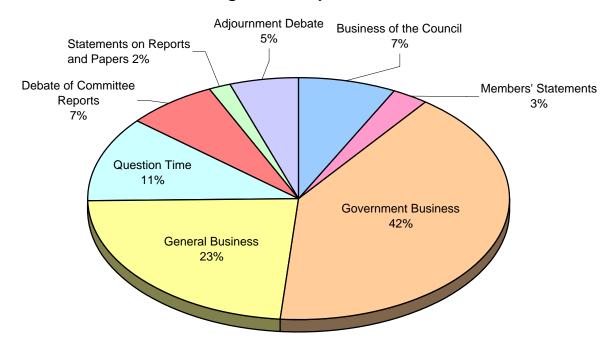


## **Legislative Council Statistics**

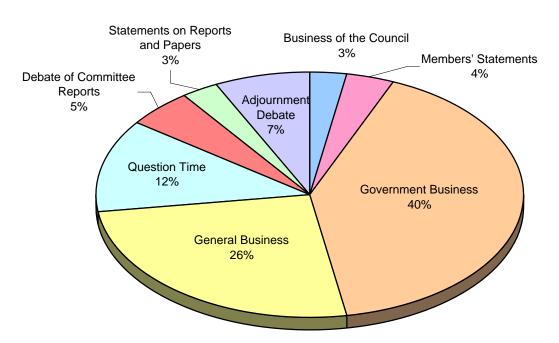
	31 August- 3 September 2010	2010 to date	56 <sup>th</sup> Parliament to date
Sitting days and hours			
Sitting days	4	37	188
Hours	41 hrs 35 mins	384 hrs 56 mins	1822 hrs 44 mins
Average hours per day	10 hrs 24 mins	10 hrs 24 mins	9 hrs 42 mins
Longest sitting day	12 hrs 52 mins	13 hrs 12 mins	17 hrs 46 mins
Bills			
Bills introduced			
— Total	6	70	351
— Initiated in Council	0	6	19
— Received from Assembly	6	64	332
— Government Bills	6	68	338
— Private Members' Bills	0	2	13
Bills dealt with			
— Passed	10	66	325
— Defeated	0	3	11
— Withdrawn	0	0	2
— Considered in Committee	6	36	138
Amendments			
Sets of amendments circulated	6	36	169
Bills Passed without amendment	8	53	281
Bills Passed with amendment/s	2	13	44
Questions			
Questions without notice	40	370	1,850
Questions on notice	107	1,940	12,449
Answers to Questions on notice	46	2,006	11,001
Petitions			
Petitions presented	4	74	369
Signatures on petitions	1783	30,609	207,883
<b>General Business Motions</b>			
Notices given	2	120	564
Agreed to	4	43	151
Defeated	1	12	37
Divisions			
In the House	4	51	248
In Committee	11	66	230

## **Breakdown of Business in the Legislative Council**

## 31 August to 3 September 2010



## 2010



- 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, personal explanations and condolence motions.