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**46<sup>th</sup> Parliament—1<sup>st</sup> Session**

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## THE PARLIAMENTARY CALENDAR

### Parliament

A Parliament commences upon the first sitting day following a general election and concludes either at dissolution or at the expiry of three years from the first meeting of the House—whichever occurs first.

### Session

A session commences upon the first sitting day following a general election or prorogation and concludes either by prorogation (the formal ending of a session), dissolution or at the expiry of three years from the first meeting of the House.

### Sitting period

Sitting periods occur within a session. Sittings of the House in each calendar year are usually divided into distinct periods—the autumn, winter (or Budget) and spring sittings.

### Sitting

A sitting commences pursuant to the standing or sessional orders, or in accordance with a resolution of the House at a previous sitting, and concludes with the adjournment of the same sitting. The same sitting may extend over more than one day.

- adapted from *House of Representatives Practice*, 7<sup>th</sup> edition, p. 218

## 46<sup>th</sup> Parliament—1<sup>st</sup> Session

### Sitting periods in this session:

2 July to 1 August 2019  
9 September to 5 December 2019  
4 February to 8 April 2020  
12 May to 18 June 2020  
24 August to 10 December 2020  
2 February to 25 March 2021  
11 May to 24 June 2021  
3 August to 2 December 2021  
8 February to 31 March 2022

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# WORK OF THE HOUSE

## General statistics

	Autumn sittings	46 <sup>th</sup> Parliament
<b>House</b>		
Sitting weeks	3	47
Sitting days	10	170
<b>Hours of sittings (h:m)</b>		
Including suspensions of sittings <sup>†</sup>	100:24	1563:10
Excluding suspensions of sittings	96:48	1525:19
<b>Federation Chamber</b>		
Meetings	9	142
<b>Hours of meetings (h:m)</b>		
Including suspensions <sup>#</sup>	39:55	708:50
Excluding suspensions	29:56	492:10
<b>Private members' business</b>		
Private members' motions moved and debated*	7	298
90 second statements by private members	220	4,115
3 minute constituency statements in Federation Chamber	120	1,770
<b>Other opportunities for private members (days occurring)</b>		
Adjournment motion debated in House	7	148
Adjournment motion debated in Federation Chamber	3	37
Grievance debate called on and debated	2	32
Matters of public importance discussed	9	131
<b>Closures and divisions</b>		
Closure of member agreed to	7	224
Closure of question agreed to	4	105
Divisions	24	819
<b>Reports</b>		
Parliamentary committee reports presented	58	368
Parliamentary delegation reports presented	2	10
<b>Petitions</b>		
Petitions presented	189	1,761
Signatures to petitions	534,250	4,751,889
Ministerial responses presented	326	1,488
<b>Questions</b>		
Questions in writing (placed on Notice Paper)	44	747
Oral questions (without notice) <sup>^</sup>	167	3,459
Average number of oral questions asked for each sitting day on which question time occurred	16.7	20.7

<sup>†</sup> For example: suspensions overnight during extended sittings.

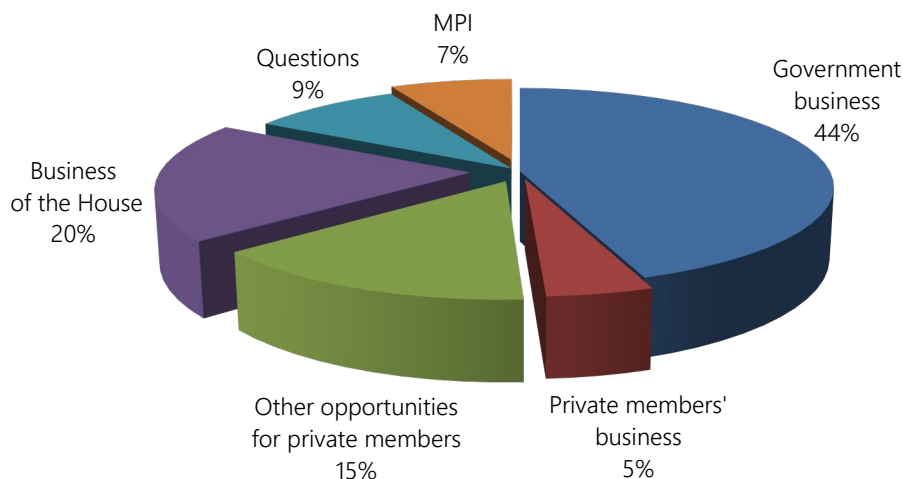
<sup>#</sup> For example: suspensions for divisions and other proceedings in the House.

<sup>\*</sup> Includes motions moved in Federation Chamber, and motions moved outside private members' business time.

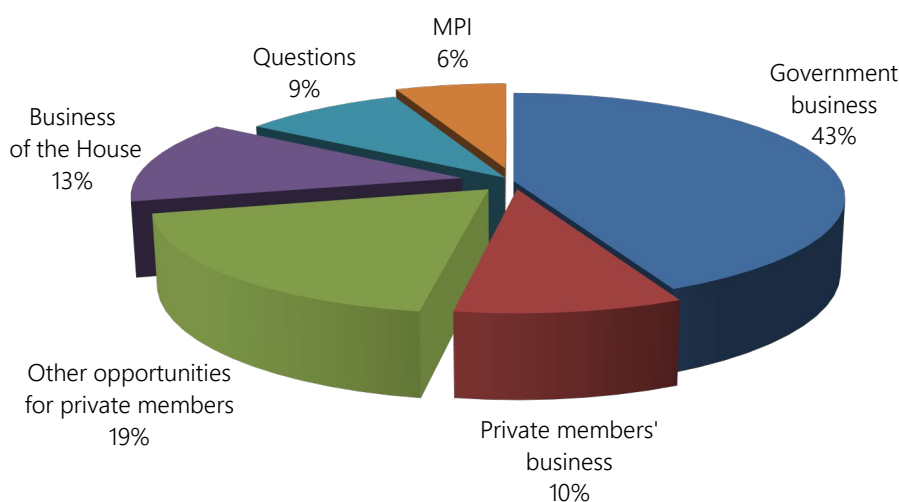
<sup>^</sup> Excludes questions ruled out of order.

## Business conducted in the House of Representatives

2022



46<sup>th</sup> Parliament



**Government business** includes government sponsored legislation and motions, ministerial statements and statements in reply.

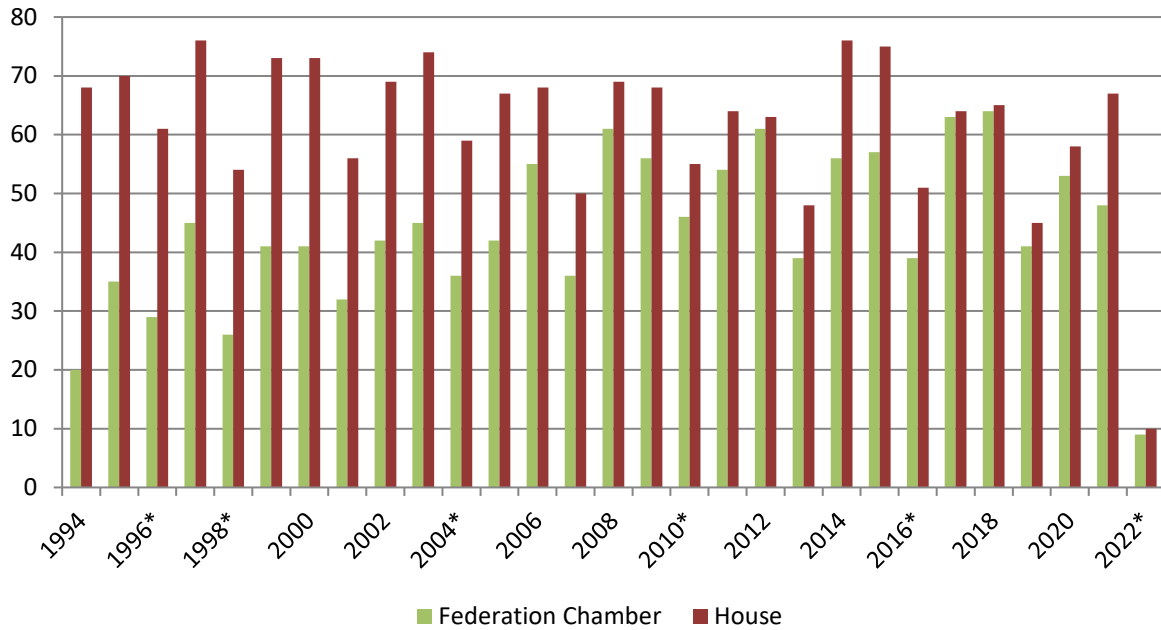
**Private members' business** includes legislation and motions sponsored by private members.

**Other opportunities for private members** includes adjournment debates, grievance debates, debate on the Address in Reply, 90 second statements and members' constituency statements.

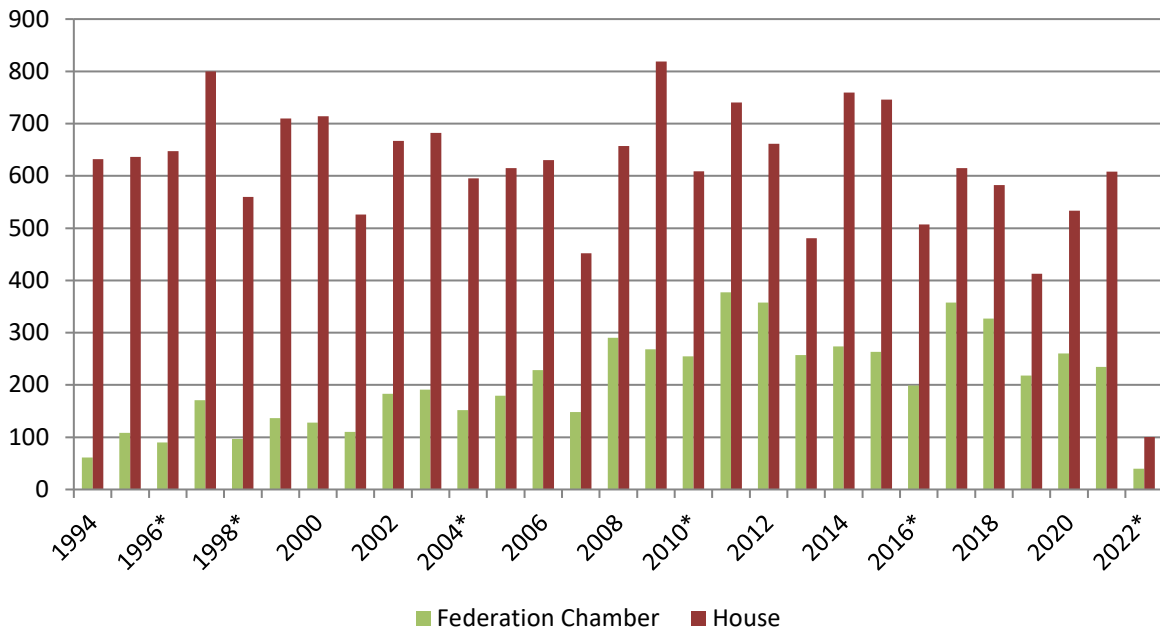
**Business of the House** includes, but is not limited to, time spent on petitions, statements by indulgence, presentation of papers, privilege matters, personal explanations, dissent motions, motions to suspend standing orders, announcements of ministerial arrangements, presentation and debate on committee and delegation reports and votes of condolence.

Includes time spent in the Federation Chamber.

### Total sitting days by year



### Total sitting hours by year#




\* Election years.

