**DRAFT LEGISLATION PROGRAM FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**2025 SPRING SITTINGS OF PARLIAMENT: WEEK 4 (1 September to 4 September)**

 **PLEASE NOTE:  THIS IS AN INDICATIVE PROGRAM AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE** 

**Monday, 1 September**

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| 10.00 am | House meets  Petitions, Committee & delegation business, private Members’ business |
| 12.00 noon (approx.) | Resumption of debate:   * Taking Note of Ministerial Statement – Five per cent deposits for all first home buyers * *Health Legislation Amendment (Improved Medicare Integrity and Other Measures) Bill* * Appropriation Bill (No.1) 2025-26   Appropriation Bill (No.2) 2025-26  Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No.1) 2025-26 |
| 1.30 pm | 90 second statements |
| 2.00 pm | Questions / Statements  Resumption of debate:   * Appropriation Bill (No.1) 2025-26   Appropriation Bill (No.2) 2025-26  Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No.1) 2025-26 |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment debate (1/2 hour) |

**Tuesday, 2 September**

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| 12.00 noon | House meets  Resumption of debate:   * Home Affairs Legislation Amendment (2025 Measures No. 1) Bill# * Treasury Laws Amendment (Payments System Modernisation) Bill |
| 1.30 pm | 90 second statements |
| 2.00 pm | Questions / MPI / Statements  Resumption of debate:   * Defence Amendment (Defence Honours and Awards Appeals Tribunal) Bill * Appropriation Bill (No.1) 2025-26   Appropriation Bill (No.2) 2025-26  Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No.1) 2025-26 |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment debate (1/2 hour) |

**Wednesday, 3 September**

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| 9.00 am | House meets  Introduction of bills  Resumption of debate:   * Defence Amendment (Defence Honours and Awards Appeals Tribunal) Bill * Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment (Board of Management Functions) Bill |
| 1.30 pm | 90 second statements |
| 2.00 pm | Questions / MPI / Statements  Resumption of debate:   * Telecommunications Amendment (Enhancing Consumer Safeguards) Bill * Appropriation Bill (No.1) 2025-26   Appropriation Bill (No.2) 2025-26  Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No.1) 2025-26 |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment debate (1/2 hour) |

**Thursday, 4 September**

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| 9.00 am | House meets  Introduction of bills  Resumption of debate:   * Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment (Board of Management Functions) Bill * Telecommunications Amendment (Enhancing Consumer Safeguards) Bill |
| 1.30 pm | 90 second statements |
| 2.00 pm | Questions / MPI / Statements  Resumption of debate:   * Appropriation Bill (No.1) 2025-26   Appropriation Bill (No.2) 2025-26  Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No.1) 2025-26 |
| 4.30 pm | Adjournment debate (1/2 hour) |

**FEDERATION CHAMBER (2R3)**

**Monday, 1 September**

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| 10.30 am | Federation Chamber meets  Members’ 3-minute constituency statements |
| 11.00 am  1.30 pm | Committee & delegation business, private Members’ business  Suspension |
| 4.00 pm | 90 second statements |
| 4.45 pm | Committee & delegation business, private Members’ business |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment (no debate) |

**Tuesday, 2 September**

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| 12.30 pm | Federation Chamber meets  Grievance Debate |
| 1.30 pm | Suspension |
| 4.00 pm | Resumption of debate:   * Home Affairs Legislation Amendment (2025 Measures No. 1) Bill * Address-in-Reply   Members’ 3-minute constituency statements |
| 5.00 pm | Resumption of debate:   * Address-in-Reply |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment (no debate) |

**Wednesday, 3 September**

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| 9.30 am | Federation Chamber meets  Members’ 3-minute constituency statements |
| 10.30 am | Resumption of debate:   * National Skills Week * Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility * Address-in-Reply |
| 1.30 pm | Suspension |
| 4.00 pm | Resumption of debate:   * Address-in-Reply |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment (no debate) |

**Thursday, 4 September**

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| 9.30 am | Federation Chamber meets  Members’ 3-minute constituency statements |
| 10.30 am | Resumption of debate:   * Address-in-Reply |
| 1.00 pm | Adjournment debate (1/2 hour) |

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| Please note that high-priority bills may be programed for debate as required during the sittings. Senate initiated bills are shown in *italics*. Debate on bills marked with an \* cannot proceed until the bills are received from the Senate, but may occur earlier than shown if received earlier than estimated. Bills marked with a # may be referred to the Federation Chamber for debate. | |