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INTRODUCTION

One of the Liaison Committee's main responsibilities is to apportion the funds, allocated by the Board of Internal Economy (BOIE) for this purpose, which are required to conduct the activities of standing committees. These activities include the examination of selected matters in greater depth than is possible in the House of Commons and committees may report conclusions of those examinations, including recommendations, to the House. Committees undertake studies in four general areas: the Estimates, legislation, Order in Council appointments, and subject matter studies. In order to conduct these studies, committees may choose to hear from witnesses in Ottawa or may travel to other locations.

In recent years, the Liaison Committee has initiated various updates to the administrative practices and funding policies that govern the activities of standing committees. In June 2013, the members of the Liaison Committee approved the implementation of management best practices to ensure available budgets and standing committee expenditures meet expectations regarding the value of goods and services received.

To that end, this document gives Members of Parliament and the general public a clearer view of committee activities, and the related expenditures, approved by committee members. This information complements the up-to-date information provided to committee chairs on a monthly basis. In addition, the report also provides some general metrics regarding the number of: meetings, meeting hours, reports, and witnesses. The Liaison Committee's intention is to continue presenting such reports three times per fiscal year, for each of the following periods: April 1 to June 30, July 1 to December 31 and January 1 to March 31.

However, due to the 42nd federal election period that fell during this fiscal year, exceptionally the present report will cover only two periods: from April 1, 2015 to August 2, 2015 (dissolution of Parliament) and from December 3, 2015 (opening of Parliament) to March 31, 2016. During the 2015-16 fiscal year, a total of 475 committee meetings were held, 1,492 witnesses were heard and 107 reports were presented to the House.

For further information, please contact the Liaison Committee at LIAI@parl.gc.ca.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT (AANO)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee concluded its study of Bill S-6, An Act to amend the Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Act and the Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act. The Committee also continued its study of *Access to Capital*, presenting its interim report to the House of Commons on June 9.

On February 4, 2016, the Committee held its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament and elected Andy Fillmore as Chair. The Committee held multiple briefing sessions with various national aboriginal organizations, including the Assembly of First Nations, the Land Claims Agreements Coalition, the Métis National Council, the Congress of Aboriginal Peoples, the National Association of Friendship Centres, and the Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami. On February 25, the Committee held a briefing with the Library of Parliament on the estimates process. On March 10, the Minister of Indigenous and Northern Affairs appeared before the Committee for a briefing on the *Ministerial Mandate*. On the same date, the Committee also considered the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16. On March 21, the Committee presented its First Report to the House on the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Blake Richards (Chair), Niki Ashton (Vice-Chair), Carolyn Bennett (Vice-Chair), John Barlow, Rob Clarke, Earl Dreeshen, Jonathan Genest-Jourdain, Carol Hughes, Kyle Seeback, Mark Strahl

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Andy Fillmore (Chair), David Yurdiga (Vice-Chair), Charlie Angus (Vice-Chair), Gary Anandasangaree, Mike Bossio, Rémi Massé, Cathy McLeod, Michael V. McLeod, Don Rusnak, Arnold Viersen

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²						
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015										
Operational Budget ³	-	-	222	222						
Access to Capital	5,225	-	258	5,482						
Bill S-6	602	-	-	602						
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	5,826	-	480	6,306						
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016									
Operational Budget ³	-	-	324	324						
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	324	324						
TOTAL ²	5,826	-	804	6,631						

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT (AANO) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	NUMBER OF MEETINGS		TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF			
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	τν¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS	
11 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Standing Committee (AANO)	9	-	-	1	10h32m	20	2	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	9	-	-	1	10h32m	20	2	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016						
Standing Committee (AANO)	6	4	-	-	9h16m	23	1	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SAAN) ⁴	1	-	-	-	1h04m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	4	-	-	10h20m	23	1	
TOTAL	16	4	-	1	20h52m	43	3	

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ACCESS TO INFORMATION, PRIVACY AND ETHICS (ETHI)

In the period from April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its study of the *Growing Problem of Identity Theft and its Economic Impact*, presenting its Seventh Report to the House on May 26. In the course of this study, the Committee held 13 meetings and heard from 39 witnesses. In addition, the Committee held a hearing with the four Officers of Parliament under its mandate to examine the Main Estimates 2015-2016 and presented its Eighth Report to the House on May 26.