# Inclusive of suspensions.

## Sittings of the House 2022

JANUARY							FEBRUARY							MARCH						
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	27	28						27	28	29	30	31		
30	31																			
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	29	30	31					26	27	28	29	30		
JULY							AUGUST							SEPTEMBER						
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	5	6	7	8	9	10	
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	19	20	21	22	23	24	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	27	28	29	30				26	27	28	29	30	31	
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						31														

 Both Houses

 House of Representatives only

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The 46<sup>th</sup> Parliament was prorogued and the House of Representatives dissolved on 11 April 2022 for a general election to be held on 21 May 2022.



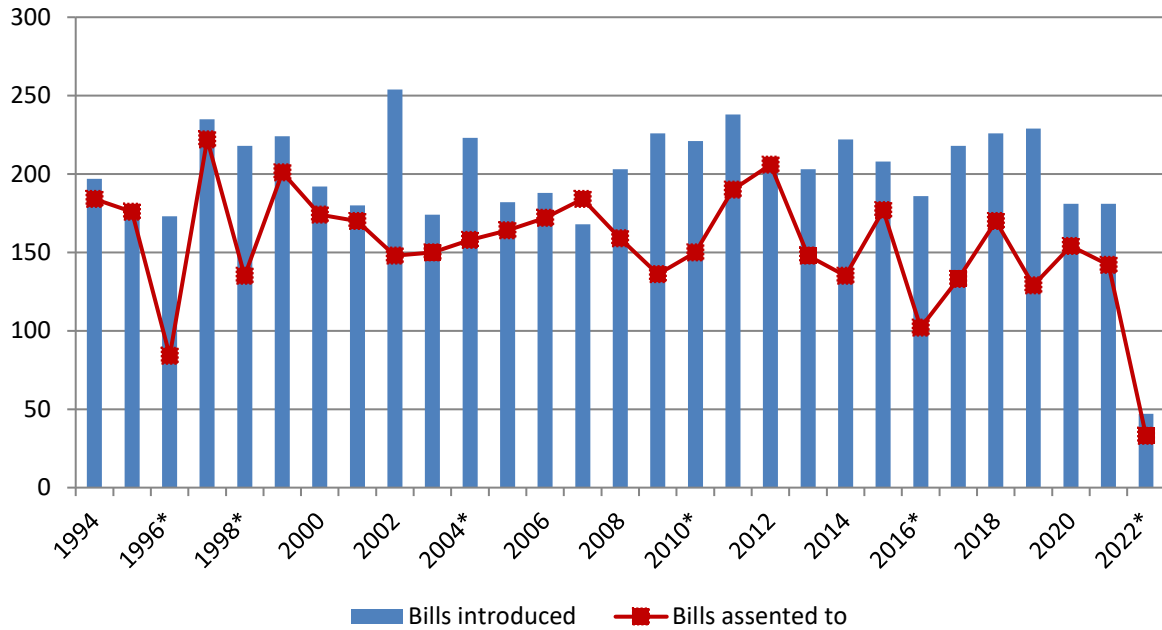
# LEGISLATION

## General statistics

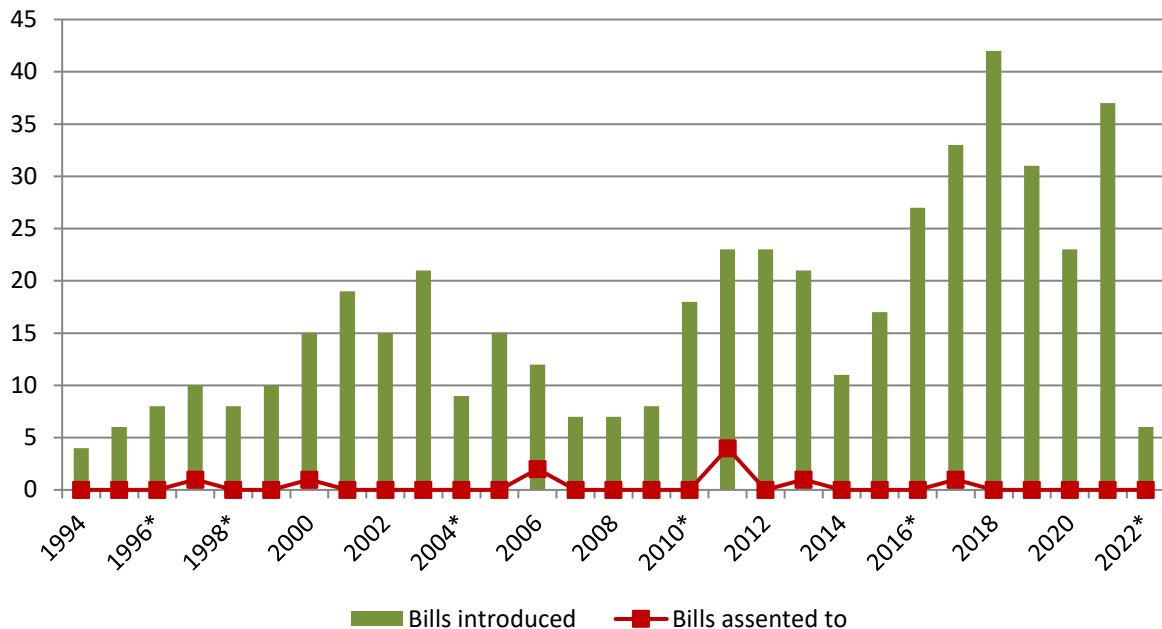
	Autumn sittings	46 <sup>th</sup> Parliament
Bills carried over from previous sittings	91	*
<b>Bills initiated in House of Representatives</b>		
Government bills	36	439
Private members' bills	6	83
<b>Bills received from Senate</b>		
Government bills	5	45
Private senators' bills	0	6
<b>Total introduced</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>573</b>
Bills passed both Houses and assented to	33	407
<b>Bills not passed into law</b>		
Bills still before House	77	*
Bills still before Senate	25	*
Bills negatived, discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in House	3	59
House bills negatived, discharged or removed from Notice Paper in Senate	0	5
House bills restored to Notice Paper in—		
House	0	0
Senate	0	0
Second reading amendments moved	14	270
<b>Bills referred</b>		
Federation Chamber	2	18
House/joint committee by House/Senate	0	14
House/joint committee by ministers	1	19
Bills adopted by committees for inquiry	0	0
<b>Bills amended</b>		
Bills initiated in House and amended in—		
House	5	43
Senate	2	55
Bills with amendments requested by Senate	0	7
Bills initiated in Senate and amended by House	0	1
Bills considered in accordance with programming resolutions	0	19

\* All bills before parliament lapsed at prorogation on 11 April 2022.

### Total number of bills introduced and assented to by year<sup>#</sup>



### Number of private members' bills introduced and assented to by year<sup>^</sup>



<sup>#</sup> Includes private members' bills and bills received from the Senate; does not include constitution alteration bills passed by both Houses, but not approved at referendum.

<sup>^</sup> Includes private senators' bills introduced in the House.

\* Election years.

## Bills passed into law

Bills passed both Houses and assented to	Second reading moved	Third reading	Date of assent	Act No. of 2022
Appropriation (Coronavirus Response) (No. 1) 2021-2022	9 Feb	9 Feb	14 Feb	1
Appropriation (Coronavirus Response) (No. 2) 2021-2022	9 Feb	9 Feb	14 Feb	2
Appropriation (No. 3) 2021-2022	10 Feb	29 Mar	1 Apr	19
Appropriation (No. 4) 2021-2022	10 Feb	29 Mar	1 Apr	20
Australian Research Council Amendment 2021 (Act citation: Australian Research Council Amendment 2022)	2 Dec <sup>##</sup>	14 Feb	1 Apr	29
Corporate Collective Investment Vehicle Framework and Other Measures 2021 (Act citation: Corporate Collective Investment Vehicle Framework and Other Measures 2022)	25 Nov <sup>##</sup>	10 Feb <sup>M</sup>	22 Feb	8
Corporations Amendment (Meetings and Documents) 2021 <sup>1</sup> (Act citation: Corporations Amendment (Meetings and Documents) 2022)	20 Oct <sup>##</sup>	29 Nov <sup>##</sup>	22 Feb	9
Courts and Tribunals Legislation Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) 2021 (Senate bill) (Act citation: Courts and Tribunals Legislation Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) 2022)	14 Feb	14 Feb	17 Feb	3
Criminal Code Amendment (Firearms Trafficking) 2022	16 Feb	17 Feb	1 Apr	30
Customs Tariff Amendment (Cost of Living Support) 2022	30 Mar	30 Mar	31 Mar	16
Data Availability and Transparency 2022 <sup>2</sup> (Previous citation: Data Availability and Transparency 2020)	9 Dec <sup>#</sup>	30 Mar	31 Mar	11
Data Availability and Transparency (Consequential Amendments) 2020 <sup>3</sup> (Act citation: Data Availability and Transparency (Consequential Amendments) 2022)	9 Dec <sup>#</sup>	30 Mar	31 Mar	12
Electoral Legislation Amendment (Authorisations) 2022 (Senate bill)	15 Feb	16 Feb	17 Feb	4
Electoral Legislation Amendment (COVID Enfranchisement) 2022 (Senate bill)	15 Feb	16 Feb	17 Feb	5

<sup>#</sup> 2020.

<sup>##</sup> 2021.

<sup>M</sup> Continuation of sitting of 9 Feb.

<sup>1</sup> Amended in House (29 Nov 2021).

<sup>2</sup> Amended in House (30 Mar).

<sup>3</sup> House agreed to Senate amendments (31 Mar).

Bills passed both Houses and assented to (continued)	Second reading moved	Third reading	Date of assent	Act No. of 2022
Electoral Legislation Amendment (Foreign Influences and Offences) 2022 ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	15 Feb	16 Feb	17 Feb	6
Excise Tariff Amendment (Cost of Living Support) 2022	30 Mar	30 Mar	31 Mar	15
Mitochondrial Donation Law Reform (Maeve's Law) 2021 <sup>4</sup> ( <i>Act citation</i> : Mitochondrial Donation Law Reform (Maeve's Law) 2022)	24 Mar <sup>##</sup>	1 Dec <sup>##</sup>	1 Apr	26
National Disability Insurance Scheme Amendment (Participant Service Guarantee and Other Measures) 2022 <sup>5</sup> ( <i>Previous citation</i> : National Disability Insurance Scheme Amendment (Participant Service Guarantee and Other Measures) 2021)	28 Oct <sup>##</sup>	30 Mar	1 Apr	27
National Security Legislation Amendment (Comprehensive Review and Other Measures No. 1) 2021 ( <i>Act citation</i> : National Security Legislation Amendment (Comprehensive Review and Other Measures No. 1) 2022)	25 Nov <sup>##</sup>	30 Mar	1 Apr	31
Offshore Petroleum (Laminaria and Corallina Decommissioning Cost Recovery Levy) 2021 ( <i>Act citation</i> : Offshore Petroleum (Laminaria and Corallina Decommissioning Cost Recovery Levy) 2022)	20 Oct <sup>##</sup>	30 Mar	1 Apr	18
Parliamentary Workplace Reform (Set the Standard Measures No. 1) 2022 ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	15 Feb	15 Feb	22 Feb	7
Road Vehicle Standards (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) Amendment 2022 ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	31 Mar	31 Mar	1 Apr	17
Security Legislation Amendment (Critical Infrastructure Protection) 2022 <sup>6</sup>	10 Feb	16 Feb	1 Apr	33
Social Security Amendment (Improved Child to Adult Transfer for Carer Payment and Carer Allowance) 2022	10 Feb	30 Mar	1 Apr	25
Social Security Legislation Amendment (Streamlined Participation Requirements and Other Measures) 2022 <sup>7</sup> ( <i>Previous citation</i> : Social Security Legislation Amendment (Streamlined Participation Requirements and Other Measures) 2021)	27 May <sup>##</sup>	30 Mar	1 Apr	32

<sup>##</sup> 2021.

