

# Statistical Digest

No. 14

44<sup>th</sup> Parliament

9 to 12 February 2015

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16	17	18	19	20

## Legislation

	9 to 12 February	2015 to date
Bills presented to House	5	5
Government bills	4	4
Private Members' bills	0	0
Senate bills	1	1
Bills referred to the Federation Chamber	0	0
Bills passed by the House	6	6

## Other Business

	9 to 12 February	2015 to date
Number of sitting days	4	4
Hours of sitting*		
House of Representatives Chamber	40 hrs	40 hrs
Federation Chamber	8 hrs 39 mins	8 hrs 39 mins
Business conducted in the House†		
Government Business	24 hrs 46 mins	24 hrs 46 mins
Private Members' Business	9 hrs 46 mins	9 hrs 46 mins
Other opportunities for private Members	4 hrs 14 mins	4 hrs 14 mins
Questions without notice	3 hrs 54 mins	3 hrs 54 mins
Matter of public importance	3 hrs 3 mins	3 hrs 3 mins
Business of the House	2 hrs 56 mins	2 hrs 56 mins
Private Members' motions moved and debated~	7	7
Matters of public importance discussed	3	3
Questions in writing	38	38
Questions without notice#	66	66
Petitions presented	3	3
Signatures to petitions	2,045	2,045
Divisions	6	6
Parliamentary committee reports presented^	9	9

\* Excludes suspension of sittings.

† Includes Federation Chamber, see definitions on following page.

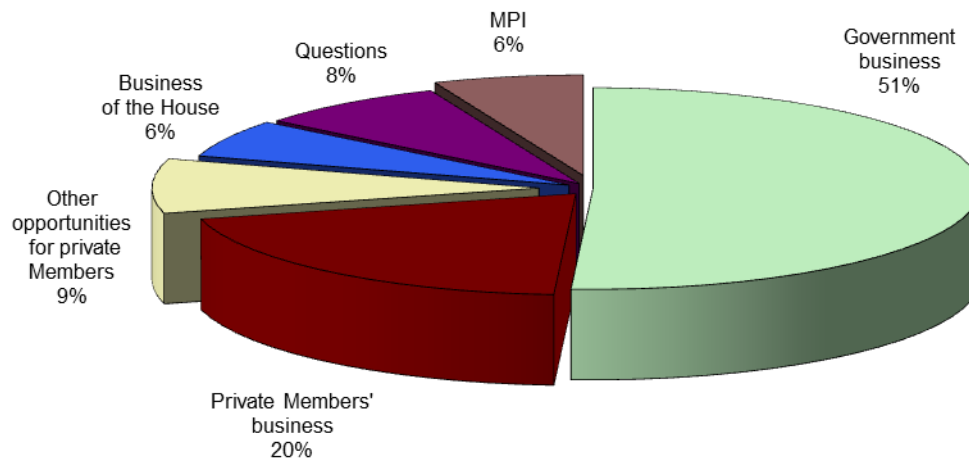
~ Excludes resumption of debate.

# Excludes questions ruled out of order.

^ Includes advisory reports on bills.

## Business conducted in the House of Representatives

9 to 12 February 2015



**Includes time spent in the Federation Chamber.**

**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 debates, grievance debates and debate on the 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.