The Committee met for the first time of the 42nd Parliament on February 4, 2016, and elected Blaine Calkins as Chair of the Committee. After holding a *Briefing session with the Information, Privacy, Lobbying, and Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioners* on February 23 to discuss a work plan, the Committee initiated two studies it plans to conduct in parallel for the next few months: one on the *Access to Information Act* and the other on the *Privacy Act*. From February 23 to March 31, the Committee held three meetings on the *Access to Information Act* and one on the *Privacy Act* with thirteen and three witnesses respectively.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Pierre-Luc Dusseault (Chair), Patricia Davidson (Vice-Chair), Scott Simms (Vice-Chair), Charlie Angus, Charmaine Borg, Ray Boughen, Paul Calandra, Larry Maguire, Tilly O'Neill Gordon, Bob Zimmer

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Blaine Calkins (Chair), Daniel Blaikie (Vice-Chair), Joël Lightbound (Vice-Chair), Bob Bratina, Nathaniel Erskine-Smith, Matt Jeneroux, Pat Kelly, Wayne Long, Rémi Massé, Raj Saini

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²						
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015										
Operational Budget ³	-	-	244	244						
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	-	-	244	244						
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016									
Operational Budget ³	-	-	268	268						
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	268	268						
TOTAL ²	-	-	511	511						

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ACCESS TO INFORMATION, PRIVACY AND ETHICS (ETHI) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N			TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF			
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS		
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	11 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Standing Committee (ETHI)	4	1	-	-	3h09m	9	2		
SUBTOTAL 41-2	4	1	-	-	3h09m	9	2		
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016							
Standing Committee (ETHI)	6	2	1	-	10h27m	20	-		
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SETH) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h23m	-	-		
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	2	1	-	10h51m	20	-		
TOTAL	11	3	1	-	14h00m	29	2		

¹ Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD (AGRI)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee studied the Main Estimates 2015-2016. The Committee also concluded its study of Promoting Domestic Trade of Agricultural Products by Reducing Interprovincial Barriers, presenting its Ninth Report to the House of Commons on June 4.

Pat Finnigan was elected Chair of the Committee on February 3, 2016, during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. On February 24, the Committee held a Briefing Session to Provide an Overview of the Canadian Agriculture and Agri-Food System. On March 7, the Committee considered the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16, presenting its First Report to the House on March 10. On March 9, the Committee began a study on Milk Protein. Lastly, on March 21, the Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food appeared before the Committee for the Main Estimates 2016-17, and for a Briefing of the Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food on his Mandate Letter.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Bev Shipley (Chair), Malcolm Allen (Vice-Chair), Mark Eyking (Vice-Chair), Ruth Ellen Brosseau, Earl Dreeshen, Gerald Keddy, Larry Maguire, LaVar Payne, Francine Raynault, Bob Zimmer

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Pat Finnigan (Chair), Ruth Ellen Brosseau (Vice-Chair), Bev Shipley (Vice-Chair), Pierre Breton, Francis Drouin, Jacques Gourde, Alaina Lockhart, Lloyd Longfield, Joe Peschisolido, Chris Warkentin

WITNESS VIDEO **STUDY NAME** OTHER¹ **EXPENSES** CONFERENCE 41st Parliament, 2nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015 Operational Budget³ Promoting domestic trade of agricultural and agri-food 915 172 364 products by reducing interprovincial barriers SUBTOTAL² 41-2 915 364 172 42nd Parliament, 1st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016 Operational Budget³ _ 1,335 Milk Protein 56 SUBTOTAL² 42-1 1,391 TOTAL²

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

915

364

1.563

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

³ "Operational budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.