<sup>4</sup> Amended in House (1 Dec 2021).

<sup>5</sup> Amended in House (30 Mar).

<sup>6</sup> House agreed to Senate amendments (31 Mar).

<sup>7</sup> Amended in House (30 Mar).

Bills passed both Houses and assented to (continued)	Second reading moved	Third reading	Date of assent	Act No. of 2022
Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment (Pension Loans Scheme Enhancements) 2021 <i>(Act citation: Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment (Pension Loans Scheme Enhancements) 2022)</i>	2 Dec <sup>##</sup>	30 Mar	1 Apr	28
Supply (No. 1) 2022-2023	29 Mar	29 Mar	1 Apr	21
Supply (No. 2) 2022-2023	29 Mar	29 Mar	1 Apr	22
Supply (Parliamentary Departments) (No. 1) 2022-2023	29 Mar	29 Mar	1 Apr	23
Treasury Laws Amendment (Cost of Living Support and Other Measures) 2022	30 Mar	30 Mar	31 Mar	14
Treasury Laws Amendment (Cyclone and Flood Damage Reinsurance Pool) 2022	9 Feb	17 Feb	31 Mar	13
Treasury Laws Amendment (Enhancing Superannuation Outcomes For Australians and Helping Australian Businesses Invest) 2021 <i>(Act citation: Treasury Laws Amendment (Enhancing Superannuation Outcomes For Australians and Helping Australian Businesses Invest) 2022)</i>	27 Oct <sup>##</sup>	10 Feb <sup>M</sup>	22 Feb	10
Treasury Laws Amendment (Laminaria and Corallina Decommissioning Cost Recovery Levy) 2021 <i>(Act citation: Treasury Laws Amendment (Laminaria and Corallina Decommissioning Cost Recovery Levy) 2022)</i>	20 Oct <sup>##</sup>	30 Mar	1 Apr	24

**Bills passed both Houses and assented to — Total: 33**

<sup>##</sup> 2021.

<sup>M</sup> Continuation of sitting of 9 Feb.

## Bills not passed into law

Does not include bills introduced in Senate but not transmitted to House

Bills still before House	First reading	Second reading moved
Aboriginal Land Grant (Jervis Bay Territory) Amendment (Strengthening Land and Governance Provisions) 2022	30 Mar	30 Mar
Aged Care Amendment (Making Aged Care Fees Fairer) 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Aged Care and Other Legislation Amendment (Royal Commission Response No. 2) 2021 <sup>8</sup>	1 Sep <sup>++</sup>	1 Sep <sup>++</sup>
Agriculture Biodiversity Stewardship Market 2022	9 Feb	9 Feb
Agriculture Legislation Repeal 2019 <i>(formal bill)</i>	2 Jul <sup>†</sup>	
Appropriation (No. 1) 2022-2023	29 Mar	29 Mar
Appropriation (No. 2) 2022-2023	29 Mar	29 Mar
Appropriation (Parliamentary Departments) Bill (No. 1) 2022-2023	29 Mar	29 Mar
Australian Broadcasting Corporation Amendment (Rural and Regional Measures) 2019	31 Jul <sup>†</sup>	31 Jul <sup>†</sup>
Australian Federal Integrity Commission 2021 (No. 2) <i>(private member's bill)</i>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Australian Passports Amendment (Identity-matching Services) 2019	31 Jul <sup>†</sup>	31 Jul <sup>†</sup>
Australian Radioactive Waste Agency 2022	16 Feb	16 Feb
Brisbane Airport Curfew and Demand Management 2022 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	14 Feb	14 Feb
Clean Energy Finance Corporation Amendment (Grid Reliability Fund) 2020	27 Aug <sup>##</sup>	27 Aug <sup>##</sup>
Climate Change (National Framework for Adaptation and Mitigation) 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	18 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	18 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Climate Change (National Framework for Adaptation and Mitigation) (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	18 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	18 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
COAG Legislation Amendment 2021	2 Sep <sup>+++</sup>	2 Sep <sup>+++</sup>
Coal Prohibition (Quit Coal) 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Commonwealth Electoral Amendment (Cleaning up Political Donations) 2022 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	14 Feb	14 Feb
Commonwealth Electoral Amendment (Disclosure of Political Donations) 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>

<sup>†</sup> 2019.

<sup>##</sup> 2020.

<sup>+++</sup> 2021.

<sup>8</sup> Message from Senate reported (31 Mar).

Bills still before House (continued)	First reading	Second reading moved
Commonwealth Electoral Amendment (Stop the Lies) 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	25 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Crimes Legislation Amendment (Ransomware Action Plan) 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Customs Amendment (Banning Goods Produced By Forced Labour) 2021 <i>(private senator's bill)</i>	23 Aug <sup>+++</sup>	
Customs Amendment (Banning Goods Produced By Forced Labour) 2021 [No. 2] <i>(private member's bill)</i>	22 Nov <sup>+++</sup>	22 Nov <sup>+++</sup>
Customs Amendment (Controlled Trials) 2021	24 Nov <sup>+++</sup>	24 Nov <sup>+++</sup>
Education Legislation Amendment (2022 Measures No. 1) 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Electoral Legislation Amendment (Candidate Eligibility) 2021	25 Nov <sup>+++</sup>	25 Nov <sup>+++</sup>
Electoral Legislation Amendment (Voter Integrity) 2021	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Fair Work Amendment (Same Job, Same Pay) 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	22 Nov <sup>+++</sup>	22 Nov <sup>+++</sup>
Family Law Amendment (A Step Towards a Safer Family Law System) 2020 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	15 Jun <sup>++</sup>	15 Jun <sup>++</sup>
Family Law Amendment (Federal Family Violence Orders) 2021	24 Mar <sup>+++</sup>	24 Mar <sup>+++</sup>
Financial Accountability Regime 2021	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Financial Sector Reform (Hayne Royal Commission Response No. 3) 2021	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Financial Services Compensation Scheme of Last Resort Levy 2021	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Financial Services Compensation Scheme of Last Resort Levy (Collection) 2021	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	28 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Franchising Laws Amendment (Fairness in Franchising) 2020 <i>(private senator's bill)</i>	22 Feb <sup>+++</sup>	
Health Insurance Amendment (Administrative Actions) 2022	16 Feb	16 Feb
Health Legislation Amendment (Medicare Compliance and Other Measures) 2021	21 Oct <sup>+++</sup>	21 Oct <sup>+++</sup>
Higher Education Support Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) 2021	2 Dec <sup>++</sup>	2 Dec <sup>++</sup>
Higher Education Support Amendment (Australia's Economic Accelerator) 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Human Rights (Children Born Alive Protection) 2021	9 Aug <sup>++</sup>	9 Aug <sup>++</sup>
Identity-matching Services 2019	31 Jul <sup>+</sup>	31 Jul <sup>+</sup>
Income Tax Amendment (Labour Mobility Program) 2022	9 Feb	9 Feb
Intelligence Oversight and Other Legislation Amendment (Integrity Measures) 2020	9 Dec <sup>++</sup>	9 Dec <sup>++</sup>

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<sup>+</sup> 2019.
<sup>++</sup> 2020.<sup>+++</sup> 2021.

Bills still before House (continued)	First reading	Second reading moved
Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law Amendment (Improving Safety) 2019 ( <i>private senator's bill</i> )	11 Feb <sup>††</sup>	
Migration Amendment (Protecting Migrant Workers) 2021	24 Nov <sup>†††</sup>	24 Nov <sup>†††</sup>
Migration and Citizenship Legislation Amendment (Strengthening Information Provisions) 2020	10 Dec <sup>††</sup>	10 Dec <sup>††</sup>
Migration Legislation Amendment (Regional Processing Cohort) 2019	4 Jul <sup>†</sup>	4 Jul <sup>†</sup>
Moratorium on New Coal, Gas and Oil 2022 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	14 Feb	14 Feb
National Integrity Commission 2018 (No. 2) ( <i>private senator's bill</i> )	10 Sep <sup>†</sup>	
No Requirement for Medical Treatment (Including Experimental Injections) Without Consent (Implementing Article 6 of the Universal Declaration on Bioethics and Human Rights) 2021 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	30 Aug <sup>†††</sup>	30 Aug <sup>†††</sup>
Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Amendment (Stopping PEP11) 2021 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	18 Oct <sup>†††</sup>	18 Oct <sup>†††</sup>
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Import Levy) Amendment 2021	2 Dec <sup>†††</sup>	2 Dec <sup>†††</sup>
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas Management Amendment (Miscellaneous Measures) 2021	2 Dec <sup>†††</sup>	2 Dec <sup>†††</sup>
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Manufacture Levy) Amendment 2021	2 Dec <sup>†††</sup>	2 Dec <sup>†††</sup>
Privacy (COVID Check-in Data) 2021 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	25 Oct <sup>†††</sup>	25 Oct <sup>†††</sup>
Protecting Pensioners from the Cashless Debit Card 2021 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	25 Oct <sup>†††</sup>	25 Oct <sup>†††</sup>
Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Amendment (Waiver of Debt and Act of Grace Payments) 2019 ( <i>private senator's bill</i> )	9 Aug <sup>†††</sup>	
Public Sector Superannuation Legislation Amendment 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Regulator Performance Omnibus 2022	9 Feb	9 Feb
Renewable Energy (Electricity) Amendment (Cheaper Home Batteries) 2022 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	14 Feb	14 Feb
Royal Commissions Amendment (Confidentiality Protections) 2020 ( <i>private senator's bill</i> )	15 Feb <sup>†††</sup>	
Social Media (Anti-Trolling) 2022	10 Feb	10 Feb
Social Media (Basic Expectations and Defamation) 2021 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	25 Oct <sup>†††</sup>	25 Oct <sup>†††</sup>
Social Media (Protecting Australians from Censorship) 2022 ( <i>private member's bill</i> )	14 Feb	14 Feb

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<sup>†</sup> 2019.

<sup>††</sup> 2020.

<sup>†††</sup> 2021.



Bills still before House (continued)	First reading	Second reading moved
Social Services Legislation Amendment (Better Targeting Student Payments) 2019	11 Sep <sup>†</sup>	11 Sep <sup>†</sup>
Social Services Legislation Amendment (Consistent Waiting Periods for New Migrants) 2021	24 Jun <sup>##</sup>	24 Jun <sup>##</sup>
Social Services Legislation Amendment (Workforce Incentive) 2022	10 Feb	10 Feb
Superannuation Guarantee (Administration) Amendment 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	18 Oct <sup>##</sup>	18 Oct <sup>##</sup>
Telecommunications (Interception and Access) Amendment (Corrective Services Authorities) 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Telecommunications Legislation Amendment (Faster Internet for Regional Australia) 2022 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	14 Feb	14 Feb
Transport Security Amendment (Critical Infrastructure) 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Treasury Laws Amendment (Enhancing Tax Integrity and Supporting Business Investment) 2022	9 Feb	9 Feb
Treasury Laws Amendment (Modernising Business Communications) 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Treasury Laws Amendment (Streamlining and Improving Economic Outcomes for Australians) 2022	17 Feb	17 Feb
Treasury Laws Amendment (Tax Concession for Australian Medical Innovations) 2022	10 Feb	10 Feb
Unsolicited Political Communications Legislation Amendment 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	25 Oct <sup>##</sup>	25 Oct <sup>##</sup>

**Bills still before House — Total: 77**

<sup>†</sup> 2019.

