin Commission of Inquiry Bill 2019
Referred to Environment and Communications Legislation Committee (referred 4 July 2019; reporting date: 19 September 2019)

‡ Reference adopted by the Senate following a recommendation of the Selection of Bills Committee.
BILLS DISCHARGED OR NEGATIVED

Private senators’ bills

Plebiscite (Future Migration Level) Bill 2018
Second reading negatived, 29 July 2019.

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Questions remaining unanswered

Nos 221, 234, 243, 265, 324, 330, 356, 358 to 386, 388 to 400, 402 to 551.

Question nos, as shown, from 221 to 330 remain unanswered for 30 or more days (see standing order 74(5)).

The full text of Questions on Notice and their answers are available online at www.aph.gov.au/qon.

ORDERS OF THE SENATE

Address-in-reply—Suspension of standing order 3(4)
That standing order 3(4) be suspended to enable the Senate to consider business other than that of a formal character before the address-in-reply to the Governor-General’s opening speech has been adopted.
(AGreed to 2 July 2019)

Allocation of departments/agencies
That departments and agencies be allocated to legislative and general purpose standing committees as follows:

Community Affairs
  Health
  Social Services, including Services Australia
Economics
  Industry, Innovation and Science
  Treasury
Education and Employment
  Education
  Employment, Skills, Small and Family Business, including Industrial Relations
Environment and Communications
Communications and the Arts
Environment and Energy
Finance and Public Administration
Finance
Parliament
Prime Minister and Cabinet
Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade
Defence, including Veterans’ Affairs
Foreign Affairs and Trade
Legal and Constitutional Affairs
Attorney-General, excluding Industrial Relations
Home Affairs
Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport
Agriculture
Infrastructure, Transport, Cities and Regional Development.

(Agreed to 4 July 2019)

Environment and Communications References Committee—Determination of committee chair—Standing order 25(9)
That, pursuant to standing order 25(9), the Senate determines:
(a) that the chair of the Environment and Communications References Committee shall be elected by that committee from members nominated by minor parties or independent senators; and
(b) that this order remain in effect until the President is duly notified of an agreement that meets the terms of standing order 25(9)(c).

(Agreed to 2 November 2011; varied 13 September 2016)

Estimates hearings—2018-19 additional estimates; 2019-20 supplementary Budget estimates
(1) That the 2019-20 supplementary Budget estimates hearings be scheduled as follows:
   Monday, 21 October and Tuesday, 22 October 2019 (supplementary hearings—Group A)
   Wednesday, 23 October and Thursday, 24 October 2019 (supplementary hearings—Group B).
(2) That cross portfolio estimates hearings on Indigenous matters and on Murray-Darling Basin Plan matters be scheduled for Friday, 25 October 2019, but not restricted to that day.
(3) That the committees consider the proposed expenditure in accordance with the allocation of departments and agencies to committees agreed to by the Senate.
(4) That committees meet in the following groups:
   Group A:
   Environment and Communications
   Finance and Public Administration
   Legal and Constitutional Affairs
   Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport
Group B:
  Community Affairs
  Economics
  Education and Employment
  Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade.

(Agreed to 4 July 2019)

Estimates questions (unanswered)—2019-20 Budget estimates

That—

(a) answers to outstanding questions taken on notice in relation to the 2018-19 additional estimates and the 2019-20 Budget estimates, and which remained unanswered at the beginning of the 46th Parliament, be provided to legislation committees by 31 July 2019; and

(b) for the purposes of standing order 74(5), the day set for answering each of the unanswered questions is 31 July 2019.

(Agreed to 29 July 2019)

First speeches

That consideration of the business before the Senate on the following days be interrupted at approximately 5 pm, but not so as to interrupt a senator speaking, to enable senators to make their first speeches without any question before the chair, as follows:

(a) Tuesday, 10 September 2019—Senators Scarr, Van and Rennick;
(b) Wednesday, 11 September 2019—Senators Marielle Smith and Walsh;
(c) Tuesday, 17 September 2019—Senators Antic and Davey; and
(d) Wednesday, 18 September 2019—Senator McMahon.

(Agreed to 23 July 2019)

Formal business and suspensions of standing orders—Standing order 66—Amendment

That, in accordance with the recommendation in the Procedure Committee’s first report of 2019, standing order 66 be amended as follows:

After paragraph (3), insert:

(4) The question on any motion to suspend standing orders moved in the following circumstances shall be put immediately without any amendment or debate:

(a) any motion to suspend standing orders to provide for the consideration of a motion for which formality has been denied; and

(b) any other motion to suspend standing orders moved during consideration of formal business under standing order 66.

