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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 expiration 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 expiration of three years from the first meeting of the House.

Sitting period

Sitting periods occur within a session. The sittings of the House in each calendar year are divided into three distinct periods: the Autumn sittings, from January/February to March; the Winter (or Budget) sittings, from May to June/July; and the Spring sittings, from August to November/December.

Sitting

A sitting commences as set down by 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.

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Sitting periods in this session (to date):

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WORK OF THE HOUSE

STATISTICAL SUMMARY

*Spring
sittings
2013*

House	
Sitting weeks	4
Sitting days	15
Hours of sittings*	
Including suspensions of sittings [†]	150
Excluding suspensions of sittings	147
Federation Chamber	
Meetings	9
Hours of meetings*	
Including suspensions [#]	39
Excluding suspensions	29
Private Members' business	
Private Members' motions moved and debated	17
90 second statements by private Members	111
3 minute constituency statements in Federation Chamber	100
Other opportunities for private Members (days occurring)	
Adjournment motion debated in House	10
Adjournment motion debated in Federation Chamber	3
Grievance debate called on and debated	3
Matters of public importance discussed	8
Closures and divisions	
Closure of Member agreed to	9
Closure of question agreed to	14
Divisions	60
Parliamentary committees	
Reports presented [^]	17
Petitions	
Petitions presented	25
Signatures to petitions	33,448
Ministerial responses presented	27
Questions	
Questions in writing (placed on Notice Paper)	38
Oral questions (without notice)	277
Average number of oral questions asked for each sitting day on which question time occurred	19.8

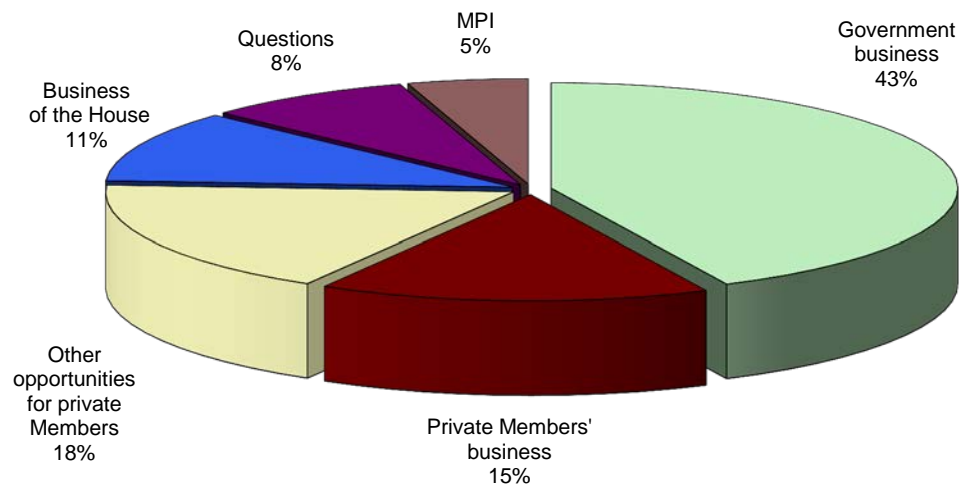
* Adjusted to the nearest hour.

[†] For example: suspensions overnight during extended sittings.

[#] For example: suspensions for divisions and other proceedings in House.

[^] Includes advisory reports on bills and 12 reports presented to the Speaker out of session in the 43rd Parliament under SO 247 and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

BUSINESS CONDUCTED IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SPRING 2013



Includes time spent in the Federation Chamber.

Government business includes government sponsored legislation and motions (including motions to suspend standing orders) and ministerial statements.

Private Members' business includes legislation and motions (including motions to suspend standing orders) sponsored by private Members and statements by Members.

Other opportunities for private Members includes adjournment and grievance debates.

Business of the House includes time spent on petitions, giving notices, presentation of papers (excluding motions to take note), privilege matters, personal explanations, dissent motions, announcements of ministerial arrangements, motions to appoint committees (unless moved by private Members), statements and debate on committee reports, motions for addresses, motions of condolence, leave of absence and special adjournment.

SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE — 2013

JANUARY						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

FEBRUARY						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28			

MARCH						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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APRIL						
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29	30					

MAY						
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

JUNE						
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

JULY						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

AUGUST						
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

SEPTEMBER						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
30						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

OCTOBER						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

NOVEMBER						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

DECEMBER						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
30	31					1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

Note: The 43rd Parliament was prorogued and the House of Representatives dissolved on 5 August 2013 and a general election was held on 7 September 2013. The 44th Parliament commenced on 12 November 2013.

LEGISLATION

GENERAL STATISTICS

	<i>Spring Sittings 2013</i>
Carried over from previous sittings	0
Initiated in House of Representatives—	
Government bills	44
Private Members' bills	1
Received from Senate—	
Government bills	2
Private Senators' bills	0
Total introduced	47
Passed both Houses and assented to	14
Not passed into law—	
Still before House	9
Still before Senate	23
Negatived, discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in House	0
House bills negatived, discharged or removed from Notice Paper in Senate	1
Second reading amendments moved	7
Bills referred to—	
Federation Chamber	8
House/Joint committee by House/Senate	2
House /Joint committee by Minister	0
Bills adopted by committees for inquiry	0
Bills initiated in House and amended in—	
House	2
Senate	1
Bills initiated in Senate and amended by House	0
Bills with amendments requested by Senate and made by House	1
Bills declared urgent ('guillotined') or otherwise subjected to limitation of time	13
Number of pages in bills (as introduced in House)	1099

BILLS PASSED INTO LAW

Bills passed both Houses and assented to	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Date of assent</i>	<i>Act No. of 2013</i>
Australian Capital Territory Water Management Legislation Amendment 2013 (<i>Senate bill</i>)	11 Dec	17 Dec	147
Australian Civilian Corps Amendment 2013	20 Nov	13 Dec	140
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock Amendment 2013 ¹	13 Nov	10 Dec	135
Customs Amendment (Anti-Dumping Commission Transfer) 2013	14 Nov	13 Dec	139
Grape and Wine Legislation Amendment (Australian Grape and Wine Authority) 2013	14 Nov	13 Dec	136
Import Processing Charges Amendment 2013	21 Nov	13 Dec	143
Indigenous Education (Targeted Assistance) Amendment (No. 2) 2013 (<i>Senate bill</i>)	11 Dec	17 Dec	148
Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Amendment (Cash Bidding) 2013	20 Nov	13 Dec	141
Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage (Regulatory Levies) Amendment 2013	20 Nov	13 Dec	142
Primary Industries (Customs) Charges Amendment 2013	20 Nov	13 Dec	144
Primary Industries (Customs) Charges Amendment (Australian Grape and Wine Authority) 2013	14 Nov	13 Dec	137
Primary Industries (Excise) Levies Amendment 2013	20 Nov	13 Dec	145
Primary Industries (Excise) Levies Amendment (Australian Grape and Wine Authority) 2013	14 Nov	13 Dec	138
Rural Research and Development Legislation Amendment 2013	20 Nov	13 Dec	146

