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- the half year (1 January 2023 to 30 June 2023); and
- the financial year (1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023).

Statistics on these periods are kept in order to record information based on parliamentary terms as well as half, financial and full year periods.

This report is available online at:
ABBREVIATIONS

Committees
ACLEI  Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity  
CA  Community Affairs  
CFS  Corporations and Financial Services  
Dental Services  Provision of and Access to Dental Services in Australia  
Disaster Resilience  Australia’s Disaster Resilience  
ECO  Economics  
EE  Education and Employment  
EC  Environment and Communications  
FPA  Finance and Public Administration  
FADT  Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade  
Foreign Interference  Foreign Interference through Social Media  
LE  Law Enforcement  
LCA  Legal and Constitutional Affairs  
NACC  National Anti-Corruption Commission  
NDIS  National Disability Insurance Scheme  
Perth Mint  Perth Mint and Commonwealth regulatory compliance  
RRAT  Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport  

Political Affiliations
AG  Australian Greens  
ALP  Australian Labor Party  
CLP  Country Liberal Party  
IND  Independent  
JLN  Jacqui Lambie Network  
LNP  Liberal National Party of Queensland  
LP  Liberal Party of Australia  
NATS  The Nationals  
PHON  Pauline Hanson's One Nation  
UAP  United Australia Party
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Publications and resources relating to committees*:

Consolidated Register of Senate Committee Reports (1970–2023)  

Senate Legislative and General Purpose Standing Committees: The First 20 Years 1970–1990  

Bills referred to Senate committees  

Today's Public Hearings (daily list of committee public hearings held in Canberra or interstate)  

Senate Committees: Upcoming Public Hearings (list of all forthcoming committee public hearings)  

Senate Committees: celebrating 50 years (a website celebrating 50 years of the modern Senate committee system)  
Navigate Senate Committees

*A selection of reports presented prior to June 1997 and all reports tabled thereafter are available online.
Information on getting involved in Senate committee inquiries

Making a Submission
http://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/Senate/Making_a_submission

Attending a public hearing

Protection of witnesses appearing before Senate Committees (Senate Privilege Resolution No. 1 on procedures to be observed by Senate committees for the protection of witnesses)
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| DPS | Department of Parliamentary Services |
| LGPS | Legislative and General Purpose Standing |
| S | Department of the Senate |
| * | Legislation and References Committees |
**COMMITTEES ADMINISTERED BY THE SENATE COMMITTEE OFFICE**

**Introduction**
During the reporting period, the Senate Committee Office provided staffing and resources for the following committees:
- Legislative and General Purpose Standing Committees;
- Certain Joint Statutory, Joint Standing and Joint Select Committees; and
- Senate Select Committees.

**Legislative and General Purpose Standing Committees**
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Joint Statutory Committees
During the reporting period, the Senate Committee Office administered the following Joint Statutory Committees comprising members of the House of Representatives and Senators:

- Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity
- Corporations and Financial Services
- Law Enforcement
- National Anti-Corruption Commission

Joint Standing Committees
During the reporting period, the Senate Committee Office administered the following Joint Standing Committee comprising members of the House of Representatives and Senators:

- National Disability Insurance Scheme

Joint Select Committees
During the reporting period, the Senate Committee Office administered the following Joint Select Committee comprising members of the House of Representatives and Senators:

- Northern Australia

Senate Select Committees
During the reporting period, the Senate Committee Office administered the following Select Committees:

- Australia’s Disaster Resilience
- Cost of Living
- Foreign Interference through Social Media
- Perth Mint and Commonwealth regulatory compliance
- Provision of and Access to Dental Services in Australia
- Work and Care