<sup>##</sup> 2021.

Bills still before Senate	Second reading moved <sup>#</sup>	Third reading
Animal Health Australia and Plant Health Australia Funding Legislation Amendment 2021	25 Nov <sup>###</sup>	10 Feb
Australian Business Growth Fund 2019	5 Dec <sup>‡</sup>	6 Feb <sup>##</sup>
Biosecurity Amendment (Enhanced Risk Management) 2021	1 Sep <sup>##</sup>	1 Dec <sup>##</sup>
Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Amendment 2021	25 Aug <sup>###</sup>	2 Sep <sup>###</sup>
Corporations Amendment (Improving Outcomes for Litigation Funding Participants) 2021	27 Oct <sup>###</sup>	24 Nov <sup>###</sup>
Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment (Standards and Assurance) 2021 <sup>9</sup>	25 Feb <sup>###</sup>	23 Jun <sup>###</sup>
Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Amendment (Streamlining Environmental Approvals) 2020	27 Aug <sup>##</sup>	3 Sep <sup>##</sup>
Fair Work Laws Amendment (Proper Use of Worker Benefits) 2019	4 Jul <sup>†</sup>	10 Sep <sup>‡</sup>
Human Rights Legislation Amendment 2022 <sup>10</sup> ( <i>Previous citation:</i> Human Rights Legislation Amendment 2021)	25 Nov <sup>###</sup>	10 Feb <sup>M</sup>
Investment Funds Legislation Amendment 2021	25 Aug <sup>###</sup>	1 Dec <sup>###</sup>
Migration Amendment (Prohibiting Items in Immigration Detention Facilities) 2020	14 May <sup>##</sup>	2 Sep <sup>##</sup>
Migration Amendment (Streamlining Visa Processing) 2019	4 Jul <sup>†</sup>	11 Sep <sup>‡</sup>
Migration Amendment (Strengthening the Character Test) 2021	24 Nov <sup>###</sup>	16 Feb
National Commissioner for Defence and Veteran Suicide Prevention 2020	27 Aug <sup>##</sup>	21 Oct <sup>##</sup>
National Commissioner for Defence and Veteran Suicide Prevention (Consequential Amendments) 2020	27 Aug <sup>##</sup>	21 Oct <sup>##</sup>
National Consumer Credit Protection Amendment (Supporting Economic Recovery) 2020	9 Dec <sup>##</sup>	15 Mar <sup>###</sup>
New Skilled Regional Visas (Consequential Amendments) 2019	31 Jul <sup>†</sup>	14 Oct <sup>‡</sup>
Religious Discrimination 2022 <sup>11</sup> ( <i>Previous citation:</i> Religious Discrimination 2021)	25 Nov <sup>###</sup>	10 Feb <sup>M</sup>

<sup>#</sup> In House.

<sup>‡</sup> 2019.

<sup>##</sup> 2020.

<sup>###</sup> 2021.

<sup>M</sup> Continuation of sitting of 9 Feb.

<sup>9</sup> Amended in House (23 Jun 2021).

<sup>10</sup> Amended in House (10 Feb, continuation of sitting of 9 Feb).

<sup>11</sup> Amended in House (10 Feb, continuation of sitting of 9 Feb).

Bills still before Senate (continued)	Second reading moved <sup>#</sup>	Third reading
Religious Discrimination (Consequential Amendments) 2021	25 Nov <sup>###</sup>	10 Feb <sup>M</sup>
Social Security (Administration) Amendment (Income Management to Cashless Debit Card Transition) 2019 <sup>12</sup>	11 Sep <sup>†</sup>	27 Nov <sup>†</sup>
Social Services Legislation Amendment (Drug Testing Trial) 2019	11 Sep <sup>†</sup>	17 Oct <sup>†</sup>
Social Services Legislation Amendment (Payment Integrity) 2019	11 Sep <sup>†</sup>	2 Dec <sup>†</sup>
Treasury Laws Amendment (2020 Measures No. 4) 2021 <sup>13</sup> <i>(Previous citation: Treasury Laws Amendment (2020 Measures No. 4) 2020)</i>	28 Oct <sup>##</sup>	25 Mar <sup>##</sup>
Treasury Laws Amendment (2021 Measures No. 7) 2021	25 Aug <sup>###</sup>	18 Oct <sup>###</sup>
Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment (Enhanced Family Support) 2022	16 Feb	30 Mar

**Bills still before Senate — Total: 25**

<sup>#</sup> In House.

<sup>†</sup> 2019.

<sup>##</sup> 2020.

<sup>###</sup> 2021.

<sup>M</sup> Continuation of sitting of 9 Feb.

<sup>12</sup> Amended in House (27 Nov 2019).

<sup>13</sup> Amended in House (25 Mar 2021).

Bills negated, discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in House	First reading	Negated	Discharged or removed
No Domestic COVID Vaccine Passports 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	21 Jun <sup>##</sup>		15 Feb <sup>R</sup>
Ransomware Payments 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	21 Jun <sup>##</sup>		15 Feb <sup>R</sup>
Repatriation of Defence Data 2021 <i>(private member's bill)</i>	21 Jun <sup>##</sup>		15 Feb <sup>R</sup>

**Bills negated, discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in House —  
Total: 3**

<sup>R</sup> Removed from Notice Paper in accordance with standing order 42.

<sup>##</sup> 2021.

Second reading amendments moved	Mover	Moved
Animal Health Australia and Plant Health Australia Funding Legislation Amendment 2021	Ms Collins	10 Feb
Appropriation (Coronavirus Response) (No. 1) 2021-2022	Dr Chalmers	9 Feb
Australian Research Council Amendment 2021	Mr Perrett	10 Feb
Courts and Tribunals Legislation Amendment (2021 Measures No. 1) 2021 ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	Mr Dreyfus	14 Feb
Data Availability and Transparency 2020	Mr Shorten	30 Mar
Electoral Legislation Amendment (Foreign Influences and Offences) 2022 ( <i>Senate bill</i> )	Mr Dreyfus	16 Feb
National Disability Insurance Scheme Amendment (Participant Service Guarantee and Other Measures) 2021	Ms Murphy	30 Mar
Religious Discrimination 2021	Mr Wilkie	8 Feb
Security Legislation Amendment (Critical Infrastructure Protection) 2022	Mr O'Connor	16 Feb <sup>14</sup>
Social Security Amendment (Improved Child to Adult Transfer for Carer Payment and Carer Allowance) 2022	Ms Burney	30 Mar
Social Security Legislation Amendment (Streamlined Participation Requirements and Other Measures) 2021	Mr Marles	30 Mar
Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment (Pension Loans Scheme Enhancements) 2021	Ms Burney	14 Feb
Treasury Laws Amendment (Cyclone and Flood Damage Reinsurance Pool) 2022	Mr Thistlethwaite	17 Feb
Treasury Laws Amendment (Enhancing Tax Integrity and Supporting Business Investment) 2022	Mr Thistlethwaite	29 Mar

**Second reading amendments moved — Total: 14**

Bills referred to Federation Chamber	Referred	Reported
Appropriation (No. 3) 2021-2022 <sup>D</sup>	15 Feb	17 Feb <sup>WA</sup>
Appropriation (No. 4) 2021-2022 <sup>D</sup>	15 Feb	29 Mar <sup>WA</sup>

**Bills referred to Federation Chamber — Total: 2**

<sup>14</sup> Mr Katter moved an amendment to the amendment proposed by Mr O'Connor (16 Feb).

<sup>D</sup> Declared referred to the Federation Chamber.

<sup>WA</sup> Without amendments.

Bills referred to House and joint committees	Referred	Report presented
Environment and Energy—Standing Committee— Australian Local Power Agency 2021 ( <i>private member's bill</i> ) <sup>SC</sup>	24 Feb <sup>##</sup>	17 Feb
Australian Local Power Agency (Consequential Amendments) 2021 ( <i>private member's bill</i> ) <sup>SC</sup>	24 Feb <sup>##</sup>	17 Feb
Human Rights—Parliamentary Joint Committee— Human Rights Legislation Amendment 2021 <sup>M</sup>	26 Nov <sup>##</sup>	8 Feb
Religious Discrimination 2021 <sup>M</sup>	26 Nov <sup>##</sup>	8 Feb
Religious Discrimination (Consequential Amendments) 2021 <sup>M</sup>	26 Nov <sup>##</sup>	8 Feb
Intelligence and Security—Parliamentary Joint Committee— Intelligence Oversight and Other Legislation Amendment (Integrity Measures) 2020 <sup>M</sup>	18 Dec <sup>#</sup>	9 Feb
National Security Legislation Amendment (Comprehensive Review and Other Measures No. 1) 2021 <sup>M</sup>	25 Nov <sup>##</sup>	30 Mar
Security Legislation Amendment (Critical Infrastructure Protection) 2022 <sup>M</sup>	10 Feb	30 Mar

**Bills referred to committees — Total: 1**

**Bills reported on by committees — Total: 8**

Tariff proposals	Moved
Customs Tariff Proposal (No. 1) 2022	9 Feb

**Tariff proposals — Total: 1**

# 2020.

## 2021.

<sup>SC</sup> Referred by determination of the Selection Committee.

<sup>M</sup> Referred by Minister.

# MOTIONS

## Approvals of work

Parliamentary Zone—National Gallery of Australia 40th anniversary sculpture commission and associated works (Mr Evans, 10 Feb); agreed to

Public works—

Australian Taxation Office—Fit-out of new leased premises, 255 George Street, Sydney (Mr Buchholz, 31 Mar); agreed to

Department of Home Affairs—Proposed fit-out of 808 Bourke Street, Docklands, Victoria (Mr Robert, 16 Feb); agreed to

Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority—Douglas Shoal environmental remediation (Mr Evans, 30 Mar); agreed to

Services Australia—Fit-out of new leased premises at 120 Bathurst Street, Hobart, Tasmania (Mr Evans, 30 Mar); agreed to

Services Australia—Fit-out of new leased premises at 205 North Quay, Brisbane, Queensland (Mr Robert, 16 Feb); agreed to

## Committee motions

Proposed amendment to resolution of appointment—  
Social Media and Online Safety—Select Committee (Mr Howarth, 15 Feb); agreed to

Proposed resolution of appointment—Resolution of the Senate—  
Parliamentary Standards—Joint Select Committee (Mr Buchholz, 14 Feb); agreed to

Reference of work—Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works—

Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications—  
(Infrastructure)—Cocos (Keeling) Islands West Island—Seawater Reverse Osmosis plant and  
Wastewater Treatment plant upgrade (Mr T. R. Wilson, 17 Feb); agreed to

Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority—Douglas Shoal Environmental Remediation  
(Mr T. R. Wilson, 17 Feb); agreed to

Condolence motions	Moved	Agreed to
Former senator the Honourable Dr Donald James (Don) Grimes AO	9 Feb	9 Feb
Former member for the division of Curtin the Honourable Sir Ransley (Victor) Garland KBE	10 Feb	10 Feb
Former senator the Honourable Michael Eamon Beahan AM	14 Feb	16 Feb
Senator Kimberley Jane Elizabeth Kitching	29 Mar	30 Mar
Former member for the division of Maribyrnong the Honourable Dr Moses Henry (Moss) Cass	29 Mar	30 Mar

Private members' motions	Mover	Moved
Space industry <sup>FC</sup> ( <i>resumption of debate</i> )	Mrs McIntosh	23 Jun <sup>##</sup> <sup>1</sup>
Australian Defence Force Cadets <sup>FC</sup> ( <i>resumption of debate</i> )	Mrs McIntosh for Mr Simmonds	18 Oct <sup>##</sup> <sup>2</sup>
Cyber-attacks <sup>FC</sup> ( <i>resumption of debate</i> )	Mr Wallace	25 Oct <sup>##</sup> <sup>3</sup>
Road Safety Program <sup>FC</sup> ( <i>resumption of debate</i> )	Mr van Manen	22 Nov <sup>##</sup> <sup>4</sup>
50th anniversary of the diplomatic relationship with Poland <sup>FC</sup>	Mr Falinski	14 Feb
Aged care sector <sup>FC</sup>	Ms Coker	14 Feb <sup>5</sup>
COVID-19 <sup>FC</sup>	Dr Frelander	14 Feb
Defence honours and awards	Mr Laming	14 Feb <sup>6</sup>
Education, skills and training	Ms Murphy	14 Feb <sup>7</sup>
Naval Shipbuilding <sup>FC</sup>	Mr Zappia	14 Feb
Sovereign fuel security <sup>FC</sup>	Mr Katter	14 Feb

**Private members' motions debated — Total: 11<sup>^</sup>**

<sup>##</sup> 2021.