Bills passed both Houses and assented to — Total: 14

¹ House disagreed to Senate amendment (*14 Nov*). Senate did not insist on its amendment to which the House disagreed, and made a request for an amendment in its place, and made 2 further amendments to the bill; House agreed to Senate request for an amendment in place of amendment disagreed to, and agreed to the further amendments made by the Senate (*9 Dec*).

BILLS NOT PASSED INTO LAW

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

Bills still before House	<i>First reading</i>	<i>Second reading moved</i>
Education Services for Overseas Students Amendment 2013	4 Dec	4 Dec
High Speed Rail Planning Authority 2013 (<i>Private Member's bill</i>)	9 Dec	
Migration Amendment 2013	12 Dec	12 Dec
Private Health Insurance Legislation Amendment 2013	12 Dec	12 Dec
Tax Bonus For Working Australians Repeal 2013	12 Dec	12 Dec
Telecommunications Legislation Amendment (Consumer Protection) 2013	14 Nov	14 Nov
Therapeutic Goods Amendment (2013 Measures No. 1) 2013	12 Dec	12 Dec
Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment 2013 (<i>Formal bill</i>)	12 Nov	
Veterans' Affairs Legislation Amendment (Miscellaneous Measures) 2013	12 Dec	12 Dec

Bills still before House — Total: 9

Bills still before Senate	<i>Second reading moved</i>	<i>Third reading</i>
Australian Research Council Amendment 2013	14 Nov	10 Dec
Building and Construction Industry (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) 2013	14 Nov	12 Dec
Building and Construction Industry (Improving Productivity) 2013	14 Nov	12 Dec
Clean Energy (Income Tax Rates and Other Amendments) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Clean Energy Legislation (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Climate Change Authority (Abolition) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Customs Tariff Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Environment Legislation Amendment 2013 ²	14 Nov	9 Dec
Excise Tariff Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Amendment 2013	14 Nov	12 Dec
Higher Education Support Amendment (Savings and Other Measures) 2013	21 Nov	3 Dec
Infrastructure Australia Amendment 2013	20 Nov	10 Dec
Migration Amendment (Regaining Control Over Australia's Protection Obligations) 2013	4 Dec	11 Dec
Minerals Resource Rent Tax Repeal and Other Measures 2013	13 Nov	20 Nov
National Health Amendment (Simplified Price Disclosure) 2013	21 Nov	5 Dec
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Import Levy) Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Import Levy) (Transitional Provisions) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Manufacture Levy) Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
Social Services and Other Legislation Amendment 2013 ³	20 Nov	4 Dec
Tax Laws Amendment (Research and Development) 2013	14 Nov	9 Dec
Telecommunications Legislation Amendment (Submarine Cable Protection) 2013	14 Nov	5 Dec
True-up Shortfall Levy (Excise) (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov
True-up Shortfall Levy (General) (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	13 Nov	21 Nov

Bills still before Senate — Total: 23

² Amended in House (9 Dec).

³ Amended in House (4 Dec).

There were no House bills negated, discharged, laid aside or removed from the Notice Paper in the House

Bills negated, discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in Senate	<i>First reading moved</i>	<i>Second reading negated</i>	<i>Discharged or removed</i>
Clean Energy Finance Corporation (Abolition) 2013	13 Nov	10 Dec	

Bills negated, discharged, laid aside or removed from Notice Paper in Senate — Total: 1

Second reading amendments moved	<i>Moved</i>	<i>Mover</i>
Building and Construction Industry (Improving Productivity) 2013	2 Dec	Mr O'Connor
Clean Energy Legislation (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013	18 Nov	Mr Butler
Environment Legislation Amendment 2013	9 Dec	Mr Butler
Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Amendment 2013	3 Dec	Mr O'Connor
National Health Amendment (Simplified Price Disclosure) 2013	5 Dec	Ms King
Tax Laws Amendment (Research and Development) 2013	9 Dec	Mr Conroy
Telecommunications Legislation Amendment (Submarine Cable Protection) 2013	4 Dec	Mr Clare

Second reading amendments moved — Total: 7

Bills referred to Federation Chamber	<i>Referred</i>	<i>Returned</i>
Grape and Wine Legislation Amendment (Australian Grape and Wine Authority) 2013 ^{WA}	2 Dec	2 Dec
Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Amendment (Cash Bidding) 2013 ^{WA}	4 Dec	4 Dec
Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage (Regulatory Levies) Amendment 2013 ^{WA}	4 Dec	4 Dec
Primary Industries (Customs) Charges Amendment 2013 ^{WA}	4 Dec	5 Dec
Primary Industries (Customs) Charges Amendment (Australian Grape and Wine Authority) 2013 ^{WA}	2 Dec	2 Dec
Primary Industries (Excise) Levies Amendment 2013 ^{WA}	4 Dec	5 Dec
Primary Industries (Excise) Levies Amendment (Australian Grape and Wine Authority) 2013 ^{WA}	2 Dec	2 Dec
Rural Research and Development Legislation Amendment 2013 ^{WA}	4 Dec	5 Dec

Bills referred to Federation Chamber — Total: 8

Bills returned from Federation Chamber — Total: 8

^{WA} Without amendment.