TOTAL²

1,450

1,450

1,335

1,391

2.841

56

STANDING COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD (AGRI) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	Ν	IUMBER O	F MEETING	iS	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF	
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (AGRI)	4	1	1	-	2h46m	11	2	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	4	1	1	-	2h46m	11	2	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016						
Standing Committee (AGRI)	6	1	-	-	8h23m	17	2	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SAGR) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h31m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	1	-	-	8h55m	17	2	
TOTAL	11	2	1	-	11h41m	28	4	

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CANADIAN HERITAGE (CHPC)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee studied Bill S-219, An Act respecting a national day of commemoration of the exodus of Vietnamese refugees and their acceptance in Canada after the fall of Saigon and the end of the Vietnam War and reported it back to the House without amendment on April 2. Additionally, the Committee studied Bill C-597, An Act to amend the Holidays Act (Remembrance Day) and reported it back to the House with amendment on May 28. After hearing from 51 witnesses over the course of eight meetings, the Committee completed its *Review of the Canadian Feature Film Industry* and presented its 14th report to the House on June 9. The Committee also considered the Main Estimates 2015-2016 and the *Subject Matter of Supplementary Estimates (C) 2014-15*. Furthermore, the Committee presented its 15th report to the House on June 10 after conducting a study of *Dance in Canada*.

On February 4, 2016, the Committee held its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament and elected the Honorable Hedy Fry as Chair. It commenced afterwards a study on *The Media and Local Communities*, holding as of March 31, three meetings and hearing from 23 witnesses, including testimony from officials from the Department of Heritage, the CRTC and the Competition Bureau.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Gordon Brown (Chair), Pierre Nantel (Vice-Chair), Stéphane Dion (Vice-Chair), Rick Dykstra, Jim Hillyer, Rathika Sitsabaiesan, Kennedy Stewart, John Weston, Terence Young, David Yurdiga

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Hedy Fry (Chair), Larry Maguire (Vice-Chair), Pierre Nantel (Vice-Chair), Pierre Breton, Julie Dabrusin, Seamus O'Regan, Darrell Samson, Peter Van Loan, Dan Vandal, Kevin Waugh

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	61	61
Review of the Canadian Feature Film Industry	4,768	1,761	365	6,894
Bill S-219	530	-	115	645
Bill C-597	3,692	820	587	5,099
Dance in Canada	5,436	2,067	244	7,747
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	14,425	4,648	1,372	20,446
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31,	2016			
Operational Budget ³	-	722	271	993
The Media and Local Communities	1,264	-	199	1,462
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	1,264	722	470	2,455
TOTAL ²	15,689	5,370	1,842	22,901

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CANADIAN HERITAGE (CHPC) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	NUMBER OF MEETINGS		s	TOTAL	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF	
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	τν ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Standing Committee (CHPC)	14	2	6	-	24h00m	76	5	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	14	2	6	-	24h00m	76	5	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016						
Standing Committee (CHPC)	7	-	1	-	11h41m	23	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	-	1	-	11h41m	23	-	
TOTAL	21	2	7		35h41m	99	5	

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION (CIMM)

Between April 1 and August 2, 2015, the Committee continued its consideration of Bill S-7, An Act to amend the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act, the Civil Marriage Act and the Criminal Code and to make consequential amendments to other Acts and subsequently reported the Bill back to the House without amendment. The Committee also reported on its study of *Promoting Economic Prosperity through Settlement Services*. In addition, the Committee also considered the Main Estimates 2015-2016 as well as the *Subject Matter of clauses 168 to 176 of Bill C-59, An Act to implement certain provisions of the budget tabled in Parliament on April 21, 2015 and other measures*.

On February 16, 2016, Borys Wrzesnewskyj was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee began a study on the *Situation Facing Nationals of Haiti and Zimbabwe*, hearing from officials from the Department of Citizenship and Immigration, as well as witnesses from the Haitian community in Montreal. The Minister of Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship appeared before the Committee twice: once on February 23, for a *Briefing on the Ministerial Mandate Letter,* and once on March 10, for the Committee's study of the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16, following which the Committee presented its First Report to the House on March 22.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

David Tilson (Chair), Lysane Blanchette-Lamothe (Vice-Chair), John McCallum (Vice-Chair), Jay Aspen, Jim Eglinski, Chungsen Leung, Irene Mathyssen, Costas Menegakis, Jasbir Sandhu, Devinder Shory

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Borys Wrzesnewskyj (Chair), Jenny Kwan (Vice-Chair), David Tilson (Vice-Chair), Shaun Chen, Ali Ehsassi, Michelle Rempel, Randeep Sarai, Bob Saroya, Marwan Tabbara, Salma Zahid