<sup>FC</sup> Motion moved in Federation Chamber.

<sup>1</sup> Debate resumed on 14 Feb.

<sup>2</sup> Debate resumed on 14 Feb.

<sup>3</sup> Debate resumed on 14 Feb.

<sup>4</sup> Debate resumed on 14 Feb.

<sup>5</sup> Debate resumed on 14 Feb.

<sup>6</sup> Debate resumed in the Federation Chamber on 14 Feb.

<sup>7</sup> Debate resumed in the Federation Chamber on 14 Feb.

<sup>^</sup> Includes four motions for which debate resumed in this autumn sitting period.



## Procedural motions

Leave of absence—

all members (Mr Dutton, 17 Feb); agreed to

Mr M. C. Butler (Mr Albanese, 8 Feb); agreed to

## Suspensions of standing orders

Suspension of standing orders—31 (automatic adjournment of the House) and 33 (limit on business after normal time of adjournment) for the sitting on Tuesday, 29 Mar 2022; and 31 (automatic adjournment of the House) on Thursday, 31 Mar 2022 (Mr Dutton, 29 Mar); agreed to

Suspension of standing orders to allow—

changes to order of business on Wednesday, 9 February 2022 (Mr Wood, 9 Feb); agreed to

government business order of the day, the Criminal Code Amendment (Firearms Trafficking) Bill 2022, to be called on immediately (Mr Burke, 17 Feb); motion agreed to with the concurrence of an absolute majority

His Excellency Mr Volodymyr Zelenskyy, President of Ukraine, to address the House by video-facility on Thursday, 31 March 2022, at 5.30 pm and inviting Senators to attend the House as guests for the address (Mr Robert, 30 Mar); agreed to

members to make 5 minute statements and, at 5 pm, the House to suspend until the ringing of the bells for the address by President Volodymyr Zelenskyy (Mr Gee, 31 Mar); agreed to

the Prime Minister to make a statement in relation to the anniversary of the national apology to the Stolen Generations and for certain other members to speak in reply (Mr Dutton, 14 Feb); agreed to

the resolution fixing the resumption of debate on the Treasury Laws Amendment (Cost of Living Support and Other Measures) Bill 2022 for the next sitting to be rescinded and the debate to instead be adjourned to a later hour (Mr Fletcher, 30 Mar); debated and agreed to

Suspension of standing orders to allow a motion to be moved that the House—

calls on the Prime Minister to immediately sack the Minister for Aged Care Services and apologise to aged care residents and their families (Mr Albanese, 8 Feb); negatived

condemns the Prime Minister (Mr Albanese, 14 Feb); negatived

notes more than 150,000 Australians have signed an ACTU petition calling for rapid antigen tests to be made free and accessible, and agrees that this petition may be tabled immediately by the Manager of Opposition Business (Mr Burke, 14 Feb); negatived

### Other motions

Address of Congratulation to Her Majesty The Queen—Platinum Jubilee (Mr Morrison, 8 Feb); referred to the Federation Chamber for debate (Mr Dutton, 8 Feb); debated, returned to the House and agreed to, all members having risen in support (9 Feb)

Council of the National Library of Australia—Election of Mr Stevens to be a member and to continue as a member for a period of three years, in accordance with the provisions of the *National Library Act 1960* (Mr Howarth, 8 Feb); agreed to

## OTHER BUSINESS

Address by foreign leader	Date
His Excellency Volodymyr Zelenskyy, President of Ukraine	31 Mar

Matters of public importance discussed	Proposer	Date
Government focus	Mr Albanese	8 Feb
Aged care	Ms O'Neil	9 Feb
Australians' needs	Mr Hill	10 Feb
Government	Mr Albanese	15 Feb
National anti-corruption commission	Mr Dreyfus	16 Feb
Australia's future	Mr Albanese	17 Feb
Planning for the future	Mr Marles	29 Mar
Budget	Dr Chalmers	30 Mar
Cost of living	Ms Rishworth	31 Mar

**Matters of public importance discussed — Total: 9**

Ministerial statements	Minister	Date
Free Trade Agreement between Australia and the United Kingdom	Mr Tehan	8 Feb
Regional ministerial budget statement: A secure future for regional Australia	Mr Joyce	31 Mar

**Ministerial statements — Total: 2**

<b>Parliamentary delegation reports</b>	<b>Presented</b>
Australian Parliamentary Delegation to the 42nd ASEAN Inter-Parliamentary Assembly, Brunei Darussalam, 23 to 25 August 2021	9 Feb
Australian Parliamentary Delegation to the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the Asia Pacific Parliamentary Forum, Seoul, Republic of Korea (virtual), November and December 2021	14 Feb

**Parliamentary delegation reports — Total: 2**

<b>Statement by Speaker</b>	<b>Date</b>
Statement of acknowledgement of history of workplace bullying, sexual harassment and sexual assault in Commonwealth parliamentary workplaces	8 Feb

**Statement by Speaker — Total: 1**

# COMMITTEES

## Agriculture and Water Resources (Standing)

### Membership

Mr R. J. Wilson (*Chair*), Mr B. K. Mitchell (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Gosling, Mr O'Dowd, Mr Pearce, Mrs Phillips, Mr Thompson and Dr Webster

### Report

Supporting a strong future for Australian aquaculture: Australian aquaculture sector (*presented 9 Feb*)

## Appropriations and Administration (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Wallace (*Speaker*) (*Chair*), Ms Owens (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Alexander, Mr K. J. Andrews, Ms Coker, Mr Connelly, Mr Hayes, Mr R. G. Mitchell and Mr van Manen

### Report

Report No. 23: Budget estimates 2022-23 (*presented 31 Mar*)

## Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity (Joint Statutory)

### Membership

Senator McLachlan (*Chair*), Senator Bilyk (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Antic, Senator Ayres, Mr Conaghan, Mrs Elliot, Mr Laming, Mr Pasin and Mr Zappia (*one member to be appointed*)

### Current inquiry

Expansion of the Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity's jurisdiction and the corruption vulnerabilities of law enforcement agencies' contracted services (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Report

Examination of the annual report of the Integrity Commissioner 2020-21 (*presented 31 Mar*)

### Broadcasting of Parliamentary Proceedings (Joint Statutory)

#### Membership

Mr Wallace (*Speaker*) (*Chair*), Senator Brockman (*President*) (*Vice-Chair*), Ms Bird, Mr Christensen, Senator Davey, Mr Entsch, Senator Farrell, Mr Simmonds and Ms Templeman

### Communications and the Arts (Standing)

#### Membership

Dr Webster (*Chair*), Ms McBride (*Deputy Chair*), Dr Allen, Ms Bell, Mr Burns, Mr Drum, Mr Gorman, and Mr Zimmerman

#### Report

The future of regional newspapers in a digital world: Inquiry into Australia's regional newspapers (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 23 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

### Corporations and Financial Services (Joint Statutory)

#### Membership

Mr A. D. H. Smith (*Chair*), Mr Georganas (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Bell, Senator Bragg, Mr Hill, Senator McKim, Senator O'Neill, Senator Pratt, Senator Scarr and Mr van Manen

#### Reports

Oversight of ASIC, the Takeovers Panel and the Corporations Legislation No. 1 of the 46th Parliament (*presented 31 Mar*)

Report on the 2020-2021 annual reports of bodies established under the ASIC Act (*presented 16 Feb*)

## Economics (Standing)

### *Membership*

Mr Falinski (*Chair*), Dr Leigh (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Bandt, Mr Hamilton, Ms Hammond, Mr Laming, Mr McCormack (from 11 Mar), Dr Mulino, Ms Murphy and Mr Simmonds

### *Current inquiries*

Review of the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority annual report 2020 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of the Australian Securities and Investments Commission annual report 2020 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of the four major banks and other financial institutions (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### *Reports*

Report on the implications of common ownership and capital concentration in Australia (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 17 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

Uncharted Territory: Review of the Reserve Bank of Australia annual reports 2019 and 2020 (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 25 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

## Electoral Matters (Joint Standing)

### *Membership*

Senator McGrath (*Chair*), Senator Brown (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Askew, Mr Conaghan, Mr Dick, Mr Pasin, Senator M. Smith, Mr Stevens, Ms Thwaites and Senator Waters

### *Report*

Report on the candidate qualification checklist (*presented 31 Mar*)

## Employment, Education and Training (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Laming (*Chair*), Ms L. M. Chesters (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Bell, Mr Hamilton, Ms Hammond, Mr Irons, Ms Kearney, Ms Ryan, Ms Sharkie and Mr Young

### Current inquiries

Asbestos Safety and Eradication Agency annual report 2019-20 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Indigenous Business Australia annual report 2019-20 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Document

Don't take it as read: Inquiry into adult literacy and its importance—Corrigendum (*presented 31 Mar*)

### Reports

Don't take it as read: Inquiry into adult literacy and its importance (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 22 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

Inquiry into the Fair Work Commission annual report 2019-20 (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 22 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

## Environment and Energy (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Ted O'Brien (*Chair*), Mr J. H. Wilson (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Alexander, Mrs Archer, Mr Burns, Ms Steggall, Mr R. J. Wilson and Mr Zimmerman

### Current inquiries

Commonwealth Environment Protection Authority Bill 2021 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

The current circumstances, and the future need and potential for dispatchable energy generation and storage capability in Australia (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Report

Advisory report on the inquiry into the Australian Local Power Agency Bill 2021 and Australian Local Power Agency (Consequential Amendments) Bill 2021 (*presented 17 Feb*)



## Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade (Joint Standing)

### Membership

Senator Fawcett (*Chair*), Ms Swanson (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Abetz, Mr K. J. Andrews, Senator Ayres, Mr Connelly, Mr Drum, Senator Faruqi, Senator Fierravanti-Wells, Mr Fitzgibbon, Mr Gorman, Mr Hamilton (from 11 Mar), Mr Hayes, Mr Hill, Mr Irons, Mr Khalil, Senator Kitching (to 10 Mar, *dec.*), Senator McCarthy, Mr McCormack (from 11 Mar), Senator McMahon, Senator Molan, Mr Ted O'Brien, Senator O'Neill, Mr Pasin, Mr Pearce, Senator Rice, Mr Sharma, Senator Sheldon, Mr Snowdon, Mr Thompson, Ms Vamvakinou and Mr Vasta

### Reports

Expanding the membership of the Comprehensive and Progressive Trans-Pacific Partnership (*presented 10 Feb*)

First periodic report on human rights: Final report into certain aspects of the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade annual report 2019-20 (*presented 31 Mar*)

Inquiry into PFAS remediation in and around Defence bases: Final report (*presented 31 Mar*)