Bills referred to House and joint committees[◊]	<i>Referred</i>	<i>Reported</i>
Electoral Matters—Joint Standing Committee—Commonwealth Electoral Amendment (Above the Line Voting) 2013 (<i>Private Senator's bill</i>) ^S	12 Dec	
Infrastructure and Communications—Standing Committee—High Speed Rail Planning Authority 2013 (<i>Private Member's bill</i>)	12 Dec	

Bills referred to committees — Total: 2

Bills reported on by committees — Total: 0

Bills declared urgent ('guillotined') or otherwise subjected to limitation of time

Clean Energy Finance Corporation (Abolition) 2013
Clean Energy (Income Tax Rates and Other Amendments) 2013
Clean Energy Legislation (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013
Climate Change Authority (Abolition) 2013
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock Amendment 2013
Customs Tariff Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013
Excise Tariff Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013
Minerals Resource Rent Tax Repeal and Other Measures 2013
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Import Levy) Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Import Levy) (Transitional Provisions) 2013
Ozone Protection and Synthetic Greenhouse Gas (Manufacture Levy) Amendment (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013
True-Up Shortfall Levy (Excise) (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013
True-Up Shortfall Levy (General) (Carbon Tax Repeal) 2013

Bills subjected to limitation of time — Total: 13

[◊] Bills were referred by House Selection Committee unless marked otherwise.

^S Referred by Senate prior to introduction in the House.

TARIFF PROPOSALS

Customs Tariff Proposal	<i>Moved</i>	Excise Tariff Proposal	<i>Moved</i>
Customs Tariff Proposal (No. 2) 2013	10 Dec	Excise Tariff Proposal (No. 1) 2013	10 Dec

MOTIONS

There were no approval motions

Disallowance motions

Aged Care (Residential Care Subsidy – Workforce Supplement Amount) Determination 2013 made under the *Aged Care Act 1997* (*Mr Hartsuyker, 12 Dec*); debated and agreed to

Division 2.4 of the Aged Care (Home Care Subsidy Amount) Determination 2013 made under the *Aged Care Act 1997* (*Mr Hartsuyker, 12 Dec*); debated and agreed to

Division 2.5 of the Aged Care (Flexible Care Subsidy Amount – Multi-Purpose Services) Determination 2013 (No. 2) made under the *Aged Care Act 1997* (*Mr Hartsuyker, 12 Dec*); debated and agreed to

Inclusion of River Murray and associated wetlands, floodplains and groundwater systems, from the junction with the Darling River to the sea in the list of threatened ecological communities made under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* on 5 August 2013 (*Mr Pasin, 11 Dec*); debated and agreed to

Inclusion of the wetlands and inner floodplains of the Macquarie Marshes in the list of threatened ecological communities made under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* on 5 August 2013 (*Mr Coulton, 11 Dec*); debated and agreed to

Residential Care Subsidy Amendment (Workforce Supplement) Principle 2013 made under the *Aged Care Act 1997* (*Mr Hartsuyker, 12 Dec*); debated and agreed to

There were no approvals of work

Censure/Want of confidence—motion moved

Prime Minister (*Mr Shorten, 12 Dec*); debated and amendment moved (*Mr Pyne*); amendment agreed to; motion, as amended, agreed to

Committees—motions moved
Appointment and discharge of members—
Agriculture and Industry—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Appropriations and Administration—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity—Joint Statutory Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Broadcasting of Parliamentary Proceedings—Joint Statutory Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Constitutional Recognition of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples—Joint Select Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Corporations and Financial Services—Joint Statutory Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Economics—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Education and Employment—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Electoral Matters—Joint Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Environment—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade—Joint Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Health—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
House—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Human Rights—Joint Statutory Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Indigenous Affairs—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Infrastructure and Communications—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Intelligence and Security—Joint Statutory Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 12 Dec</i>); agreed to
Law Enforcement—Joint Statutory Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Migration—Joint Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
National Capital and External Territories—Joint Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
National Disability Insurance Scheme—Joint Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Northern Australia—Joint Select Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 9 Dec</i>); agreed to
Parliamentary Library—Joint Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Petitions—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Privileges and Members' Interests—Standing Committee— (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to (<i>Mr Robert, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to (<i>Mr Fletcher, 5 Dec</i>); agreed to
Procedure—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Public Accounts and Audit—Joint Statutory Committee— (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to (<i>Mr Tudge, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to
Publications—Standing Committee (<i>Mr Pyne, 4 Dec</i>); agreed to

Committees—motions moved (<i>continued</i>)
<p>Appointment and discharge of members (<i>cont.</i>)—</p> <p>Public Works—Joint Statutory Committee— <i>(Mr Pyne, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to <i>(Mr Tudge, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p>
<p>Selection—Standing Committee— <i>(Mr Pyne, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to <i>(Mr Tudge, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p>
<p>Social Policy and Legal Affairs—Standing Committee <i>(Mr Pyne, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p>
<p>Tax and Revenue—Standing Committee <i>(Mr Pyne, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p>
<p>Treaties—Joint Standing Committee— <i>(Mr Pyne, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to <i>(Mr Tudge, 4 Dec)</i>; agreed to <i>(Mr Briggs, 11 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p>
<p>Proposed powers and proceedings—</p> <p>Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity—Joint Statutory Committee <i>(Mr Pyne, 21 Nov)</i>; agreed to; Senate concurred <i>(2 Dec)</i></p> <p>Corporations and Financial Services—Joint Statutory Committee <i>(Mr Pyne, 21 Nov)</i>; agreed to; Senate concurred <i>(2 Dec)</i></p> <p>Human Rights—Joint Statutory Committee <i>(Mr Pyne, 21 Nov)</i>; agreed to; Senate concurred <i>(2 Dec)</i></p> <p>Law Enforcement—Joint Statutory Committee <i>(Mr Pyne, 21 Nov)</i>; agreed to; Senate concurred <i>(2 Dec)</i></p>
<p>Reference of work—Public Works— Joint Statutory Committee —</p> <p>Australian Capital Territory—CSIRO Consolidation Project <i>(Mr McCormack, 10 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p> <p>Clayton, Victoria— CSIRO Clayton Property Strategy <i>(Mr McCormack, 11 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p> <p>Craigieburn, Victoria—Reserve Bank of Australia, National Banknote Site <i>(Mr McCormack, 10 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p> <p>Dandenong, Victoria—Integrated fit-out of new leased premises for the Australian Taxation Office at the site known as Site 5 and 6, the Revitalising Central Dandenong Project <i>(Mr McCormack, 10 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p> <p>Nairobi, Kenya—Construction of a new Australian High Commission <i>(Mr McCormack, 10 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p> <p>Northern Territory—Development and construction of housing for Defence at RAAF Base Tindal <i>(Mr McCormack, 10 Dec)</i>; agreed to</p>

Committees—motions moved (*continued*)

