### Summary of Time Limits

**Adjournment debate (SO 33)**

*Maximum time for raising matters is 10 speakers or 30 minutes*  
Raising matters, any member 3 minutes  
Total time for responses by ministers 30 minutes

**Consideration in detail — all bills (SO 131)**

Mover Unlimited  
Any other member Twice on each question, 5 minutes each

**Government bills (excluding appropriation bills) — second reading (SO 131)**

Mover Unlimited  
Lead speaker in response from opposition 30 minutes  
Lead speaker in response from any other party, each 20 minutes  
Any other member 10 minutes  
Reply by mover (SO 132) 15 minutes

**Grievance debate (SO 38)**

*Maximum of 8 speakers or 2 hours total debating time*  
Any member 15 minutes

**Matter of public importance (SO 39)**

*Overall time for discussion, maximum of 2 hours*  
First government and non-government speakers, each 15 minutes  
Any other member 10 minutes

**Questions time (SO 55)**

30 minutes, or until 10 questions have been answered (whichever is the longer)

**Statements by members (SO 41)**

Maximum of 30 minutes  
Any member 90 seconds

**Statements on parliamentary committee reports (SO 41)**

*Maximum of 6 speakers or 30 minutes total debating time*  
Any member 5 minutes

**Motions other than procedural motions (SO 131)**

Mover 30 minutes  
Lead speakers in response from government and/or opposition, each 30 minutes  
Lead speaker in response from any other party, each 20 minutes  
Any other member 10 minutes  
Reply by mover (SO 132) 15 minutes

**Private members’ bills — second reading (SO 131)**

Mover 30 minutes  
Lead speakers in response from government and/or opposition, each 30 minutes  
Lead speaker in response from any other party, each 20 minutes  
Any other member 10 minutes

**Procedural motions (SO 131)**

*Maximum of 6 speakers or 30 minutes total debating time*  
All members 5 minutes

**Statements on parliamentary committee reports (SO 41)**

*Maximum of 6 speakers or 30 minutes total debating time*  
Any member 5 minutes

*Whichever is the shorter.*