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	78	78
Promoting Economic Prosperity through Settlement Services	1,284	-	56	1,340
Bill S-7	14,273	1,205	280	15,759
Subject matter of clauses 168 to 176 of Bill C-59	1,696	-	56	1,752
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	17,254	1,205	470	18,929
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 20	016		· · · · ·	
Operational Budget ³	-	-	756	756
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	756	756
TOTAL ²	17,254	1,205	1,226	19,685

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION (CIMM) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	Ν	NUMBER OF MEETINGS		TOTAL	NUMBER	NUMBER		
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	OF WITNESSES	OF REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Standing Committee (CIMM)	8	1	2	-	12h54m	40	3	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCIM) ⁴	1		-	-	0h05m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	9	1	2	-	12h59m	40	3	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016						
Standing Committee (CIMM)	5	2	-	-	7h51m	14	1	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCIM) ⁴	2	-	-	-	2h48m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	2	-	-	10h40m	14	1	
TOTAL	16	3	2	-	23h39m	54	4	

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (ENVI)

In the period between April 1 and August 2, 2015, the Committee continued its study concerning *Licensed Hunting and Trapping in Canada* and considered and adopted a report on the study which was presented to the House on June 17. The Committee commenced a study of *The Role of the Private Sector in Canada in Showing Leadership by Partnering with Not for Profit Organizations to Undertake Local Environmental Initiatives*. Furthermore the Committee studied the Main Estimates 2015-2016 and reported back to the House on May 27.

On February 4, 2016, Deborah Schulte was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee held a briefing with the Department of the Environment, the Parks Canada Agency, the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency and the Office of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development. The Committee also held a meeting on the 2015 Fall Reports of the Commissioner of the Environment and Sustainable Development. Additionally, the Committee commenced a Review of The Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999 and began a study of the Federal Sustainable Development Act.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Harold Albrecht (Chair), Megan Leslie (Vice-Chair), John McKay (Vice-Chair), Stella Ambler, Denis Bevington, Colin Carrie, François Choquette, Robert Sopuck, Lawrence Toet, Stephen Woodworth

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Deborah Schulte (Chair), Nathan Cullen (Vice-Chair), Jim Eglinski (Vice-Chair), John Aldag, William Amos, Mike Bossio, Ed Fast, Darren Fisher, Mark Gerretsen, Martin Shields

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	72	72
Licensed Hunting and Trapping in Canada	-	6,628	360	6,987
Canada Water Act Annual Report	-	399	144	543
The Role of the Private Sector in Canada in Showing Leadership by Partnering with Not For Profit Organizations to Undertake Local Environmental Initiatives	-	3,881	360	4,240
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	-	10,908	935	11,842
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	2016			
Operational Budget ³	651	-	2,633	3,284
A Review of The Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999	1,629	-	-	1,629
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	2,280	-	2,633	4,913
TOTAL ²	2,280	10,908	3,567	16,755

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (ENVI) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	FMEETING	iS	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF	
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (ENVI)	13	-	9	-	20h14m	44	2	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	13	-	9	-	20h14m	44	2	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016						
Standing Committee (ENVI)	8	-	-	-	14h38m	39	-	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SENV) ⁴	2	-	-	-	1h38m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	10	-	-	-	16h17m	39	-	
TOTAL	23	-	9	-	36h31m	83	2	

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE (FINA)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee held 14 meetings. It concluded its study on *Terrorist Financing in Canada and Abroad* and presented its 13th Report to the House on June 18. It also concluded its study on the *Canadian Renminbi Trading Centre* and presented its Eleventh Report on June 8. The Committee presented another report on June 8 following its study on the *Impact of Low Oil Prices on the Canadian Economy*. The Committee also held hearings on the budget bill, Bill C-59, An Act to implement certain provisions of the budget tabled in Parliament on April 21, 2015 and other measures, and concluded by reporting it back to the House without amendment on June 5. In accordance with its previously adopted motion, the Committee heard from the Governor of the Bank of Canada on the *Report of the Bank of Canada on Monetary Policy*, and from the Office of the Parliamentary Budget Officer on the *Economic and Fiscal Outlook*. It also considered the 2015-2016 Main Estimates, reporting it back to the House on May 13. The Committee launched its pre-budget consultations 2015, which were open to the public (individuals and organizations). Given the special circumstances as it being an election year, the Committee adopted a motion inviting the future finance committee to review the documentation received over the summer in the event an election is called in fall 2015. On May 11, the House adopted the Committee's Eighth Report on its conclusions of the pre-budget consultations 2014.