Resolution of appointment—

Constitutional Recognition of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples—Joint Select Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*)

Electoral Matters—Joint Standing Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*); Senate amendment to resolution of appointment (*5 Dec*); agreed to

Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade—Joint Standing Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*)

Migration—Joint Standing Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*)

National Capital and External Territories—Joint Standing Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*)

National Disability Insurance Scheme—Joint Standing Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*)

Northern Australia—Joint Select Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred with amendments (*4 Dec*); amendments agreed to

Parliamentary Library—Joint Standing Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*)

Treaties—Joint Standing Committee (*Mr Pyne, 21 Nov*); agreed to; Senate concurred (*2 Dec*)

Condolence motions

Condolence motion on the death of—

The Honourable David Scott Thomson MC (*Mr Abbott, 12 Nov*); debated and referred to Federation Chamber (*Mr Pyne*); debated in Federation Chamber; agreed to in House (*19 Nov*)

Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela AC (*Mr Truss, 9 Dec*); debated and referred to Federation Chamber (*Mr Pyne*); debated in Federation Chamber; agreed to in House (*12 Dec*)

Private Members' motions	Mover	Moved
Australia Post ^{FC}	Ms King	2 Dec
Doctor Who 50 th anniversary ^{FC}	Mr Christensen	18 Nov
East Timorese support of Australian troops	Mr Ruddock	18 Nov
Economic Growth Plan for Tasmania	Mr Nikolic	2 Dec
GST on moveable homes ^{FC}	Ms Hall	18 Nov
Health Workforce Australia	Ms Rishworth	9 Dec
Human rights in Vietnam ^{FC}	Hr Hayes	2 Dec
Lung Cancer Awareness Month ^{FC}	Ms Rishworth	2 Dec
National Body Image awareness program	Ms Claydon	9 Dec
New South Wales bushfire recovery processes	Mr Husic	9 Dec
Postcodes ^{FC}	Mrs Prentice	18 Nov
Rural Clinical Schools	Dr Stone	2 Dec
Super-typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines	Mr Husic	18 Nov
Urban public transport projects	Mr S. P. Jones	2 Dec
WestConnex project in Sydney	Mr C. A. Laundry	9 Dec
White Ribbon Day	Mr Hayes	18 Nov
World AIDS Day ^{FC}	Ms O'Dwyer	2 Dec

Private Members' motions moved and debated — Total: 17

^{FC} Moved in Federation Chamber.

Procedural motions	<i>Mover</i>	<i>Moved</i>	<i>Agreed to</i>	<i>Not agreed to</i>
Leave of absence to all Members	Mr Pyne	12 Dec	12 Dec	
Proposed program of sittings for: 2013 2014	Mr Pyne Mr Pyne	12 Nov 2 Dec	12 Nov 2 Dec	
Resolution—Broadcasting of proceedings	Mr Pyne	9 Dec <i>debated</i>	9 Dec	
Standing Orders—Amendments	Mr Pyne Mr Pyne	13 Nov <i>debated</i> 14 Nov	13 Nov 14 Nov	
<i>Suspension of standing orders</i> Suspension of standing orders 31 (automatic adjournment of the House) and 33 (limit on business after normal time of adjournment)	Mr Pyne	12 Dec	12 Dec	
Suspension of standing orders to allow a motion to be moved that the— House calls on the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection to make an explanation House censures the Prime Minister House condemns the Government	Mr A. S. Burke Mr Shorten Mr Shorten Mr A. S. Burke	13 Nov <i>debated</i> 14 Nov <i>debated</i> 2 Dec <i>debated</i> 10 Dec <i>debated</i>	 2 Dec <i>as amended</i>	13 Nov <i>negated</i> 14 Nov <i>negated</i> 10 Dec <i>negated</i>
Suspension of standing orders to allow a motion to be moved to amend a bill	Mr Albanese	10 Dec <i>debated</i>		10 Dec <i>negated</i>
Suspension of standing orders to allow disallowance motions to be called on immediately and considered together	Mr Hunt Mr Hartsuyker	11 Dec 12 Dec <i>debated</i>	11 Dec 12 Dec	

Procedural motions <i>(continued)</i>	<i>Mover</i>	<i>Moved</i>	<i>Agreed to</i>	<i>Not agreed to</i>
<i>Suspension of standing orders (cont.)</i> Suspension of standing orders to allow the motion for the third reading of a bill to be moved without delay	Mr Pyne	10 Dec <i>debated</i>	10 Dec	
Suspension of standing orders to allow the Selection Committee to meet to determine the order of private Members' business and committee and delegation business for the following Monday, and in the absence of a fully constituted Selection Committee, arrangements to be determined by the Speaker, the Chief Government Whip and the Chief Opposition Whip	Mr Pyne Mr Pyne	14 Nov 20 Nov	14 Nov 20 Nov	
Suspension of standing orders to allow time for a speech in reply to a ministerial statement on— Australian Government's Aviation Safety Regulation Review Conclusion of Free Trade Agreement negotiations with Korea Strategic review of the National Broadband Network	Mr Truss Mr Robb Mr Turnbull	14 Nov 12 Dec 12 Dec	14 Nov 12 Dec 12 Dec	
Suspension of standing orders to modify the procedures for the consideration and passage of certain bills	Mr Pyne Mr Pyne Mr Pyne Mr Hockey	13 Nov <i>debated</i> 18 Nov <i>debated</i> 19 Nov <i>debated</i> 9 Dec	13 Nov 18 Nov 19 Nov 9 Dec	

Other motions

Automotive and manufacturing sector (*Mr O'Connor, 11 Dec*) debated and amendment moved (*Mr Pyne*); amendment agreed to; motion, as amended, agreed to

Dissent from Speaker's ruling—
(*Mr A. S. Burke, 13 Nov*); debated and negatived
(*Mr A. S. Burke, 21 Nov*); debated and negatived
(*Mr A. S. Burke, 10 Dec*); debated and negatived

National apology for forced adoptions and removal policies and practices (*Mr Pyne, 3 Dec*); agreed to

Retirement of Mr B. C. Wright, Clerk of the House (*Mr Abbott, 12 Dec*); agreed to

OTHER BUSINESS

Statements by Speaker	<i>Date</i>
Printed proof Hansards in the Chamber	21 Nov
Clean Energy Legislation	21 Nov

