

# Statistical Digest

**No. 26**

15–24 June 2010

June 2010				
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21	22	23	24	25

## Legislation

**15 to 24 June****2010  
to date**

Bills presented to House		
Government bills	24	132
Private Members' bills	1	7
Senate bills	1	3
Bills referred to the Main Committee	6	37
Bills passed by the House	30	124

## Other Business

**15 to 24 June****2010  
to date**

Number of sitting days	7	36
Hours of sitting*		
House of Representatives Chamber	63 hrs 2 mins	317 hrs 51 mins
Main Committee	30 hrs 26 mins	129 hrs 24 mins
Business conducted in the House†		
Government Business	59 hrs 36 mins	276 hrs 19 mins
Private Members' Business	5 hrs 34 mins	41 hrs 0 mins
Other opportunities for Private Members	4 hrs 55 mins	27 hrs 18 mins
Questions without notice	10 hrs 59 mins	52 hrs 42 mins
Matter of public importance	5 hrs 29 mins	23 hrs 34 mins
Business of the House	6 hrs 55 mins	26 hrs 22 mins
Items of private Members' business debated#	5	29
Matters of public importance discussed	6	26
Questions in writing	27	250
Questions without notice	129	613
Petitions presented	25	93
Signatures to petitions	75,282	185,689
Divisions	9	63
Parliamentary committee reports presented	14	42

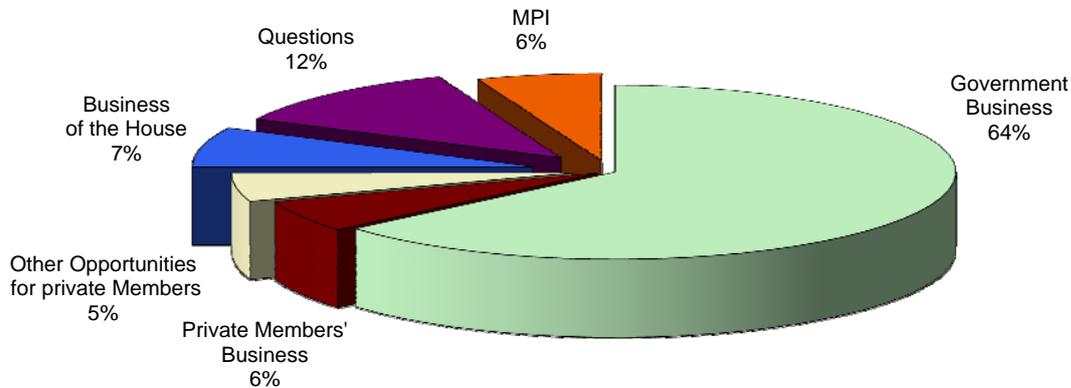
\* Excluding time spent on suspensions of sittings.

† Includes Main Committee, see definitions on following page.

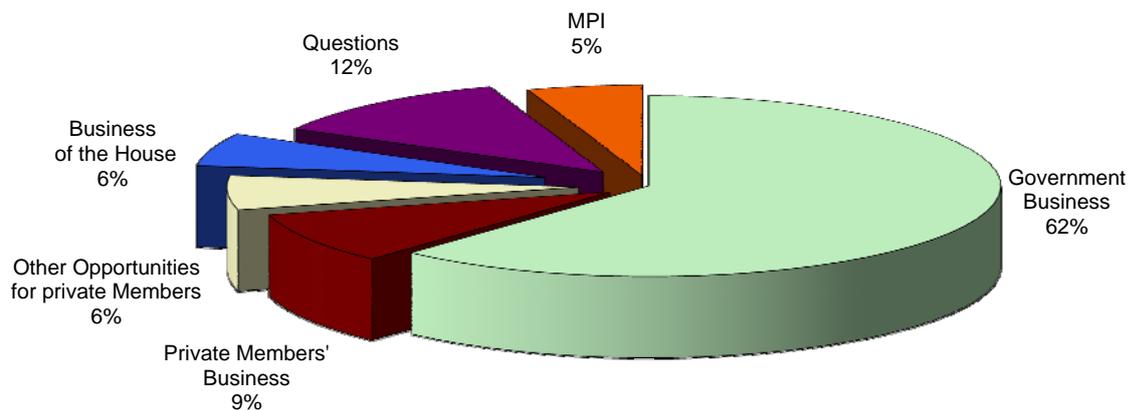
# Does not include private Members' bills.

## Business conducted in the House of Representatives

15 – 24 June 2010



2010 to date



**Includes time spent in the Main Committee.**

**Government business** includes government sponsored legislation and motions (including motions to suspend standing orders) and ministerial statements.

**Private Members' business** includes legislation and motions (including motions to suspend standing orders) sponsored by private Members and statements by Members.

**Other opportunities for private Members** includes adjournment, grievance debates and debates on Address in Reply.

**Business of the House** includes time spent on petitions, giving notices, presentation of papers (excluding motions to take note), privilege matters, personal explanations, dissent motions, announcements of ministerial arrangements, motions to appoint committees (unless moved by private Members), statements and debate on committee reports, motions for addresses, votes of condolence, leave of absence and special adjournment.