

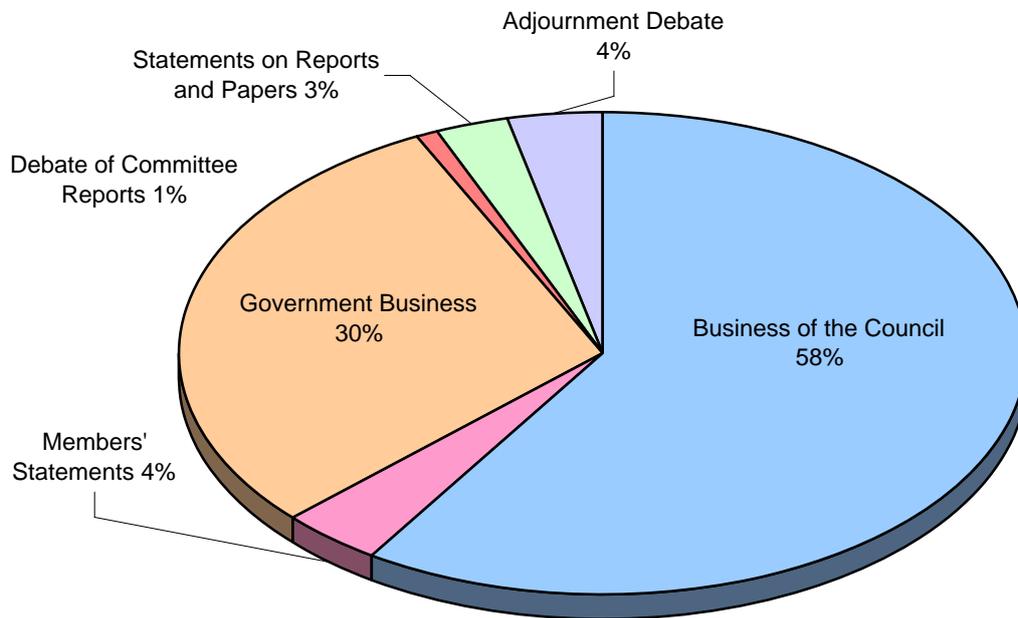


# Legislative Council Statistics

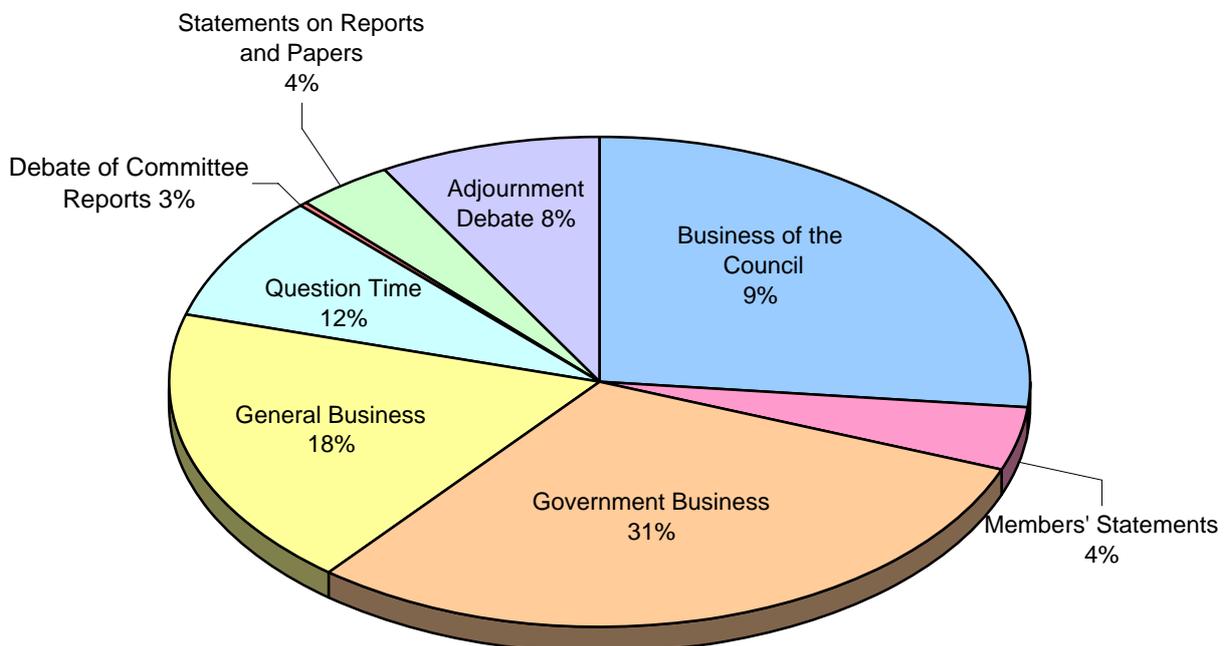
	24-26 February 2009	2009 to date	56 <sup>th</sup> Parliament to date
<b>Sitting days and hours</b>			
Sitting days	3	6	109
Hours	17 hrs 11 mins	42 hrs 41 mins	1000 hrs 59 mins
Average hours per day	5 hrs 44 mins	7 hrs 7 mins	9 hrs 11 mins
Longest sitting day	7 hrs 55 mins	9 hrs 44 mins	17 hrs 46 mins
<b>Bills</b>			
<b>Bills introduced</b>			
— Total	2	6	190
— Initiated in Council	0	0	10
— Received from Assembly	2	6	180
— Government Bills	2	6	181
— Private Members' Bills	0	0	9
<b>Bills dealt with</b>			
— Passed	3	8	173
— Defeated	0	0	6
— Withdrawn	0	0	2
— Considered in Committee	3	3	60
<b>Amendments</b>			
— Sets of amendments circulated	4	4	88
— Bills Passed without amendment	2	7	143
— Bills Passed with amendment/s	1	1	20
<b>Questions</b>			
Questions without notice	0	30	1,060
Questions on notice	258	292	9,002
Answers to Questions on notice	665	2,013	6,697
<b>Petitions</b>			
Petitions presented	3	9	183
Signatures on petitions	232	1,325	112,518
<b>General Business Motions</b>			
Agreed to	0	2	58
Defeated	0	0	16
<b>Divisions</b>			
In the House	0	3	128
In Committee	4	4	121

# Breakdown of Business in the Legislative Council

24 to 26 February 2009



2009 to date



- **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.