Ministerial statements	<i>Minister</i>	<i>Date</i>
Australian Government's Aviation Safety Regulation Review	Mr Truss	14 Nov
Conclusion of Free Trade Agreement negotiations with Korea	Mr Robb	12 Dec
Strategic review of the National Broadband Network	Mr Turnbull	12 Dec

Ministerial statements — Total: 3

Matters of public importance discussed	<i>Proposer</i>	<i>Date</i>
Asylum seeker policy	Mr Marles	20 Nov
Automotive industry	Mr O'Connor	10 Dec
Child care assistance	Ms Ellis	19 Nov
Debt	Mr Bowen	4 Dec
Education reform	Mr Shorten	3 Dec
Government	Mr Shorten	13 Nov
Infrastructure Australia	Mr Albanese	11 Dec
Public confidence	Mr Shorten	5 Dec

Matters of public importance discussed — Total: 8

Parliamentary delegation reports	<i>Presented</i>
Australian Parliamentary Delegation—report on visit to— 129th Inter-Parliamentary Union Assembly in Geneva, Switzerland 6 to 10 October 2013 Afghanistan from 28 April to 1 May 2013	12 Dec 9 Dec

COMMITTEES

Agriculture and Industry (Standing)

Membership

Mr Ramsey (*Chair*), Ms O'Neil (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Fitzgibbon, Ms M. L. Landry, Ms McGowan, Mr Pasin, Ms Price, Mr Tehan, Mr Wilson and Mr Zappia

Appropriations and Administration (Standing)

Membership

Mrs B. K. Bishop (*Speaker*) (*Chair*), Ms Owens (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Broadbent, Ms Claydon, Mr Coulton, Ms Hall, Mr Hayes, Mr O'Dowd and Mr Ruddock

Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Mr Matheson (*Chair*), Senator Furner (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Edwards, Mr Hayes, Senator Parry, Mr Porter, Senator Singh, Mr Wood and Mr Zappia

Broadcasting of Parliamentary Proceedings (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Mrs B. K. Bishop (*Speaker*) (*Chair*), Senator Hogg (*President*) (*Vice Chair*), Ms Bird, Mr Coulton, Mr Griffin, Ms Henderson, Senator Parry, Senator Stephens and Mr Tehan

Constitutional Recognition of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples (Joint Select) (*established 2 Dec*)

Membership

Mr Wyatt (*Chair*), Senator Peris (*Deputy Chair*), Mr S. P. Jones, Senator McKenzie, Mr Neumann, Mr Porter, Senator Ruston and Senator Siewert

Report

Progress report on the work of the committee[∞] (*presented 13 Nov*)

[∞] Tabled in the Senate in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

Corporations and Financial Services (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Senator Fawcett (*Chair*), Senator Dastyari (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Bushby, Mr Coleman, Senator Madigan, Ms Owens, Senator Singh, Mr Smith, Mr Sukkar and Mr Watts

Reports

Financial sector reform in China: the role of, and opportunities for, the Australian financial services sector; Parliamentary delegation to China[∞] (*presented 13 Nov*)

Statutory oversight of the Australian Securities and Investments Commission: the role of gatekeepers in Australia's financial services system[§] (*sent to Speaker under SO 247, 31 Jul; presented, 13 Nov*)

Cyber-Safety (Joint Select) (*dissolved 5 Aug, 43rd Parliament*)

Report

Issues surrounding cyber-safety for Indigenous Australians[∞] (*presented 13 Nov*)

Economics (Standing)

Membership

Ms O'Dwyer (*Chair*), Mr Husic (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Buchholz, Dr Chalmers, Mr Coleman, Mr Conroy, Dr Hendy, Mr Hogan, Mr Kelly and Mr Palmer

Current inquiry

Review of the Reserve Bank Annual Report 2013 (First Report)

Education and Employment (Standing)

Membership

Mr E. T. Jones (*Chair*), Ms MacTiernan (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs K. L. Andrews, Ms Ellis, Mr Hawke, Mrs McNamara, Ms Owens, Ms Sudmalis, Mr Watts and Mr Williams

[∞] Tabled in the Senate in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

[§] Presented out of session in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

Electoral Matters (Joint Standing)

Membership

Mr Smith (*Chair*), Mr Griffin (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Faulkner, Mr Goodenough, Mr Gray, Mr Hawke, Senator Kroger, Senator Rhiannon, Senator Ruston and Senator Tillem

Current inquiries

Inquiry into the 2013 Federal Election

Inquiry into the Commonwealth Electoral Amendment (Above the Line Voting) Bill 2013

Environment (Standing)

Membership

Mr Hawke (*Chair*), Mr Zappia (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Broad, Mr Butler, Mr Dreyfus, Mr Giles, Ms Marino, Mr Pasin, Mr Varvaris and Mr Wood

Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade (Joint Standing)

Membership

Ms Gambaro (*Chair*), Mr Champion (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Bishop (*from 12 Dec*), Mr Danby, Senator Eggleston, Senator Fawcett, Mr Feeney, Mr Ferguson, Senator Furner, Mr Griffin, Mr Hawke, Dr Jensen, Mr E. T. Jones, Mr Kelly, Senator Kroger, Senator Ludwig (*to 12 Dec*), Senator Macdonald, Mr Marles, Senator McEwen, Mr Nikolic, Senator Parry, Ms Plibersek, Mr Randall, Mr Roy, Mr Ruddock, Mr B. C. Scott, Mr Simpkins, Senator Singh, Senator Stephens, Dr Stone, Ms Vamvakinou, Senator Whish-Wilson and Senator Xenophon

Report

Review of the Defence annual report 2011-2012[∞] (*presented 13 Nov*)

Health (Standing)

Membership

Mr Irons (*Chair*), Ms Rishworth (*Deputy Chair*), Ms L. M. Chesters, Ms Hall, Ms Henderson, Mr Laming, Ms Parke, Dr Southcott, Ms Sudmalis and Mr Wyatt

[∞] Tabled in the Senate in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

House (Standing)

Membership

Mrs B. K. Bishop (*Speaker*), Mr Broadbent, Ms Hall, Mr Hayes, Mr O'Dowd, Mr Ruddock and Ms Ryan

Human Rights (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Senator Smith (*Chair*), Mr Ferguson (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Boyce, Dr Gillespie, Mr Laming, Senator Lundy, Ms Rowland, Senator Stephens, Senator Wright and Mr Wyatt

Reports

Annual report 2012-2013 (*presented 11 Dec*)

