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1 January 2017–30 June 2017**



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

## Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity

1 January 2017 - 30 June 2017

	Matters current as at 1 January 2017	Matters referred during period	Reports tabled that discharge a reference	Current inquiries as at 30 June 2017
Joint Statutory	2	0	0	2

Number and Hours of Meeting										
	Public	Hrs	Public Estimates	Hrs	Private	Hrs	Insp/Other	Hrs	Total Meetings	Total Hours
Joint Statutory	0	0:00	0	0:00	4	0:50	3	14:15	7	15:05

Meetings By State								
	ACT	NSW	VIC	TAS	SA	WA	NT	QLD
Joint Statutory	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	1

Witnesses						
	Broadcast Hearings	Estimates	Bills	General	Number of Submissions	Government Responses
Joint Statutory	0	0	0	0	1	0

# Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity (Joint Statutory)

*1 January 2017 to 30 June 2017*

## Method of appointment

Pursuant to the *Law Enforcement Integrity Commissioner Act 2006*; appointed 12 September 2016

<b>Current members</b>	<i>Date of appointment</i>
Senator Bridget McKenzie (VIC, NATS) <i>(elected Chair on 15.09.2016)</i>	12.09.2016
Senator Catryna Bilyk (TAS, ALP) <i>(elected Deputy Chair on 15.09.2016)</i>	12.09.2016
Mr Scott Buchholz MP (Wright, QLD, LP)	14.09.2016
The Hon Justine Elliot MP (Richmond, NSW, ALP)	15.09.2016
Mr Llew O'Brien MP (Wide Bay, QLD, NATS)	14.09.2016
Senator Barry O'Sullivan (QLD, NATS)	12.09.2016
The Hon Stuart Robert MP (Fadden, QLD, LP)	14.09.2016
Senator Murray Watt (QLD, ALP)	12.09.2016
Mr Tony Zappia MP (Makin, SA, ALP)	15.09.2016

## **Inquiries**

*As at 01.01.2017*

<b>Inquiry Name</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Public Hearings</b> <i>01.01.2017–30.06.2017</i>	<b>Reports Tabled</b>	<b>Current Inquiry</b> <i>As at 30.06.2017</i>
Performance of statutory duties	Ongoing	Nil	Nil	Ongoing
Integrity of Australia's border arrangements	11.10.2016	Nil	Nil	Yes

## **New Inquiries**

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

## **Government Responses**

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

*OOS (Out of session)*

*HoR (House of Representatives)*

**Corporations and Financial Services  
(Joint Statutory)**

## Corporations & Financial Services

1 January 2017 - 30 June 2017

	Matters current as at 1 January 2017	Matters referred during period	Reports tabled that discharge a reference	Current inquiries as at 30 June 2017
Joint Statutory	4	0	0 +(1**)	4

Number and Hours of Meeting										
	Public	Hrs	Public Estimates	Hrs	Private	Hrs	Insp/Other	Hrs	Total Meetings	Total Hours
Joint Statutory	10	47:52	0	0:00	14	6:34	0	0:00	24	54:26

Meetings By State								
	ACT	NSW	VIC	TAS	SA	WA	NT	QLD
Joint Statutory	17	2	3	0	0	0	0	2

Witnesses						
	Broadcast Hearings	Estimates	Bills	General	Number of Submissions	Government Responses
Joint Statutory	10	0	0	153	127	4

\*\* Report on statutory obligations of Committee

# Corporations and Financial Services (Joint Statutory)

*1 January 2017 to 30 June 2017*

<b>Method of appointment</b>	
Pursuant to the <i>Australian Securities and Investments Commission Act 2001</i> ; appointed 12 September 2016	
<b>Current members</b>	<i>Date of appointment</i>
Mr Steve Irons MP (Swan, WA, LP) <i>(elected Chair on 27.09.2016)</i>	14.09.2016
Senator Deborah O'Neill (NSW, ALP) <i>(elected Deputy Chair on 27.09.2016)</i>	12.09.2016
Ms Terri Butler MP (Griffith, QLD, ALP)	15.09.2016
Mr Jason Falinski MP (Mackellar, NSW, LP)	14.09.2016
Mr Matt Keogh MP (Burt, WA, ALP)	15.09.2016
Senator Chris Ketter (QLD, ALP)	12.09.2016
Mr Bert van Manen MP (Forde, QLD, LP)	14.09.2016
Senator Peter Wish-Wilson (TAS, AG)	13.09.2016
Senator John Williams (NSW, NATS)	12.09.2016
Senator Nick Xenophon (SA, NXT)	30.11.2016
<b>Former member</b>	<i>Term of appointment</i>
Senator Jane Hume (VIC, LP)	12.09.2016–30.11.2016

