

Legislative Council Statistics

	15 to 17 October 2013	2013 to date	57 th Parliament to date
Sitting days and hours			
Sitting days	3	39	143
Hours	24hrs 22mins	324hrs 23mins	1,268hrs 37mins
Average hours per day	8hrs 7mins	8hrs 19mins	8hrs 52mins
Longest sitting day	8hrs 43mins	12hrs 17mins	16hrs 35mins
Bills			
Bills introduced			
— Total	7	67	248
— Initiated in Council	1	6	22
— Received from Assembly	6	61	226
— Government Bills	6	63	236
— Private Members' Bills	1	4	12
Bills dealt with			
— Passed	5	61	231
— Defeated	1	4	6
— Withdrawn	0	1	1
- Considered in Committee	3	37	138
Amendments			
- Sets of amendments circulated	1	21	82
- Bills Passed without amendment	5	59	223
- Bills Passed with amendment/s	0	2	8
Questions			
Questions without notice	30	380	1,417
Questions on notice	71	669	9,843 ¹
Answers to Questions on notice	14	815	9,302
Petitions			
Petitions presented	2	53	196
Signatures on petitions	175	19,858	75,424
General Business Motions			
Notices given	3	116	511
Agreed to	0	8	54
Defeated	1	16	61
Divisions			
In the House	3	54	227
In Committee	6	39	146

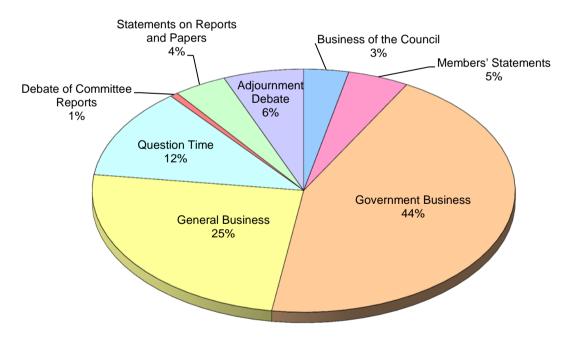
¹ Please note that due to the resignation of a Member 69 questions on notice have been withdrawn.

Adjournment Business of the Council Debate 2% Members' Statements 5% Statements on Reports. 5% and Papers 4% **Question Time** 13% **Government Business General Business** 48% 23%



Breakdown of Business in the Legislative Council





 Government business includes Government sponsored legislation and motions and ministerial statements.

• General business includes legislation and motions initiated by Members of the non-Government parties.

· Business of the Council includes time spent on presentation of petitions, giving notices, presentation of papers (excluding motions to take note of Committee Reports), privilege matters, special business, personal explanations and condolence motions.