Examination of legislation in accordance with the *Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011*—
1st Report of 44th Parliament: Bills introduced 12 November – 5 December 2013, Legislative Instruments received 8 June – 22 November 2013 (*presented 11 Dec*)

Indigenous Affairs (Standing)

Membership

Dr Stone (*Chair*), Mr Snowdon (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Giles, Ms M. L. Landry, Mr Neumann, Mr Perrett, Ms Price, Mr Ramsey, Ms F. M. Scott and Mr van Manen

Infrastructure and Communications (Standing)

Membership

Mrs Prentice (*Chair*), Mr Thistlethwaite (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Brough, Mr S. P. Jones, Ms Marino, Mr Palmer, Mr Pitt, Ms Price, Ms Rowland and Mrs Wicks

Current inquiry

Inquiry into the High Speed Rail Planning Authority Bill 2013

Report

At what cost? IT pricing and the Australia tax⁵ (*sent to Speaker under SO 247, 29 Jul; presented 13 Nov*)

⁵ Presented out of session in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

Intelligence and Security (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Mr Tehan (*Chair*), Mr Byrne (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Bishop, Senator Eggleston, Senator Faulkner, Senator Fawcett, Senator Ludwig, Mr Nikolic, Ms Plibersek, Mr Ruddock and Mr B. C. Scott

Current inquiries

Review of Administration and Expenditure No. 12 (2012-2013) - Australian Intelligence Agencies

Review of the re-listing of Al-Qa'ida in the Arabian Peninsula

Review of the listing of Jabhat al-Nusra and the re-listing of six terrorist organisations

Law Enforcement (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Mr van Manen (*Chair*), Senator Singh (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Edwards, Mrs Elliot, Senator Furner, Mr Matheson, Senator Parry, Ms Vamvakinou and Mr Wood

Report

Spectrum for public safety mobile broadband⁵ (*sent to Speaker under SO 247, 23 Jul; presented 13 Nov*)

Migration (Joint Standing)

Membership

Mrs Markus (*Chair*), Ms Vamvakinou (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Dastyari, Senator Edwards, Senator Hanson-Young, Mr Kelly, Mr C. A. Laundy, Mr Thistlethwaite, Senator Williams and Mr Zappia

National Capital and External Territories (Joint Standing)

Membership

Mr Simpkins (*Chair*), Senator Brown (*from 9 Dec*) (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Brodtmann, Mrs Griggs, Senator Hanson-Young, Senator Kroger, Senator Lundy, Senator Peris (*to 9 Dec*), Mr B. C. Scott, Senator Seselja, Mr Snowdon and Mr Vasta

Reports

Visit to the Indian Ocean Territories, 21-25 October 2012[∞] (*presented 13 Nov*)

The provision of amenity within the Parliamentary Triangle[∞] (*presented 13 Nov*)

⁵ Presented out of session in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

[∞] Tabled in the Senate in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

National Disability Insurance Scheme (Joint Standing)

Membership

Mr Brough (*Chair*), Senator Gallacher (*from 11 Dec*) (*Deputy Chair*), Dr Gillespie, Ms Hall, Ms Macklin, Senator McKenzie, Ms Rishworth, Mr Roy, Senator Seselja, Senator Siewert, Senator Smith, Senator Stephens and Senator Urquhart (*to 11 Dec*)

Northern Australia (Joint Select) (*established 4 Dec*)

Membership

Mr Entsch (*Chair*), Ms MacTiernan (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Boyce, Mr Christensen, Senator Eggleston, Mr Gray, Mrs Griggs, Senator McLucas, Senator O'Neill, Ms Price, Senator Siewert and Mr Snowdon

Current inquiry

The development of Northern Australia

Parliamentary Library (Joint Standing)

Membership

Senator Boswell (*Joint Chair*), Ms Brodtmann (*Joint Chair*), Mr Broadbent, Mr Danby, Ms Hall, Mr Irons, Senator Seselja, Mr Taylor, Senator Thorp, Senator Tillem, Senator Williams and Mr Wilson

Petitions (Standing)

Membership

Dr Jensen (*Chair*), Mrs Elliot (*Deputy Chair*), Mrs K. L. Andrews, Mr Broadbent, Mr Buchholz, Mr Byrne, Ms L. M. Chesters, Ms Hall, Mr Hogan and Mrs Prentice

Privileges and Members' Interests (Standing)

Membership

Mr Broadbent (*Chair*), Ms A. E. Burke (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Alexander (*to 5 Dec*), Mr Fitzgibbon, Mr Giles, Mr Hawke, Ms O'Neil, Mr Perrett, Mr Pitt, Mr Porter, Mr Randall (*to 4 Dec*), Mr Ruddock and Mr Vasta (*from 5 Dec*)

Documents

Register of Members' Interests for the 44th Parliament: Statement of registrable interests up to 10 December 2013 (*presented 11 Dec*)

Notifications of alterations of interests received during the period 27 June 2013 and dissolution of the House on 5 August 2013 (*presented 11 Dec*)

Procedure (Standing)

Membership

Mr Randall (*Chair*), Mr Danby (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Broadbent, Mr Buchholz, Mr Goodenough, Ms Hall and Mr Hayes

Public Accounts and Audit (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Dr Southcott (*Chair*), Mr Conroy (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Bernardi, Ms Brodtmann, Ms L. M. Chesters, Senator Gallacher, Mr C. A. Laundry, Senator Lundy, Senator Ruston, Senator Smith, Mr Smith, Dr Stone, Mr Sukkar, Mr Taylor and Mr Watts

Report

Report 440: Annual report 2012-13⁵ (*sent to Speaker under SO 247, 26 Jul; presented 13 Nov*)

Publications (Standing)

Membership

Mr Coulton (*Chair*), Mr Watts (*Deputy Chair*), Ms Claydon, Ms Henderson, Mr Howarth, Mr Hutchinson and Ms Rowland

Report

1st report of 44th Parliament (*presented 12 Dec*)

Public Works (Joint Statutory)

Membership

Mrs K. L. Andrews (*Chair*), Mr Perrett (*Deputy Chair*), Senator Boyce, Ms Claydon, Senator Gallacher, Mr Goodenough, Senator Ruston, Ms Ryan and Dr Southcott