## Inquiries

As at 01.01.2017

<b>Inquiry Name</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Public Hearings</b> <i>01.01.2017–30.06.2017</i>	<b>Reports Tabled</b>	<b>Current Inquiry</b> <i>As at 30.06.2017</i>
Oversight of the operations of the Australian Securities and Investments Commission	Ongoing	16.06.2017—Canberra	Nil	Ongoing
Examination of annual reports of bodies established under the ASIC Act	Ongoing	Nil	Report on the 2015-2016 annual reports of bodies established under the ASIC Act Tabled 13.06.2017 (HoR) 14.06.2017 (Senate)	Ongoing
Life insurance industry	14.09.2016	22.02.2017—Melbourne 24.02.2017—Sydney 03.03.2017—Canberra 26.05.2017—Canberra	Nil	Yes
Whistleblower protections in the corporate, public and not-for-profit sectors	30.11.2016	23.02.2017—Brisbane 27.04.2017—Melbourne 28.04.2017—Canberra 31.05.2017—Canberra 15.06.2017—Canberra	Nil	Yes

## New References

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

## Government Responses

01.01.2017–30.06.2017

<b>Inquiry Name</b>	<b>Response Tabled</b>	<b>Report Tabled</b>
Report on the 2014-15 annual reports of bodies established under the ASIC Act	07.02.2017	04.05.2016
Report on the 2012-13 annual reports of bodies established under the ASIC Act	21.06.2017	19.03.2014
Personal Liability for Corporate Fault Reform Bill 2012	21.06.2017	29.10.2012
Statutory oversight of the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, the Takeovers Panel and the Corporations Legislation—Report no. 1 of 44 <sup>th</sup> Parliament	21.06.2017	26.11.2014

*OOS (Out of session)*

*HoR (House of Representatives)*



**Law Enforcement  
(Joint Statutory)**

## Law Enforcement

1 January 2017 - 30 June 2017

	Matters current as at 1 January 2017	Matters referred during period	Reports tabled that discharge a reference	Current inquiries as at 30 June 2017
Joint Statutory	4	0	0 + (2**)	4

Number and Hours of Meeting										
	Public	Hrs	Public Estimates	Hrs	Private	Hrs	Insp/Other	Hrs	Total Meetings	Total Hours
Joint Statutory	8	21:40	0	0:00	11	7:01	1	4:20	20	33:01

Meetings By State								
	ACT	NSW	VIC	TAS	SA	WA	NT	QLD
Joint Statutory	17	1	1	0	0	1	0	0

Witnesses						
	Broadcast Hearings	Estimates	Bills	General	Number of Submissions	Government Responses
Joint Statutory	8	0	0	76	19	0

\*\* Report on statutory obligations of Committee

# Law Enforcement (Joint Statutory)

1 January 2017 to 30 June 2017

<b>Method of appointment</b>	
Pursuant to the <i>Parliamentary Joint Committee on Law Enforcement Act 2010</i> ; appointed 12 September 2016	
<b>Current members</b>	<i>Date of appointment</i>
Mr Craig Kelly MP (Hughes, NSW, LP) <i>(elected Chair on 19.09.2016)</i>	14.09.2016
Senator the Hon Lisa Singh (TAS, ALP) <i>(elected Deputy Chair on 08.02.2017)</i>	01.12.2016
Dr Anne Aly MP (Cowan, WA, ALP)	15.09.2016
Senator the Hon Eric Abetz (TAS, LP)	12.09.2016
Senator the Hon Don Farrell (SA, ALP)	23.11.2016
Senator Skye Kakoschke-Moore (SA, NXT)	07.02.2017
Mr Llew O'Brien MP (Wide Bay, QLD, NATS)	14.09.2016
Ms Clare O'Neil MP (Hotham, VIC, ALP)	15.06.2017
Senator Barry O'Sullivan (QLD, NATS)	12.09.2016
Mr Jason Wood MP (La Trobe, VIC, LP)	14.09.2016
<b>Former members</b>	<i>Term of appointment</i>
Senator Catryna Bilyk (TAS, ALP)	12.09.2016–23.11.2016
Mr Chris Hayes MP (Fowler, NSW, ALP) <i>(Deputy Chair 19.09.2016–08.02.2017)</i>	15.09.2016–15.06.2017
Senator Malarndirri McCarthy (NT, ALP)	15.09.2016–01.12.2016
Senator the Hon Lisa Singh (TAS, ALP)	12.09.2016–15.09.2016