Strengthening Australia's relationships with countries in the Pacific (*presented 31 Mar*)

## Health, Aged Care and Sport (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Zimmerman (*Chair*), Dr Freeland (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs Archer, Ms Bell, Mr Dick, Dr Martin, Mrs Wicks and Mr Zappia

### Current inquiry

Review of the Aged Care Legislation Amendment (Financial Transparency) Bill 2020 [No. 2] (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Report

Inquiry into childhood rheumatic diseases: Interim report (*presented 31 Mar*)

## Human Rights (Joint Statutory)

### Membership

Dr Webster (*Chair*), Mr Perrett (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Burns, Mr Goodenough, Ms Hammond, Senator McLachlan, Senator O'Neill, Senator Pratt, Senator Rice (to 10 Feb), Senator Small and Senator Thorpe (from 10 Feb)

### Reports

Human rights scrutiny report—

Report 15 of 2021 (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 8 Dec 2021; presented 8 Feb*)

Report 1 of 2022 (*presented 9 Feb*)

Report 2 of 2022 (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 25 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

Inquiry report: Religious Discrimination Bill 2021 and related bills (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 4 Feb; presented 8 Feb*)

## Implementation of the National Redress Scheme (Joint Select) (dissolved 11 Apr)

### Membership

Senator O'Sullivan (*Chair*), Ms Claydon (*Deputy Chair*), Dr Allen, Mr Dick, Ms Hammond, Senator Henderson, Mr L. S. O'Brien (from 11 Mar), Senator Pratt, Senator Rice and Mr Sharma

### Current inquiry

Implementation of the National Redress Scheme (*lapsed at dissolution*)

## Indigenous Affairs (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Leeser (*Chair*), Mr Snowdon (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Claydon, Mr Entsch, Ms Hammond, Ms Stanley, Mr Thompson and Mr Young

### Current inquiry

How the corporate sector establishes models of best practice to foster better engagement with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander consumers (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Report

Interim report on better corporate engagement with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander consumers: an issues paper (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 21 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

### Industry, Innovation, Science and Resources (Standing)

#### *Membership*

Mr Conaghan (*Chair*), Ms Bird (*Deputy Chair*), Dr Allen, Mr Coulton (from 11 Mar), Mr Irons, Mr Perrett, Mr Sharma and Ms Swanson

#### *Document*

The Now Frontier: Developing Australia's space industry—Corrigendum (*presented 8 Feb*)

### Infrastructure, Transport and Cities (Standing)

#### *Membership*

Mr Alexander (*Chair*), Mr Gosling (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Connelly, Mr Giles, Mrs McIntosh, Mr Ted O'Brien, Ms Ryan, Mr van Manen and Dr Webster (*one member to be appointed*)

#### *Report*

Government Procurement: A sovereign security imperative (*presented 31 Mar*)

## Intelligence and Security (Joint Statutory)

### Membership

Senator Paterson (*Chair*), Senator McAllister (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Abetz, Dr Aly, Mr K. J. Andrews, Mr Dreyfus, Senator Fawcett, Ms Hammond, Senator Keneally, Mr Khalil and Mr Leeser

### Current inquiries

Extremist movements and radicalism in Australia (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of Administration and Expenditure No. 20 (2020–2021)—Australian Intelligence Agencies (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of the *Counter-Terrorism (Temporary Exclusion Orders) Act 2019* (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of the *Foreign Influence Transparency Scheme Act 2018* (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of the listing and re-listing of eight organisations as terrorist organisations under the Criminal Code (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of the Migration and Citizenship Legislation Amendment (Strengthening Information Provisions) Bill 2020 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Reports

Advisory report on the Intelligence Oversight and Other Legislation Amendment (Integrity Measures) Bill 2020 (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 7 Feb; presented 9 Feb*)

Advisory report on the National Security Legislation Amendment (Comprehensive Review and Other Measures No. 1) Bill 2021 (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 25 Mar; presented 30 Mar*)

Advisory report on the Security Legislation Amendment (Critical Infrastructure Protection) Bill 2022 (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 25 Mar; presented 30 Mar*)

Inquiry into national security risks affecting the Australian higher education and research sector (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 25 Mar; presented 30 Mar*)

Interim report into extremist movements and radicalism in Australia (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 1 Apr; not presented*)

Report by statement: A review of regulations listing Hizballah and The Base as terrorist organisations under the *Criminal Code Act 1995* (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 25 Mar; presented 30 Mar*)

Review of Part 14 of the *Telecommunications Act 1997*—Telecommunications Sector Security Reforms (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 7 Feb; presented 9 Feb*)

Review of the amendments made by the *Telecommunications and Other Legislation Amendment (Assistance and Access) Act 2018* (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 22 Dec 2021; presented 9 Feb*)

## Law Enforcement (Joint Statutory)

### Membership

Mr Simmonds (*Chair*), Dr Aly (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Antic, Mr Conaghan, Mrs Elliot, Mr Hamilton, Senator Lines, Senator McLachlan, Senator Polley and Senator Thorpe

### Current inquiries

Examination of the Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission Annual Report 2020-21 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Examination of the Australian Federal Police Annual Report 2020-21 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Impact of illicit drugs being traded online (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Law enforcement capabilities in relation to child exploitation (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Reports

*Criminal Code Amendment (Sharing of Abhorrent Violent Material) Act 2019 (sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 13 Dec 2021; presented 8 Feb)*

Vaccine related fraud and security risks (*presented 17 Feb*)

## Migration (Joint Standing)

### Membership

Mr Leeser (*Chair*), Ms Vamvakinou (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Alexander, Senator Ciccone, Mr Drum, Mr Georganas, Senator Henderson, Mr Hill, Senator McKim and Senator Small

### Current inquiry

Ending Indefinite and Arbitrary Immigration Detention Bill 2021 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

## National Broadband Network (Joint Standing)

### Membership

Mr Pasin (*Chair*), Ms Templeman (*Deputy Chair*), Dr Allen, Senator Antic, Mr Connelly, Senator Davey, Senator Farrell, Senator Griff, Dr Haines, Senator McKim, Mr B. K. Mitchell, Mrs Phillips, Senator Sheldon, Mr Simmonds, Senator Walsh and Mr Watts (*one member to be appointed*)

### Current inquiry

The business case for the NBN and the experiences of small businesses (*lapsed at dissolution*)

## National Capital and External Territories (Joint Standing)

### Membership

Senator McMahon (*Chair*), Senator Brown (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Coulton (from 11 Mar), Senator Keneally, Senator Lines, Mr L. S. O'Brien, Senator O'Sullivan, Mr Pearce, Mr D. P. B. Smith, Mr Snowden and Mr Stevens (*one member to be appointed*)

### Current inquiries

Availability and access to enabling communications infrastructure in Australia's external territories (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Economic, social and environmental sustainability in the Indian Ocean territories (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Review of the National Capital Authority: Biannual public briefings (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Reports

Interim report: Inquiry into availability and access to enabling communications infrastructure in Australia's external territories (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 28 Feb; presented 31 Mar*)

Interim report: Inquiry into economic, social and environmental sustainability in the Indian Ocean Territories (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 28 Feb; presented 31 Mar*)

## National Disability Insurance Scheme (Joint Standing)

### Membership

Mr K. J. Andrews (*Chair*), Senator Brown (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Askew, Mr D. J. Chester (from 11 Mar), Senator Chisholm, Ms Coker, Senator Hughes, Dr Martin, Ms Payne and Senator Steele-John

### Reports

Current scheme implementation and forecasting for the NDIS (*presented 31 Mar*)

General issues—Work of the committee in the 46th Parliament (*presented 31 Mar*)

NDIS workforce final report (*presented 15 Feb*)

## Northern Australia (Joint Standing)

### Membership

Mr Entsch (*Chair*), Ms Wells (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Canavan, Senator Chisholm, Mr Christensen, Senator Cox, Senator Dodson, Senator D. Smith, Mr Snowden, and Mr Thompson

### Report

The engagement of traditional owners in the economic development of northern Australia (*presented 8 Feb*)

## Parliamentary Library (Joint Standing)

### Membership

Senator Askew (*Joint Chair*), Ms Stanley (*Joint Chair*), Dr Allen, Senator Bilyk, Ms Claydon, Senator Lines, Ms Liu, Senator McLachlan, Senator Paterson, Mr Pearce, Mr Ramsey and Mr D. P. B. Smith (*one member to be appointed*)

## Parliamentary Standards (Joint Select) (established 14 Feb; dissolved 11 Apr)

### Membership

Senator Chandler (*Chair*), Senator Marielle Smith (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Ayres, Ms Claydon, Mr Coulton, Senator Faruqi, Ms Hammond, Mr Leeser, Senator McDonald, Senator McLachlan and Ms Wells

### Current inquiry

Matters relating to the development of codes of conduct for Commonwealth Parliamentary Workplaces (*lapsed at dissolution*)

## Petitions (Standing)

### Membership

Mr O'Dowd (*Chair*), Mrs Elliot (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs Archer, Ms L. M. Chesters, Ms Liu, Mr Simmonds, Mr Stevens and Ms Templeman

### Document

Report 35: Petitions and ministerial responses—Corrigendum (*presented 16 Feb*)

### Reports

Report 35: Petitions and ministerial responses (*presented 14 Feb*)

Report 36: Petitions and ministerial responses (*presented 31 Mar*)

## Privileges and Members' Interests (Standing)

### Membership

Mr K. J. Andrews (*Chair from 16 Feb*), Mr Broadbent (*Chair to 8 Feb*) (to 8 Feb), Mr Gorman (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Drum, Mr Fitzgibbon, Ms Flint (from 16 Feb), Mr Goodenough, Mr Leeser, Ms Ryan, Mr Snowdon, Ms Wells and Mr Zimmerman

### Report

Report concerning the registration and declaration of members' interests during 2021 (*presented 17 Feb*)

## Procedure (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Vasta (*Chair*), Mr Dick (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Goodenough, Mr Gorman, Ms Liu, Ms Ryan and Mr Simmonds

### Report

Maintenance of standing orders (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 31 Jan; presented 9 Feb*)

## Public Accounts and Audit (Joint Statutory)

### Membership

Mrs Wicks (*Chair*), Mr Hill (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Bell, Mr D. J. Chester (from 11 Mar), Ms Flint, Senator Kitching (to 10 Mar, *dec.*), Senator McLachlan, Senator O'Sullivan, Senator Patrick, Ms Payne, Senator Scarr, Ms Thwaites, Mr Vasta, Senator Walsh, Mr Watts and Mr R. J. Wilson

### Document

2022-2023 Draft estimates for the Australian National Audit Office and the Parliamentary Budget Office (*presented 29 Mar*)

### Current inquiries

Commonwealth investments to achieve policy objectives: Inquiry into Auditor-General's reports Nos. 14, 26, 28 and 47 (2020-21) (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Governance in the stewardship of public resources: Inquiry into Auditor-General's reports Nos. 11, 31, 39 (2019-20) and 2 and 9 (2020-21) (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Implementation of COVID-19 measures: Inquiry into Auditor-General's reports Nos. 20, 22, 23, 24 and 39 (2020-21) (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Reports

Report 488: Commonwealth financial statements 2019-20 (*presented 31 Mar*)

Report 489: Defence major projects report 2019-20 (*presented 31 Mar*)

Report 490: Alternative financing mechanisms (*presented 31 Mar*)

Report 491: Review of the *Auditor-General Act 1997* (*presented 31 Mar*)



## Public Works (Joint Statutory)

### Membership

Mr R. J. Wilson (*Chair*), Mr Zappia (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Coulton (from 11 Mar), Senator Hughes, Ms Owens, Mr Pasin, Senator Sheldon, Senator Small and Mr D. P. B. Smith (*one member to be appointed*)