Current inquiries

Construction of a new Australian High Commission, Nairobi, Kenya

CSIRO Clayton Property Strategy, Clayton, Victoria

CSIRO Consolidation Project, Australian Capital Territory

Development and construction of housing for Defence at RAAF Base Tindal, Northern Territory

Reserve Bank of Australia, National Banknote Site, Craigieburn, Victoria

Integrated fit-out of new leased premises for the Australian Taxation Office at the site known as Site 5 and 6, the Revitalised Central Dandenong Project, Dandenong, Victoria

⁵ Presented out of session in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

Selection (Standing)

Membership

Mrs B. K. Bishop (*Speaker*) (*Chair*), Mr B. C. Scott (*Deputy Speaker and Chair in the absence of the Speaker*), Mr Buchholz, Mr Christensen, Mr Coulton, Mr Fitzgibbon, Ms Hall, Mr Hayes, Ms Marino, Mr Randall, Mr Ruddock and Ms Ryan

Reports

No. 1: Consideration of committee and delegation reports and private Members' business on Monday, 9 December 2013 and bills introduced since 12 November 2013 (*presented 4 Dec*)

No. 2: Consideration of bills introduced 9 to 12 December 2013 (*presented 12 Dec*)

Social Policy and Legal Affairs (Standing)

Membership

Mr Christensen (*Chair*), Ms Claydon (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Dreyfus, Ms Macklin, Mrs Markus, Mr Pasin, Mr Perrett, Mr Porter, Dr Stone and Mr Sukkar

Current inquiry

Inquiry into a matter arising from the 2012-13 Annual Report of the Office of the Australian Information Commissioner, namely the regulation of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

Tax and Revenue (Standing)

Membership

Mr Alexander (*Chair*), Dr Chalmers (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Goodenough, Mr S. P. Jones, Ms O'Neil, Mr Sukkar, Mr Taylor, Mr van Manen, Mr Watts and Mr Williams

Treaties (Joint Standing)

Membership

Mr Roy (*Chair*), Mr Thomson (*Deputy Chair*), Mr Broad, Senator Fawcett, Dr Jensen, Senator Kroger, Senator Lines, Senator Ludlam, Senator Ludwig, Mr O'Dowd (*from 11 Dec*), Ms Parke, Mrs Prentice, Senator Smith, Dr Stone (*to 11 Dec*), Senator Thorp, Mr Watts and Mr Whiteley

Current inquiry

Treaties tabled on 11 and 12 December 2013

Reports

Report 135: Treaties tabled on 12 March and 14 May 2013⁵ (*sent to Speaker under SO 247, 22 Jul; presented 13 Nov*)

Report 136: Treaty tabled on 14 May 2013⁵ (*sent to Speaker under SO 247, 5 Aug; presented 13 Nov*)

⁵ Presented out of session in the 43rd Parliament and presented by the Speaker in the 44th Parliament.

RESPONSES TO COMMITTEE REPORTS

Schedules of Government responses	<i>Presented</i>
Government responses to parliamentary committee reports—Response to the schedule tabled by the Speaker on 27 June 2013	11 Dec
Schedule of outstanding Government responses to reports of House of Representatives and joint committees, incorporating reports tabled and details of Government responses made in the period between 26 June 2013, the date of the last schedule, and 11 December 2013	12 Dec

Government responses to individual reports	
National Broadband Network—Joint Standing Committee—Review of the rollout of the National Broadband Network (Fifth report)	13 Nov

Government responses to individual reports — Total: 1
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GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS³

Title	Presented
AAF Company—Report for 2012-13	2 Dec
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Justice Commissioner—Social Justice and Native Title—Report for 2012-13	11 Dec
Aboriginal Hostels Limited—Report for 2012-13	18 Nov
Administrative Appeals Tribunal—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
<i>Aged Care Act 1997</i> —Report on the operation of the Act for 2012-13	2 Dec
Aged Care Commissioner—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Aged Care Standards and Accreditation Agency Limited—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Airservices Australia—	
Corporate plan for the period July 2013 to June 2018	13 Nov
Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Albury-Wodonga Development Corporation—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Anindilyakwa Land Council—Report for 2012-13.....	21 Nov
Army and Air Force Canteen Service (AAFCANS)—Report for 2012-13, incorporating the annual reports on the monitoring of the equal employment opportunity (EEO) management plan and of work health and safety arrangements and statistics	13 Nov
ASC Pty Ltd—	
Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Statement of corporate intent for 2013-16	13 Nov
Attorney-General's Department—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Auditing and Assurance Standards Board—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Auditor-General—Audit reports for 2013-14—	
No. 1—Performance audit—Design and implementation of the Liveable Cities Program: Department of Infrastructure and Transport	13 Nov
No. 2—Performance audit—Administration of the agreements for the management, operation and funding of the Mersey Community Hospital: Department of Health and Ageing; Department of Health and Human Services, Tasmania; Tasmanian Health Organisation - North West	13 Nov
No. 3—Performance audit—AIR 8000 Phase 2 - C-27J Spartan Battlefield Airlift Aircraft: Department of Defence.....	13 Nov
No. 4—Performance audit—Confidentiality in Government contracts: Senate order for departmental and agency contracts (Calendar year 2012 compliance)	13 Nov
No. 5—Performance audit—Administration of the taxation of Personal Services Income: Australian Taxation Office.....	13 Nov
No. 6—Performance audit—Capability development reform: Department of Defence.....	13 Nov
No. 7—Performance audit—Agency management of arrangements to meet Australia's treaty obligations	13 Nov
No. 8—Performance audit—The Australian Government Reconstruction Inspectorate's conduct of value for money reviews of Flood Reconstruction Projects in Queensland: Department of Infrastructure and Regional Development	13 Nov
No. 9—Performance audit—Determination and collection of financial industry levies: Australian Prudential Regulation Authority; Department of Treasury	13 Nov
No. 10—Performance audit—Torres Strait Regional Authority - Service delivery: Torres Strait Regional Authority	11 Dec
No. 11—Performance audit—Delivery of the Filling the Research Gap under the Carbon Farming Futures Program, incorporating a corrigendum: Department of Agriculture	12 Dec
Australia Business Arts Foundation Ltd, trading as Creative Partnerships Australia—Financial statements for 2012-13	3 Dec
Australia Council—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Accounting Standards Board—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC)—	
Audio description trial on ABC television—Report to the Minister for Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy, December 2012	13 Nov
Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Bureau of Statistics—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov

³ Does not include documents deemed to have been presented, which are listed in the Votes and Proceedings.

