# **Public Accounts and Audit (Joint Statutory)**

43<sup>rd</sup> Parliament (28 September 2010 to 31 December 2010)

### Appointment

Pursuant to Public Accounts and Audit Committee Act 1951.

### Membership

Mr R Oakshott MP (Chair), Mrs Y D'Ath MP (Deputy Chair), and Senators Barnett, Bishop, Hurley, Kroger, and Sterle, and Mr Adams MP, Mr Briggs MP, Ms Brodtmann MP, Mr Cheeseman MP, Mr Frydenberg MP, Ms D O'Neill MP, Ms Smyth MP, Mr Somlyay MP

#### **Former members**

### Secretary

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# **Current inquiries**

28 September 2010–31 December 2010

- Review of Auditor-General's reports (ongoing)
- Inquiry into the *Auditor-General Act 1997*
- The role of the Auditor-General in scrutinising government advertising campaigns
- Biannual public hearing with the Commissioner of Taxation (ongoing)
- Annual public hearing on the Defence Major Projects Report (ongoing)

# **Reports presented**

28 September 2010–31 December 2010

- Report 418: Review of Auditor-General's reports Nos. 04 to 38 (2009–10) (presented 22 December 2010)
- Report 419: Inquiry into the *Auditor-General Act 1997* (presented 22 December 2010)

#### **Government responses received**

28 September 2010–31 December 2010

• Report 417: Review of Auditor-General's Reports tabled between February 2009 and September 2009 (tabled 22 June 2010)—Executive Minutes/Government Responses received from: Department of Immigration and Citizenship (24 November 2010); and Department of Finance and Deregulation (24 November 2010)

Other Committees

Meetings/hours 28 September 2010–31 December 2010

Total Hours:	3	2h 46m
Sectional committees:	0	0h 0m
Full committee:	3	2h 46m