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## DFRDB UPDATE – AUGUST 2025 (2)

### Senate Inquiry Relunched

This advice has been received from the Committee Secretary **Sophie Dunstone**.

#### **Submission invitation – inquiry into Australian Defence Force (ADF) superannuation and pension schemes**

On 24 July 2025, the Senate referred the above matter to the Finance and Public Administration References Committee (the committee) for inquiry and report by 30 October 2025.

Information about the inquiry, including links to the inquiry's terms of reference, is available at [the committee's webpage](#).

Evidence provided to the inquiry into ADF superannuation and pension schemes in the previous parliament is available to the committee. If you made a public submission to the previous inquiry, please do **not** re-submit, unless you have something new or different to say.

If you have not yet made a submission, or if you would like to provide an updated or supplementary submission, you are welcome to do so. **The closing date for submissions is 18 September 2025.**

Submissions can be made online via the inquiry webpage, sent via email to [fpa.sen@aph.gov.au](mailto:fpa.sen@aph.gov.au) or posted to the committee at PO Box 6100, Parliament House, Canberra ACT 2600.

If your submission is accepted by the committee, it will usually be made publicly available on the inquiry webpage. If you would like to request that your name or any part of your submission is kept confidential, please state this clearly when you make your submission and provide a reason for your request. You will be advised whether the committee has agreed to your request.

Submissions become committee documents. You should not circulate or publish your submission before it has been accepted by the committee. Once accepted, submissions are covered by [parliamentary privilege](#) in Australia but the unauthorised release of them is not.

For further information about making a submission see: [Making a submission – Parliament of Australia \(aph.gov.au\)](#)

The committee would appreciate you referring this letter of invitation to any individual, group, or organisation that you think would like to contribute to the inquiry.

If you have any questions, please contact the secretariat via email [fpa.sen@aph.gov.au](mailto:fpa.sen@aph.gov.au) or (02) 6277 3846.

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