### Current inquiry

Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications—(Infrastructure)—Cocos (Keeling) Islands West Island—Seawater Reverse Osmosis plant and Wastewater Treatment plant upgrade (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Reports

Referrals made December 2021 (1<sup>st</sup> report of 2022) (*presented 9 Feb*)

Referrals made December 2021 (2<sup>nd</sup> report of 2022) (*presented 29 Mar*)

Referral made February 2022 (3<sup>rd</sup> report of 2022) (*presented 29 Mar*)

## Publications (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Goodenough (*Chair*), Ms Wells (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Gorman, Mrs McIntosh, Mr Pearce, Mrs Phillips and Mr Vasta (from 11 Mar)

## Regional Australia (Select) (dissolved 31 Mar)

### Membership

Mr Pasin (*Chair*), Mr Fitzgibbon (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs Archer, Mr Coulton (from 11 Mar), Mr Drum, Dr Haines, Ms McBain, Mr Ramsey (from 11 Mar), Mr Thompson, Mr J. H. Wilson, Mr R. J. Wilson and Mr Zappia

### Report

Pride of Place: Inquiry into the future of regional Australia (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 15 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

## Road Safety (Joint Select) (dissolved 25 Mar)

### Membership

Mr D. J. Chester (*Chair*), Mr Thistlethwaite (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Broadbent, Mr Conaghan (from 11 Mar), Senator Sheldon, Senator Small, Ms Vamvakinou and Mr R. J. Wilson

### Report

Driving reform: final report for the inquiry into road safety (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 25 Mar*)

## Selection (Standing)

### Membership

Mr Wallace (*Speaker*) (*Chair*), Mr L. S. O'Brien (*Deputy Speaker*) (*Chair in the absence of the Speaker*), Mr Broadbent, Mr Drum, Ms Flint, Mr Hayes, Ms Murphy, Mr O'Dowd, Mr Ramsey, Ms Ryan, Ms Sharkie, Ms Stanley and Mr van Manen

### Reports

Report No. 42 relating to the consideration of committee and delegation business and private members' business on Monday, 14 February 2022 (*presented 9 Feb*)

Report No. 43 relating to the consideration of committee and delegation business and private members' business on Monday, 11 April 2022 (*presented 30 Mar*)

## Social Media and Online Safety (Select) (dissolved 31 Mar)

### Membership

Mrs Wicks (*Chair*), Mr Watts (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Claydon, Ms Hammond, Mr C. Kelly, Mr Sharma, Mr Simmonds and Dr Webster

### Report

Social Media and Online Safety (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 15 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

## Social Policy and Legal Affairs (Standing)

### Membership

Ms Bell (*Chair from 7 Mar*), Ms Claydon (*Deputy Chair*), Dr Freeland, Mr Laming, Ms Murphy, Mr Ramsey, Mr Simmonds and Dr Webster

### Current inquiry

Interactive Gambling Amendment (Banning Social Casinos and Other Measures) Bill 2020 (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### Report

Inquiry into constitutional reform and referendums (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 22 Dec 2021; presented 9 Feb*)

## Tax and Revenue (Standing)

### *Membership*

Mr Falinski (*Chair*), Ms Owens (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Kearney, Ms Liu, Mr Stevens, Mr Thistlethwaite, Mr van Manen and Mr Young

### *Report*

The Australian dream: Inquiry into housing affordability and supply in Australia (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 17 Mar; presented 31 Mar*)

## Trade and Investment Growth (Joint Standing)

### *Membership*

Mr Christensen (*Chair to 8 Feb*) (to 8 Feb), Ms Kearney (*Deputy Chair*), Dr Allen, Senator Ayres, Senator Ciccone, Senator Cox, Mr McCormack (from 11 Mar), Dr Mulino, Mr Ramsey, Senator Rennick and Senator Van

### *Report*

The prudential regulation of investment in Australia's export industries (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 16 Dec 2021; presented 10 Feb*)

## Treaties (Joint Standing)

### *Membership*

Mr Sharma (*Chair*), Mr Khalil (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Ayres, Senator Bragg, Mr Broadbent, Senator Ciccone, Senator Cox, Mr Falinski, Ms Flint, Senator Kitching (to 10 Mar, *dec.*), Mr Ted O'Brien, Mr O'Dowd (from 11 Mar), Senator Rennick, Ms Thwaites, Senator Van and Mr J. H. Wilson

### *Current inquiries*

Agreement between Australia and Japan concerning the facilitation of reciprocal access and cooperation between the Australian Defence Force and the Self-Defense Forces of Japan (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the United States of America on Access to Electronic Data for the Purpose of Countering Serious Crime (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Australia-India Economic Cooperation and Trade Agreement (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage (*lapsed at dissolution*)

Free Trade Agreement between Australia and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (*lapsed at dissolution*)

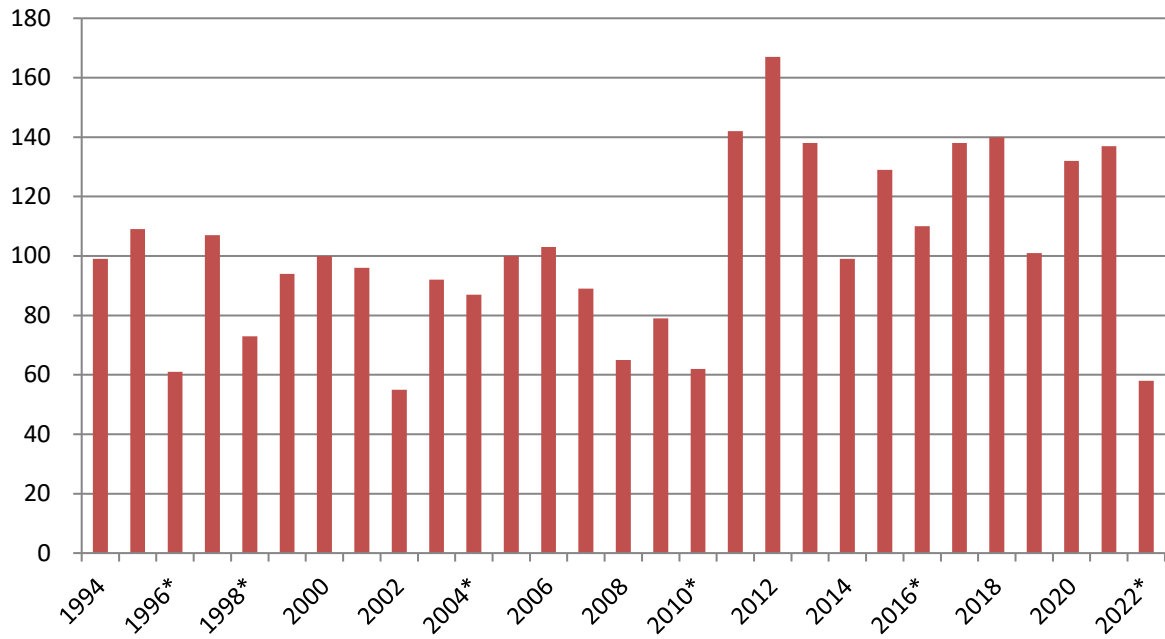
Global convention on the recognition of qualifications concerning higher education (*lapsed at dissolution*)

### *Reports*

Report 199: Agreement for the Exchange of Naval Nuclear Propulsion Information (*sent to the Speaker under SO 247, 17 Dec 2021; presented 8 Feb*)

Report 200: International Labour Organization Protocol of 2014 to the Forced Labour Convention, 1930 (No. 29) (*presented 31 Mar*)

### Number of committee reports presented by year<sup>^</sup>



<sup>^</sup> Includes advisory reports on bills.

\* Election years.

## RESPONSES TO COMMITTEE REPORTS

Government responses to individual reports	Presented
Agriculture and Water Resources—Standing Committee—Super-charging Australian Agriculture	29 Mar
Corporations and Financial Services—Parliamentary Joint Committee—Mobile payment and digital wallet financial services	8 Feb
Environment and Energy—Standing Committee—Tackling the feral cat pandemic: a plan to save Australian wildlife: Report of the inquiry into the problem of feral and domestic cats in Australia	14 Feb
Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade—Joint Standing Committee— Certain aspects of the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade annual report 2019-20—Australia's response to the coup in Myanmar  Inquiry into PFAS remediation in and around Defence bases (second progress report)	8 Feb  8 Feb
Indigenous Affairs—Standing Committee—Report on Indigenous participation in employment and business	30 Mar
Industry, Innovation, Science and Resources—Standing Committee—From rubbish to resources: Building a circular economy	17 Feb
Intelligence and Security—Parliamentary Joint Committee—Reviews of Administration and Expenditure: No. 18 (2018-2019) and No. 19 (2019-2020)	29 Mar
Law Enforcement—Parliamentary Joint Committee—Summary report of the 24 June 2020 public hearing on the Australian Institute of Criminology's National Deaths in Custody Program	29 Mar
Procedure—Standing Committee—A window on the House: practices and procedures relating to Question Time	31 Mar
Public Accounts and Audit—Joint Committee—Executive minute— Report 481: Efficiency and Effectiveness: Inquiry into Auditor-General's Reports 25, 29, 38, 42, 44, 45 and 51 (2018-19)  Report 486: Regulatory Activities - Inquiry into Auditor-General's Reports 33, 47, 48 (2019-20) and 5 and 8 (2020-21)	31 Mar  31 Mar
Social Policy and Legal Affairs—Standing Committee—Final report: Inquiry into homelessness in Australia	17 Feb
Treaties—Joint Standing Committee— Report 193: Strengthening the trade agreement and treaty-making process in Australia  Report 196: Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement  Report 199: Agreement for the Exchange of Naval Nuclear Propulsion Information	29 Mar  17 Feb  29 Mar

## GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

Title*	Presented
Aboriginal Land Commissioner—Report to the Minister for Indigenous Australians and to the Administrator of the Northern Territory—No. 75—Woolner / Mary River Region Land Claim No. 192	29 Mar
Administrative Appeals Tribunal—Report for 2020-21—Correction	8 Feb
Anindilyakwa Land Council—Report for 2020-21	29 Mar
Auditor-General— Audit reports for 2021-22— No. 12—Performance audit—of Management of international travel restrictions during COVID-19: Across entities	8 Feb
No. 13— 2020–21 Major Projects report: Department of Defence	8 Feb
Corrigendum	8 Feb
No. 14—Financial statements audit—Audits of the financial statements of Australian Government entities for the period ended 30 June 2021	8 Feb
No. 15—Performance audit—Department of Defence’s procurement of six Evolved Cape Class Patrol Boats: Department of Defence	8 Feb
No. 16—Performance audit—Award of funding under the Safer Communities Fund: Department of Home Affairs; Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources	14 Feb
No. 17—Performance audit—Australian Government advertising: May 2019 to October 2021: Across entities	17 Feb
No. 18—Performance audit—Remote housing in the Northern Territory: National Indigenous Australians Agency	29 Mar
No. 19—Performance audit—Management of Threatened Species and Ecological Communities under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999: Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment	29 Mar
No. 20—Performance audit—Human biosecurity for international air travellers during COVID-19: Across entities	29 Mar
No. 21—Performance audit—Operation of grants hubs: Department of Finance; Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources; Department of Social Services	31 Mar
Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC)—Diversity and inclusion—Report for 2020-2021	15 Feb
Australian Building and Construction Commission—Performance of the functions and the exercise of powers of the Australian Building and Construction Commissioner—Quarterly report for the period 1 July to 30 September 2021	8 Feb
Australian Human Rights Commission—Report for 2020-21	29 Mar