## Inquiries

*As at 01.01.2017*

<b>Inquiry Name</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Public Hearings</b> <i>01.01.2017–30.06.2017</i>	<b>Reports Tabled</b>	<b>Current Inquiry</b> <i>As at 30.06.2017</i>
Performance of statutory duties	Ongoing	14.06.2017—Canberra (Examination of the 2015-16 ACC Annual Report)  14.06.2017—Canberra (Examination of the 2015-16 AFP Annual Report)	Examination of the 2014-15 Annual Report of the Australian Crime Commission; tabled 25.05.2017 (HoR), Senate 13.06.2017  Examination of the 2014-15 Annual Report of the Australian Federal Police; tabled 25.05.2017 (HoR), Senate 13.06.2017	Ongoing
Illicit tobacco	12.10.2016 (re-adopted by the committee)	22.03.2017—Canberra	Nil	Yes
Crystal methamphetamine (ice)	12.10.2016 (re-adopted by the committee)	24.03.2017—Canberra 03.05.2017—Perth	Nil	Yes
Human trafficking	12.10.2016 (re-adopted by the committee)	04.05.2017—Melbourne 05.05.2017—Sydney 10.05.2017—Canberra	Nil	Yes

## New References

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

## **Government Responses**

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

*OOS (Out of session)*

*HoR (House of Representatives)*



**National Broadband Network  
(Joint Standing)**

## National Broadband Network

1 January 2017 - 30 June 2017

	Matters current as at 1 January 2017	Matters referred during period	Reports tabled that discharge a reference	Current inquiries as at 30 June 2017
Joint Standing	1	0	0	1

Number and Hours of Meeting										
	Public	Hrs	Public Estimates	Hrs	Private	Hrs	Insp/Other	Hrs	Total Meetings	Total Hours
Joint Standing	9	40:42	0	0:00	15	9:31	0	0:00	24	50:13

Meetings By State								
	ACT	NSW	VIC	TAS	SA	WA	NT	QLD
Joint Standing	9	2	3	0	4	0	2	4

Witnesses						
	Broadcast Hearings	Estimates	Bills	General	Number of Submissions	Government Responses
Joint Standing	9	0	0	95	201	0

# National Broadband Network (Joint Standing)

*1 January 2017 to 30 June 2017*

<b>Method of appointment</b>	
Pursuant to a resolution of the House of Representatives of 12 September 2016, agreed to by the Senate on 14 September 2016	
<b>Current members</b>	<i>Date of appointment</i>
Hon Sussan Ley MP (Farrer, NSW, LP) <i>(elected Chair on 22.06.2017)</i>	09.02.2017
Mr Josh Wilson MP (Fremantle, WA, ALP) <i>(elected Deputy Chair on 13.10.2016)</i>	10.10.2016
Mr Andrew Broad MP (Mallee, VIC, NATS)	14.09.2016
Ms Gai Brodtmann MP (Canberra, ACT, ALP)	10.10.2016
Senator Stirling Griff (SA, NXT)	11.10.2016
Senator Pauline Hanson (QLD, PHON)	11.10.2016
Mr Luke Howarth MP (Petrie, QLD, LP)	14.09.2016
Senator Jane Hume (VIC, LP)	15.09.2016
Mr Stephen Jones MP (Whitlam, NSW, ALP)	30.11.2016
Senator Chris Ketter (QLD, ALP)	15.09.2016
Senator Scott Ludlam (WA, AG)	15.09.2016
Ms Cathy McGowan MP (Indi, VIC, IND)	10.10.2016
Mr Brian Mitchell MP (Lyons, TAS, ALP)	10.10.2016
Senator Deborah O'Neill (NSW, ALP)	15.09.2016
Senator Dean Smith (WA, LP)	15.09.2016
Senator Anne Urquhart (TAS, ALP)	15.09.2016
Mrs Lucy Wicks MP (Robertson, NSW, LP) <i>(Chair 13.10.2016–22.06.2017)</i>	14.09.2016
<b>Former members</b>	<i>Term of appointment</i>
Ms Michelle Rowland MP (Greenway, NSW, ALP)	10.10.2016–30.11.2016
Mr Michael Sukkar MP (Deakin, VIC, LP)	14.09.2016–24.01.2017
Senator John Williams (NSW, NATS)	15.09.2016–11.10.2016