(Agreed to 4 July 2019)
Meeting of Senate—2019
That the days of meeting of the Senate for the remainder of 2019 be as follows:

**Winter sittings:**
- Monday, 22 July to Thursday, 25 July
- Monday, 29 July to Thursday, 1 August

**Spring sittings:**
- Monday, 9 September to Thursday, 12 September
- Monday, 16 September to Thursday, 19 September
- Monday, 14 October to Thursday, 17 October
- Monday, 11 November to Thursday, 14 November
- Monday, 25 November to Thursday, 28 November
- Monday, 2 December to Thursday, 5 December.

*(Agreed to 4 July 2019)*

**CONTINGENT NOTICES OF MOTION**

**Conduct of business**

1. **Leader of the Government in the Senate (Senator Cormann):** To move (contingent on the Senate on any day concluding its consideration of any item of business and prior to the Senate proceeding to the consideration of another item of business)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent a minister moving a motion to provide for the consideration of any matter.

2. **Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)**
   - Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
   - Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
   - Senator Bernardi
   - Senator Patrick

   To move (contingent on the Senate on any day concluding its consideration of any item of business and prior to the Senate proceeding to the consideration of another item of business)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the senator moving a motion relating to the conduct of the business of the Senate or to provide for the consideration of any matter.

**Formal business**

3. **Leader of the Government in the Senate (Senator Cormann)**
   - Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
   - Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
   - Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
   - Senator Bernardi
   - Senator Patrick

   To move (contingent on any senator objecting to a motion being taken as formal)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the motion being moved immediately and determined without amendment or debate.
4 Leader of the Government in the Senate (Senator Cormann)
Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
Senator Bernardi
Senator Patrick

To move (contingent on any senator being refused leave to move an amendment to a motion discovered during formal business)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent that senator moving the amendment to the motion.

Limitation of time

5 Leader of the Government in the Senate (Senator Cormann): To move (contingent on the chair declaring that the time allotted for the consideration of a bill, or any stage of a bill, has expired)—That so much of standing order 142 be suspended as would prevent further consideration of the bill, or the stage of the bill, without limitation of time or for a specified period.

Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
Senator Bernardi
Senator Patrick

6 To move (contingent on a minister moving a motion that a bill be considered an urgent bill)—That so much of standing order 142 be suspended as would prevent debate taking place on the motion.

7 To move (contingent on a minister moving a motion to specify time to be allotted to the consideration of a bill, or any stage of a bill)—That so much of standing order 142 be suspended as would prevent the motion being debated without limitation of time and each senator speaking for the time allotted by standing orders.

8 To move (contingent on the chair declaring that the time allotted for the consideration of a bill, or any stage of a bill, has expired)—That so much of standing order 142 be suspended as would prevent further consideration of the bill, or the stage of the bill, without limitation of time or for a specified period.

Matters of urgency

9 Leader of the Government in the Senate (Senator Cormann): To move (contingent on the moving of a motion to debate a matter of urgency under standing order 75)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent a minister moving an amendment to the motion.

10 Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
Senator Bernardi
Senator Patrick

To move (contingent on the moving of a motion to debate a matter of urgency under standing order 75)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent a senator moving an amendment to the motion.
Order of business

11 Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
   Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
   Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
   Senator Bernardi
   Senator Patrick

   To move (contingent on the Senate on any day concluding its consideration of any
   item of business and prior to the Senate proceeding to the consideration of another
   item of business)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would
   prevent the senator moving a motion relating to the order of business on the Notice
   Paper.

Questions without notice

12 Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
   Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
   Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
   Senator Bernardi
   Senator Patrick

   To move (contingent on a minister at question time on any day asking that further
   questions be placed on notice)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended
   as would prevent the senator moving a motion that, at question time on any day,
   questions may be put to ministers until 30 questions, including supplementary
   questions, have been asked and answered.

Statements

13 Leader of the Government in the Senate (Senator Cormann)
   Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
   Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
   Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
   Senator Bernardi
   Senator Patrick

   To move (contingent on any senator being refused leave to make a statement to the
   Senate)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent that
   senator making that statement.

Tabling of documents

14 Leader of the Opposition in the Senate (Senator Wong)
   Leader of the Australian Greens (Senator Di Natale)
   Leader of Pauline Hanson’s One Nation (Senator Hanson)
   Senator Bernardi
   Senator Patrick

   To move (contingent on any senator being refused leave to table a document in the
   Senate)—That so much of the standing orders be suspended as would prevent the
   senator moving that the document be tabled.
APPOINTMENTS TO STATUTORY AUTHORITIES

National Archives of Australia Advisory Council
Senator Carr (appointed 1 August 2019, for a period of 3 years).

Council of the National Library of Australia
Senator Bilyk (appointed 1 August 2019, for a period of 3 years).

Parliamentary Retiring Allowances Trust
Senators Abetz and Carr (appointed 1 August 2019).

Richard Pye
Clerk of the Senate

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