**DRAFT LEGISLATION PROGRAM FOR THE SENATE**

2025 AUTUMN SITTINGS OF PARLIAMENT: WEEK 3 (25 – 26 MARCH)

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

Tuesday, 25 March

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| 12.00pm | Documents presented / Authorisations for Committees to meet |
|  | *Government Business** Workplace Gender Equality Amendment (Setting Gender Equality Targets) Bill 2024
* Auscheck Amendment (Global Entry Program) Bill 2025#^
* Transport Security Amendment (Security of Australia’s Transport Sector) Bill 2024#
* Free TAFE Bill 2024
* National Broadband Network Companies Amendment (Commitment to Public Ownership) Bill 2024
 |
| 1.30pm | 2 Minute Statements / Questions / Motions to take note of answers / Petitions / Notices of motion / Condolence / Placing of business / Discovery of formal business / MPI or urgency motion / Consideration of documents/ Tabling and consideration of committee reports / Ministerial statements / Committee memberships / Messages from the House of Representatives |
|  | *Order of Business (continued)* |
| 6.30pm | Suspension |
| 8.30pm | Budget statement and documents 2025‑26Adjournment (No time limit) |

Wednesday, 26 March

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| 9.00am | Documents presented / Authorisations for Committees to meet |
|  | *Consideration of Private Senators’ Bills** Criminal Code Amendment Bill (Genocide, Crimes against Humanity and War Crimes) Bill 2024 [Senator Thorpe]
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| 10.10am | *Government Business** Supply Bill (No. 1) 2025‑26#

Supply Bill (No. 2) 2025‑26#Supply (Parliamentary Departments) Bill 2025‑26#* Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment (Reconsiderations) Bill 2025#\*
* Parliamentary Business Resources Legislation Amendment (Machinery of Government) Bill 2025#\*
* Health Insurance (Pathology) (Fees) (Repeal) Bill 2024
* Commonwealth Workplace Protection Orders Bill 2024
* Treasury Laws Amendment (Tax Incentives and Integrity) Bill 2024#
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| 12.15pm | Senators’ statements |
| 1.30pm | 2 Minute Statements / Questions / Motions to take note of answers / Petitions / Notices of motion / Placing of business / Discovery of formal business / MPI or urgency motion / Consideration of documents/ Tabling and consideration of committee reports / Ministerial statements / Committee memberships / Messages from the House of Representatives |
|  | *Order of Business (continued)* |
| 6.00pm | Valedictory statementsBudget statement and documents – party leaders and independent senators in reply |
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|  | Adjournment without debate |

# *subject to introduction in the Senate*

\* *subject to exemption from the bills cut-off order*

^ *subject to tabling of committee report*

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*Please note that other high-priority bills may be programmed for debate as required during the sittings*