## Inquiries

*As at 01.01.2017*

<b>Inquiry Name</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Public Hearings</b> <i>01.01.2017–30.06.2017</i>	<b>Reports Tabled</b>	<b>Current Inquiry</b> <i>As at 30.06.2017</i>
Inquire into and report on the rollout of the National Broadband Network	14.09.2016	24.03.2017—Canberra 06.04.2017—Redcliffe, QLD 07.04.2017—Townsville, QLD 19.04.2017—Melbourne 20.04.2017—Wodonga, VIC 23.06.2017—Canberra 26.06.2017—Port Augusta, SA 27.06.2017—Adelaide 28.06.2017—Darwin	Nil	Yes

## New References

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

## Government Responses

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

*OOS (Out of session)*

*HoR (House of Representatives)*

**National Disability Insurance Scheme  
(Joint Standing)**

## National Disability Insurance Scheme

1 January 2017 - 30 June 2017

	Matters current as at 1 January 2017	Matters referred during period	Reports tabled that discharge a reference	Current inquiries as at 30 June 2017
Joint Standing	3	2	0	5

Number and Hours of Meeting										
	Public	Hrs	Public Estimates	Hrs	Private	Hrs	Insp/Other	Hrs	Total Meetings	Total Hours
Joint Standing	7	31:22	0	0:00	4	3:05	0	0:00	11	34:27

Meetings By State								
	ACT	NSW	VIC	TAS	SA	WA	NT	QLD
Joint Standing	7	1	3	0	0	0	0	0

Witnesses						
	Broadcast Hearings	Estimates	Bills	General	Number of Submissions	Government Responses
Joint Standing	7	0	0	159	197	0

# National Disability Insurance Scheme (Joint Standing)

*1 January 2017 to 30 June 2017*

<b>Method of appointment</b>	
Pursuant to a resolution of the House of Representatives of 1 September 2016, agreed to by the Senate on 12 September 2016	
<b>Current members</b>	<i>Date of appointment</i>
The Hon Kevin Andrews MP (Menzies, VIC, LP) <i>(elected Chair on 15.09.2016)</i>	14.09.2016
Senator Alex Gallacher (SA, ALP) <i>(elected Deputy Chair on 12.10.2016)</i>	15.09.2016
Senator Carol Brown (TAS, ALP)	11.10.2016
Senator Jonathon Duniham (TAS, LP)	12.09.2016
Senator Jane Hume (VIC, LP)	12.09.2016
Ms Emma Husar MP (Lindsay, NSW, ALP)	15.09.2016
The Hon Jenny Macklin MP (Jagajaga, VIC, ALP)	15.09.2016
Senator Rachel Siewert (WA, AG)	12.09.2016
Mrs Ann Sudmalis MP (Gilmore, NSW, LP)	14.09.2016
Mr Andrew Wallace MP (Fisher, QLD, LP)	09.11.2016
<b>Former members</b>	<i>Term of appointment</i>
Senator Katy Gallagher (ACT, ALP)	12.09.2016–15.09.2016
Ms Sarah Henderson MP (Corangamite, VIC, LP)	14.09.2016–09.11.2016
Senator Malarndirri McCarthy (NT, ALP)	12.09.2016–11.10.2016

## Inquiries

*As at 01.01.2017*

<b>Inquiry Name</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Public Hearings</b> <i>01.01.2017–30.06.2017</i>	<b>Reports Tabled</b>	<b>Current Inquiry</b> <i>As at 30.06.2017</i>
Review of the implementation, performance and governance of the National Disability Insurance Scheme; review the administration and expenditure of the National Disability Insurance Scheme; and review of any other matter relating to the scheme referred to it by either House of the Parliament	12.09.2016	12.05.2017—Canberra 17.05.2017—Penrith, NSW	Nil	Yes
Provision of hearing services under the NDIS	30.11.2016 (Adopted by committee)	20.02.2017—Melbourne 24.03.2017—East Melbourne	Nil	Yes
Provision of services under the NDIS for people with psychosocial disabilities related to a mental health condition	30.11.2016 (Adopted by committee)	28.04.2017—Melbourne 12.05.2017—Canberra 17.05.2017—Penrith, NSW 16.06.2017—Canberra	Nil	Yes

## New References

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

<b>Inquiry Name</b>	<b>Date Referred</b>	<b>Public Hearings</b> <i>01.01.2017–30.06.2017</i>	<b>Reports Tabled</b>	<b>Current Inquiry</b> <i>As at 30.06.2017</i>
Provision of services under the NDIS Early Childhood Early Intervention Approach	21.06.2017 (Adopted by committee)	Nil	Nil	Yes
Transitional arrangements for the NDIS	21.06.2017 (Adopted by committee)	Nil	Nil	Yes

## **Government Responses**

*01.01.2017–30.06.2017*

Nil

*OOS (Out of session)*

*HoR (House of Representatives)*