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Title*	Presented
Australian Livestock Export Corporation Limited (LiveCorp)—Report for 2020-21	8 Feb
<i>Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1997</i> —Deed of agreement 2021-2031 between the Commonwealth of Australia and Australian Livestock Export Corporation Limited—Report for 2020-21	8 Feb
<i>Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act 1998</i> —Quarterly report of the Chief Executive Officer for the period 1 July to 30 September 2021	8 Feb
Commonwealth Ombudsman—Activities in monitoring controlled operations conducted by the Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity, the Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission and the Australian Federal Police—Report for 2020-21	29 Mar
Copyright Agency Limited—Report for 2020-21	9 Feb
<i>Crimes Act 1914</i> — Assumed identities and witness identity protection certificates—Report for 2020-21—Australian Federal Police Authorities for assumed identities—Report for 2020-21—Department of Home Affairs Controlled operations—Report for 2020-21 Witness identity protection certificates—Reports—2020-21—Department of Home Affairs	8 Feb 8 Feb 30 Mar 8 Feb
<i>Criminal Code Act 1995</i> —Control orders, preventative detention orders, continuing detention orders, temporary exclusion orders, and powers in relation to terrorist acts and terrorism offences—Report for 2020-21	8 Feb
Dairy Australia Limited— Performance report for 2020-21 Report for 2020-21	8 Feb 8 Feb
<i>Dairy Produce Act 1986</i> —Statutory funding agreement with Dairy Australia Limited—Report for 2020-21	8 Feb
Department of Finance—Campaign advertising by Australian Government departments and agencies—Report for 2020-21	8 Feb
Department of the Treasury—Tax Benchmarks and Variations Statement 2021—January 2022	8 Feb
Education and Care Services Ombudsman, National Education and Care Services Freedom of Information Commissioner and National Education and Care Services Privacy Commissioner—Report for 2020-21	9 Feb

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Title*	Presented
<p><i>Migration Act 1958</i>—Section 486O—Assessment of detention arrangements—(continued)</p> <p>Personal identifiers: 1000875-O5, 1001247-O4, 1002212-O5, 1002767-O4, 1002976-O3, 1003097-O2, 1003229-O1, 1003595-O, 1003693-O, 1003694-O—</p> <p>Commonwealth and Immigration Ombudsman’s reports—Report No. 5 of 2022 Government response to Ombudsman’s reports</p> <p>Personal identifiers: 1000997-O3, 1002200-O7, 1002215-O4, 1002732-O4, 1002867-O3, 1003210-O1, 1003214-O1, 1003558-O, 1003560-O, 1003598-O—</p> <p>Commonwealth and Immigration Ombudsman’s reports—Report No. 6 of 2022 Government response to Ombudsman’s reports</p>	<p>17 Feb</p> <p>17 Feb</p> <p>17 Feb</p> <p>17 Feb</p>
<p>Ministerial statement—</p> <p>Regional ministerial budget statement 2022-23—A secure future for regional Australia, 29 March 2022</p> <p>Women’s budget statement 2022-23, 29 March 2022</p>	<p>29 Mar</p> <p>29 Mar</p>
<p>National Environment Protection Council—Independent review of the National Environment Protection Councils Acts, July 2019; National Environment Protection Council response to the report of the fourth review of the National Environment Protection Councils Acts (Commonwealth, State and Territory), April 2021</p>	<p>14 Feb</p>
<p>National Skills Commission—The state of Australia’s skills 2021: now and into the future—Report</p>	<p>8 Feb</p>
<p>Outback Stores Pty Ltd—Report for 2020-21</p>	<p>8 Feb</p>
<p><i>Privacy Act 1988</i>—Operation and effectiveness of COVIDSafe and the National COVIDSafe Data Store—Report for the period 16 May to 15 November 2021—Second report, December 2021</p>	<p>8 Feb</p>
<p>Regional Telecommunications Independent Review Committee—2021 Regional Telecommunications Review: A step change in demand—Government response, 30 March 2022</p>	<p>30 Mar</p>
<p><i>Register of Foreign Ownership of Water or Agricultural Land Act 2015</i>—</p> <p>Register of Foreign Ownership of Agricultural Land—Report of registrations as at 30 June 2021</p> <p>Register of Foreign Ownership of Water Entitlements—Report of registrations as at 30 June 2021</p>	<p>29 Mar</p> <p>29 Mar</p>
<p><i>Research Involving Human Embryos Act 2002</i>—Report on the operation of the Act for the period 1 March to 31 August 2021</p>	<p>8 Feb</p>
<p>Review of the Australian Payments System; Australia as a Technology and Financial Centre—Senate Select Committee—Final report; Corporations and Financial Services—Parliamentary Joint Committee—Mobile payment and digital wallet financial services—Government response, December 2021</p>	<p>8 Feb</p>
<p>Review of the co-regulatory arrangement under the National Environment Protection (Used Packaging Materials) Measure 2011—Prepared by mpconsulting for the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment—Final report, September 2021</p>	<p>8 Feb</p>
<p>Review of the Insolvent Trading Safe Harbour—Report, November 2021</p>	<p>29 Mar</p>

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Title*	Presented
Rural Industries Research and Development Corporation (AgriFutures Australia)—Report for 2020-21—Correction	8 Feb
Screenrights—Report for 2020-21	9 Feb
<i>Superannuation (Government Co-contribution for Low Income Earners) Act 2003</i> — Quarterly report on the operation of Section 12G(1) for the period 1 October to 31 December 2021 Quarterly report on the operation of Section 54(1) for the period 1 October to 31 December 2021	14 Feb 14 Feb
<i>Sydney Airport Demand Management Act 1997</i> —Quarterly report on movement cap for Sydney airport for the period 1 October to 31 December 2021	9 Feb
<i>Telecommunications Act 1997</i> —Funding of telecommunications consumer representation grants—Report for 2020-21	8 Feb
<i>Telecommunications (Interception and Access) Act 1979</i> — Commonwealth Ombudsman’s monitoring of agency access to stored communications and telecommunications data—Report for 2019-20 Report on the operation of the Act for 2020-21	29 Mar 14 Feb
Tiwi Land Council—Report for 2020-21	17 Feb
Torres Strait Protected Zone Joint Authority—Report for 2019-20	8 Feb
Treaties— <i>Text, together with associated documents—</i> Agreement between Australia and Japan concerning the Facilitation of Reciprocal Access and Cooperation between the Australian Defence Force and the Self-Defense Forces of Japan (Canberra and Tokyo, 6 January 2022) Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the United States of America on Access to Electronic Data for the Purpose of Countering Serious Crime (Washington, 15 December 2021) Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage (Paris, 2 November 2001) Free Trade Agreement between Australia and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (Adelaide, 17 December 2021 and London, 16 December 2021) International Labour Organization Protocol of 2014 to Forced Labour Convention 1930 (No. 29), adopted at Geneva on 11 June 2014	14 Feb 9 Feb 9 Feb 8 Feb 17 Feb
Workplace Gender Equality Agency—Report for 2020-21	14 Feb
Wreck Bay Aboriginal Community Council—Report for 2020-21	8 Feb

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# MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE

## Number of sittings members attended

Total number of sittings from 8 February to 31 March 2022: 10

Total number of sittings for the 46<sup>th</sup> Parliament: 170

Autumn 46P			Autumn 46P			Autumn 46P			Autumn 46P		
Albanese, A N	10	170	Elliot, J*	8	150	Laming, A C*	10	116	Sharkie, R C C*	10	155
Alexander, J G*	10	144	Entsch, W G	10	159	Landry, M L	9	123	Sharma, D*	10	154
Allen, K	10	170	Evans, T M	10	133	Leeser, J M*	7	145	Shorten, W R*	10	145
Aly, A *	3	135				Leigh, A K	10	165	Simmonds, J*	10	149
Andrews, K J*	10	147	Falinski, J G*	10	149	Ley, S P	10	167	Smith, A D H	10	170
Andrews, K L	10	165	Fitzgibbon, J A	7	148	Littleproud, D K	6	157	Smith, D. P. B	10	152
Archer, B*	10	159	Fletcher, P W	10	170	Liu, G*	7	154	Snowdon, W E*	10	142
			Flint, N J	10	154				Stanley, A M	10	169
			Freelander, M R	10	166	Marino, N B	6	141	Steggall, Z*	10	155
			Frydenberg, J A	9	167	Marles, R D*	10	142	Stevens, J	10	167
						Martin, F*	10	163	Sukkar, M S	10	158
			Gee, A R	9	162	McBain, K*	10	10	Swanson, M J*	7	146
			Georganas, S*	10	122	McCormack, M F	10	170			
			Giles, A J	10	164	McIntosh, M*	9	149	Taylor, A J	10	168
			Gillespie, D A	6	160	Mitchell, B K*	10	136	Tehan, D T	5	147
			Goodenough, I R	10	162	Mitchell, R G*	10	125	Templeman, S R	8	161
			Gorman, P*	10	125	Morrison, S J*	10	159	Thistlethwaite, M J*	10	152
			Gosling, L J*	10	153	Morton, B	10	146	Thompson, P*	9	128
						Mulino, D*	7	127	Thwaites, K*	10	112
			Haines, H	10	170	Murphy, P*	8	140	Tudge, A E	2	152
			Hamilton, G	10	62						
			Hammond, C	3	158	Neumann, S K*	10	119	Vamvakinou, M*	10	105
			Hastie, A W	3	120				van Manen, A J	10	159
			Hawke, A G	10	146	O'Brien, L S	10	152	Vasta, R X	10	142
			Hayes, C P	10	163	O'Brien, T L*	10	140			
			Hill, J C	7	160	O'Connor, B P J*	10	140	Wallace, A B	10	163
			Hogan, K J	6	149	O'Dowd, K D	10	157	Watts, T G*	9	150
			Howarth, L R	10	133	O'Neil, C E*	10	102	Webster, A*	10	148
			Hunt, G A	10	170	Owens, J A	8	140	Wells, A*	8	108
			Husic, E N*	10	149				Wicks, L E*	10	136
						Pasin, A	10	162	Wilkie, A D*	10	134
			Irons, S J	10	109	Payne, A	10	124	Wilson, J H*	3	140
						Pearce, G B*	10	137	Wilson, R J	10	149
			Jones, S P*	10	162	Perrett, G D*	10	138	Wilson, T R	10	168
			Joyce, B T G	10	159	Phillips, F*	10	142	Wood, J P	6	146
						Pitt, K J	10	157	Wyatt, K G	7	160
			Katter, R C*	10	117	Plibersek, T J*	3	142			
			Kearney, G*	10	131	Porter, C C	9	153	Young, T*	3	133
			Kelly, C	7	156	Price, M L	3	155			
			Keogh, M J*	4	126				Zappia, A	10	161
			Khalil, P*	10	132	Ramsey, R E	10	168	Zimmerman, T M*	7	152
			King, C F*	10	148	Rishworth, A L*	10	129			
			King, M M H*	10	150	Robert, S R	10	170			
						Rowland, M A*	10	137			
						Ryan, J C*	6	135			

<sup>1</sup> Leave granted from 8 Feb to 29 Mar.

<sup>2</sup> Resigned 23 Feb.

\* See page 49.

Members or ministers may be absent from the House on parliamentary or government business during sittings.

\* On 24 August 2020, the House adopted a resolution authorising an official video facility for members unable to attend sittings due to the COVID-19 pandemic to contribute to certain parliamentary proceedings. Members who made contributions in this way were recorded in the *Votes and Proceedings* as absent but were separately recorded as having 'participated by video link'. Members with an asterisk beside their name participated via video link on one or more occasions during the 46<sup>th</sup> Parliament.