

DRAFT LEGISLATION PROGRAM FOR THE SENATE
2025 SPRING SITTINGS OF PARLIAMENT: WEEK 8 (24 – 27 NOVEMBER)

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

Monday, 24 November

10.00am	Documents presented / Authorisations for Committees to meet <i>Government Business</i> • Social Security and Other Legislation Amendment (Technical Changes No. 2) Bill 2025 • Home Affairs Legislation Amendment (2025 Measures No. 2) Bill 2025 • Administrative Review Tribunal and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2025 • Customs Tariff Amendment (Geelong Treaty Implementation) Bill 2025
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 tabled / Ministerial statements / Committee memberships / Messages from the House of Representatives <i>Order of Business (continued)</i>
8.00pm	Adjournment (30 minutes)

Tuesday, 25 November

12.00pm	Documents presented / Authorisations for Committees to meet <i>Government Business</i> • Treasury Laws Amendment (Strengthening Financial Systems and Other Measures) Bill 2025 • Regulatory Reform Omnibus Bill 2025 • Education Legislation Amendment (Integrity and Other Measures) Bill 2025^ • Strengthening Oversight of the National Intelligence Community Bill 2025#*
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 <i>Order of Business (continued)</i>
7.30pm	Adjournment (No time limit)

Wednesday, 26 November

9.00am	Documents presented / Authorisations for Committees to meet <i>Consideration of Private Senators' Bills</i> • TBC [Pauline Hanson's One Nation]
10.10am	<i>Government Business</i> • Environment Protection Reform Bill 2025#*^ - National Environmental Protection Agency Bill 2025#*^ - Environment Information Australia Bill 2025#*^ - Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (Restoration Charge Imposition) Bill 2025#*^ - Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (General Charges Imposition) Bill 2025#*^ - Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (Customs Charges Imposition) Bill 2025#*^ - Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (Excise Charges Imposition) Bill 2025#*^

	- Defence Amendment (Parliamentary Joint Committee on Defence) Bill 2025 - VET Student Loans (Miscellaneous Measures) Bill 2025#*
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
	<i>Order of Business (continued)</i>
5.00pm	<i>First speech—Senator Sean Bell (PHON, NSW)</i>
	<i>Order of Business (continued)</i>
7.30pm	Adjournment (30 minutes)

Thursday, 27 November

9.00am	Authorisations for committees to meet
	<i>Consideration of Private Senators' Bills</i> TBC [Government]
10:10am	<i>Government Business</i> - Communications Legislation Amendment (Australian Content Requirement for Subscription Video On Demand (Streaming) Services) Bill 2025#* - Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment (Miscellaneous Measures No. 1) Bill 2025#*
11.15am	Petitions / Notices of motion / Placing of business / Discovery of formal business / Committee memberships / Messages from the House of Representatives
	<i>Government Business</i>
12.15pm	<i>(Non-controversial legislation – to be confirmed)</i>
1.30pm	2 Minute Statements / Questions / Motions to take note / Tabling and consideration of committee reports / Consideration of documents, committee reports, government responses and Auditor-General's reports / Ministerial statements / General business debate
5.30pm	Adjournment (30 minutes)

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