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

**2025 AUTUMN SITTINGS OF PARLIAMENT: WEEK 3 (25 to 27 March)**

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

**Tuesday, 25 March**

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| 12.00 noon | House meets  Resumption of debate:   * Transport Security Amendment (Security of Australia’s Transport Sector)   Introduction of bills:   * Supply Bill (No. 1) 2025-2026 * Supply Bill (No. 2) 2025-2026 * Supply (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No. 1) 2025-2026 * Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment (Reconsiderations) * Parliamentary Business Resources Legislation Amendment (Machinery of Government)   Resumption of debate:   * Supply Bill (No. 1) 2025-2026 Supply Bill (No. 2) 2025-2026 Supply (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No. 1) 2025-2026 |
| 1.30 pm | 90 second statements |
| 2.00 pm | Condolence – the Hon Dr Rosemary Crowley AO  Questions / MPI / Statements  Resumption of debate:   * Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment (Reconsiderations) * Parliamentary Business Resources Legislation Amendment (Machinery of Government) * Telecommunications Amendment (Enhancing Consumer Safeguards) |
| 6.00 pm | Suspension |
| 7.30 pm | Budget Speech   * Introduction of Budget related bills * Tabling of Budget documents |
| 8.15 pm (approx.) | Adjournment (no debate) |

**Wednesday, 26 March**

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| 9.00 am | House meets  Introduction of bills  Resumption of debate:   * Telecommunications Amendment (Enhancing Consumer Safeguards) |
| 12.00 pm | Regional Budget Statement |
|  | Resumption of debate:   * Telecommunications Amendment (Enhancing Consumer Safeguards) |
| 1.30 pm | 90 second statements |
| 2.00 pm | Questions / MPI / Statements  Resumption of debate:   * Pacific Banking Guarantee |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment debate (1/2 hour) |

**Thursday, 27 March**

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| 9.00 am | House meets  Women’s Budget Statement  Introduction of bills  Resumption of debate:   * Pacific Banking Guarantee |
| 1.30 pm | 90 second statements |
| 2.00 pm | Questions / MPI / Statements  Resumption of debate:   * Pacific Banking Guarantee * Universities Accord (National Higher Education Code to Prevent and Respond to Gender-based Violence)  Universities Accord (National Higher Education Code to Prevent and Respond to Gender-based Violence) (Consequential Amendments) |
| 6.00 pm | Suspension |
| 7.30 pm | Leader of the Opposition response to the Budget speech |

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| 8.00 pm (approx.) | Adjournment (no debate) |

**FEDERATION CHAMBER (2R3)**

**Tuesday, 25 March**

The Federation Chamber will not sit on Tuesday 25 March

**Wednesday, 26 March**

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| 9.30 am | Federation Chamber meets  Members’ 3-minute constituency statements |
| 10.00 am | Resumption of debate:   * Condolence – the Hon Dr Rosemary Crowley AO |
| 1.00 pm | Suspension |
| 4.00 pm | Resumption of debate:   * TBA |
| 7.30 pm | Adjournment (no debate) |

**Thursday, 27 March**

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| 9.30 am | Federation Chamber meets  Members’ 3-minute constituency statements |
| 10.00 am | Resumption of statements:   * Women’s Budget Statement |
| 12.30 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. | |