Title	Presented
Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC)—Report for the period 3 December 2012 to 30 June 2013	13 Nov
Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Communications and Media Authority—Communications—Report for 2012-13	11 Dec
Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA)—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Competition and Consumer Commission—Reports— 2012-13, incorporating report of the Australian Energy Regulator	13 Nov
Review of policies and procedures relating to the identification of listed points of interconnection to the NBN—July 2013, incorporating an erratum	12 Dec
Telstra's compliance with the retail price control arrangements for 2012-13	9 Dec
Australian Crime Commission—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Customs and Border Protection Service—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Electoral Commission (AEC)—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Federal Police—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Film, Television and Radio School—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Government—Statement of ministerial standards, December 2013	11 Dec
Australian Government Solicitor—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency—Report for 2012-13	2 Dec
Australian Hearing—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Human Rights Commission—Reports— 2012-13	13 Nov
No. 60—Behme v Commonwealth of Australia (Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations)	13 Nov
No. 61—BD v Queensland (Department of Community Safety)	13 Nov
No. 62—Ince v Commonwealth of Australia (Department of Immigration and Citizenship)	13 Nov
No. 63—Paul family v Commonwealth of Australia (Department of Immigration and Citizenship)	13 Nov
No. 64—Immigration detainees with adverse security assessments v Commonwealth of Australia (Department of Immigration and Citizenship)	11 Dec
Statement by the Attorney-General (Senator Brandis)	11 Dec
Review into the treatment of women in the Australian Defence Force—Audit report, 2013	13 Nov
Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Institute of Criminology—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Institute of Family Studies—Report for 2012-13	2 Dec
Australian Institute of Health and Welfare— Australia's welfare—Report for 2013	13 Nov
Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Institute of Marine Science—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Law Reform Commission—Report No. 121—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Livestock Export Corporation Limited (LiveCorp)—Report for 2012-13	10 Dec
Australian Maritime Safety Authority—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
<i>Australian Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1997</i> — Live-stock mortalities for exports by sea—Report for the period 1 January to 30 June 2013	13 Nov
Report on the funding agreement between the Commonwealth of Australia and Australian Livestock Export Corporation Limited for 2012-13	10 Dec
Australian National Audit Office—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian National Maritime Museum—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian National Preventive Health Agency—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation (ANSTO)—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Office of Financial Management—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation Authority—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Postal Corporation (Australia Post)— Diversity and inclusion—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Statement of corporate intent for 2013-14 to 2016-17	13 Nov
Australian Prudential Regulation Authority—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Replacement page	18 Nov
Australian Public Service Commission—State of the service—Report for 2012-13	2 Dec

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Australian Public Service Commissioner—Report for 2012-13, incorporating the report of the Merit Protection Commissioner.....	13 Nov
Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency— Quarterly reports of the Chief Executive Officer—2013— 1 April to 30 June.....	5 Dec
1 July to 30 September.....	11 Dec
Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Rail Track Corporation Limited— Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Statement of corporate intent for 2013-14	5 Dec
Australian Reinsurance Pool Corporation—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Renewable Energy Agency—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Research Council—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Safeguards and Non-Proliferation Office—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Securities and Investments Commission—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Security Intelligence Organisation (ASIO)—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA)—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority—Report for 2012-13.....	18 Nov
Australian Sports Commission—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Statistics Advisory Council—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Strategic Policy Institute—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Trade Commission (AUSTRADE)—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Transaction Reports and Analysis Centre (AUSTRAC)—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian Transport Safety Bureau—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Australian War Memorial—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Australian Workforce and Productivity Agency—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
<i>Broadcasting Services Act 1992</i> —Digital television transmission and reception—Reports— July 2013.....	13 Nov
October 2013.....	13 Nov
Bundanon Trust—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Bureau of Meteorology—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Cancer Australia—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Central Land Council—Report for 2012-13	9 Dec
Civil Aviation Safety Authority— Corporate plan for 2013-14 to 2015-16.....	13 Nov
Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Classification Board and Classification Review Board—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Clean Energy Finance Corporation—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Clean Energy Regulator—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Climate Change Authority—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Commissioner of Taxation—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Commonwealth Director of Public Prosecutions—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Commonwealth Grants Commission—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Commonwealth Ombudsman— Activities under Part V of the <i>Australian Federal Police Act 1979</i> —Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Reports— 2012-13	13 Nov
Activities in monitoring controlled operations conducted by the Australian Crime Commission and the Australian Federal Police for 2012-13	12 Dec
Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO)—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Commonwealth Superannuation Corporation—Report for 2012-13.....	14 Nov
Companies Auditors and Liquidators Disciplinary Board—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
<i>Competition and Consumer Act 2010</i> —Independent review under section 151DD of the Act— Deloitte Access Economics, October 2013.....	12 Dec
ComSuper—Report for 2012-13.....	13 Nov
Corporations and Markets Advisory Committee—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Cotton Research and Development Corporation—Report for 2012-13	10 Dec
<i>Crimes Act 1914</i> — Authorisations for the acquisition and use of assumed identities—Report for 2012-13—	
Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity	13 Nov
Australian Crime Commission	18 Nov
Australian Federal Police.....	13 Nov

Title	Presented
Controlled operations—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Review of the operation of subdivision A of division 6 of part VIIC of the Act—Final report, October 2013	2 Dec
Witness identity protection certificates—Report for 2012-13—Australian Commission for Law Enforcement Integrity	13 Nov
<i>Criminal Code Act 1995</i> —Control orders and preventative detention orders—Report for 2012-13	14 Nov
CrimTrac Agency—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
<i>Customs Act 1901</i> —Conduct of Australian Customs and Border Protection Service officers— Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
<i>Dairy Produce Act 1986</i> —Statutory funding agreement with Dairy Australia Limited—Report for 2013-17	13 Nov
Defence Abuse Response Taskforce— Third Interim report to the Attorney-General and Minister for Defence, September 2013	13 Nov
Fourth Interim report to the Attorney-General and Minister for Defence, December 2013	12 Dec
Defence Housing Australia— Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Statement of corporate intent for 2013-14	2 Dec
Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Department of Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
Department of Defence— Report for 2012-13, incorporating the report of the Defence Materiel Organisation	13 Nov
Special purpose flights—Schedules for the period January to June 2013	12 Dec
Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations—Report for 2012-13	13 Nov
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