

PART FOUR

Consolidated Statistical Overview

1 January 2012–30 June 2012

Statistical Overview of Committees administered by the Senate Committee Office

1 January 2012–30 June 2012

	Matters current as at 1 January 2012	Matters referred (including estimates and annual reports)	Reports tabled that discharged a reference	Current inquiries as at 30 June 2012
Legislation	19	68 (A)	70+2^+(3**) (B)	15
References	13	7 (A)	7+(5**) (B)	13
Joint/Select	13	5	6 + 2^+(5**)	10
Total	45	80	83+ 4^	38

Number and Hours of Meeting						
Public	Hrs	Public Estimates	Hrs	Private	Hrs	Insp/ Other
Legislation	45	52	505:42	140	30:36	0
References	25	0	0:00	63	18:43	7
Joint/Select	30	0	0:00	50	20:23	7
Total	100	52	505:42	253	69:42	14
					55:30	
						419
						1036:50

Meetings by State						
ACT	NSW	VIC	TAS	SA	WA	QLD
Legislation	2	8	0	0	0	0
References	3	3	0	3	6	2
Joint/Select	9	5	2	3	3	0
Total	14	16	2	6	9	2

Televised Hearings	Witnesses			Hansard pages			No of Submissions	No. of Pages	Government Responses
	Estimates	Bills	General	Estimates	Bills	General			
Legislation	92	3675	19	5688	1724	155	1871~	10390	5
References	18	0	345	0	0	1327	500	7085	18
Joint/Select	17	0	264	0	245	858	149	2258	6
Total	127	3675	628	5688	1969	2340	2520	19733	29

(A) 8 Annual Reports and 16 Estimates references; 43 Individual/Packages of Bills; 1 Legislation matter; 7 other references

(B) 8 Reports on Annual Reports; 16 Estimates Reports; 46 bills reports; 7 references reports

** Reports that did not discharge a reference

^ references finalised but not separately reported on

~ submission total does not include 74,971 form letters and short statements received by the Legal and Constitutional Affairs Committee for the Marriage Equality Amendment Bill 2010

