

Department of Defence

Schedule Of Special Purpose Flights

01 April 2025 – 30 June 2025

Special Purpose Aircraft support the Australian Government by enabling official travel and engagement in a timely and secure manner, and supporting continuity of Government business in times of national crisis. Special Purpose flights are authorised, governed and conducted in accordance with the *Guidelines for the use of Special Purpose Aircraft*.

During election periods, Air Force's Special Purpose Aircraft capability is supplemented by chartered aircraft support. This schedule does not include use of aircraft in support of the 2025 Federal Election Campaign.

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Requested for Authorised Person	Approval Authority	Domestic Hours	International Hours	Cost (\$AUD)	Portfolio
HE The Hon. Sam Mostyn AC	GG	31.1	42.2	\$618,936	Governor-General
HE The Hon. Margaret Beazley AC KC	GG	1.0	0.0	\$0	Administrator to the Commonwealth
The Hon. Anthony Albanese MP	PM	43.0	69.9	\$972,289	Prime Minister
Senator the Hon. Tim Ayres	MINDEF	7.3	0.0	\$49,969	Minister for Industry and Innovation, Minister for Science
The Hon. Pat Conroy MP	PM	0.7	13.8	\$99,253	Minister for Defence Industry, Minister for Pacific Island Affairs
Senator The Hon. Don Farrell	MINDEF	7.5	0.0	\$5,603	Minister for Trade and Tourism, Special Minister of State
The Hon. Peter Khalil MP	MINDEF	4.9	0.0	\$33,541	Assistant Minister for Defence
The Hon. Catherine King MP	MINDEF	5.7	0.0	\$39,017	Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government
The Hon. Richard Marles MP	MINDEF	9.4	0.0	\$64,343	Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Defence
The Hon. Richard Marles MP	PM	9.4	16.4	\$176,601	Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Defence
The Hon. Kristy McBain MP	MINDEF	3.4	0.0	\$23,273	Minister for Emergency Management, Minister for Regional Development, Local Government and Territories
Senator the Hon. Malarndirri McCarthy	MINDEF	0.9	0.0	\$6,161	Minister for Indigenous Australians
Senator The Hon. Penny Wong	PM	1.3	13.5	\$92,290	Minister for Foreign Affairs
Cabinet Special	PM	10.0	0.0	\$68,450	SPA support to Cabinet