The Honorable Wayne Easter was elected Chair of the Committee on February 4, 2016, during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee then held a shortened version of the *Pre-Budget Consultations 2016* study from February 16 to 19, during which it heard 92 witnesses, among them the Minister of Finance and departmental officials. The Committee also received 230 briefs on this study. The Committee presented its First report, an interim report on the *Pre-Budget Consultations 2016*, to the House on February 26. The Committee then presented its Second Report, its final report on the *Pre-Budget Consultations 2016*, to the House on March 11.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

James Rajotte (Chair), Nathan Cullen (Vice-Chair), Scott Brison (Vice-Chair), Mark Adler, Joyce Bateman, Ron Cannan, Raymond Côté, Pierre Dionne Labelle, Andrew Saxton, Dave Van Kesteren

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Wayne Easter (Chair), Guy Caron (Vice-Chair), Ron Liepert (Vice-Chair), Raj Grewal, Steven MacKinnon, Phil McColeman, Jennifer O'Connell, Robert-Falcon Ouellette, Lisa Raitt, Francesco Sorbara

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE (FINA) (CONT'D)

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	538	538
Canadian Renminbi Trading Centre	-	-	66	66
Terrorist Financing in Canada and Abroad	16,644	3,567	202	20,412
Bill C-59	6,296	-	1,494	7,790
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	22,939	3,567	2,300	28,806
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	791	791
Pre-Budget Consultations 2016	18,705	4,074	2,507	25,286
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	18,705	4,074	3,298	26,077
TOTAL ²	41,644	7,641	5,598	54,883

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE (FINA) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	Ν	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (FINA)	15	9	3	-	30h44m	88	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFIN) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h20m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 41-2	16	9	3		31h04m	88	5
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (FINA)	12	8	4	-	31h48m	101	2
SUBTOTAL 42-1	12	8	4	-	31h48m	101	2
TOTAL	28	17	7	-	62h52m	189	7

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES AND OCEANS (FOPO)

The Committee adopted a motion on March 3, 2015, to undertake a study of *Recreational Fishing in Canada*. The study was to examine, among other things, the cultural and economic contribution of recreational fishing across Canada. The Committee began its public consultation on March 31 and heard from 39 witnesses over 12 meetings, including wildlife federations, anglers and hunters, fishing associations and some environment management councils. On April 23, the Committee studied the Main Estimates 2015-2016, and heard from the Minister of Fisheries and Oceans and departmental officials on Bill S-3, An Act to amend the Coastal Fisheries Protection Act. On April 28, Committee completed clause by clause consideration of the Bill and reported it back to the House with amendments on April 29.

Scott Simms was elected Chair of the Committee on February 16, 2016, during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. On February 23, the Committee held a *Briefing Session to Provide an Overview of the Canadian Coast Guard and its Mandate*. On February 25, the Committee held a *Briefing Session to Provide an Overview of the Department of Fisheries and Oceans and its Mandate*. On March 8, the Committee studied the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-2016. The Committee also began a study on the *Closure of the Comox MCTS Station of the Canadian Coast Guard*.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Rodney Weston (Chair), Robert Chisholm (Vice-Chair), Lawrence MacAulay (Vice-Chair), Ryan Cleary, Patricia Davidson, Randy Kamp, François Lapointe, Ryan Leef, Robert Sopuck, John Weston

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Scott Simms (Chair), Fin Donnelly (Vice-Chair), Robert Sopuck (Vice-Chair), Mel Arnold, Pat Finnigan, Ken Hardie, Bernadette Jordan, Ken McDonald, Robert J. Morrissey, Mark Strahl

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	1,675	1,675
Recreational Fishing in Canada	757	13,788	479	15,023
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	757	13,788	2,153	16,698
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	2016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	169	169
Closure of the Comox MCTS Station of the Canadian Coast Guard	4,160	-	56	4,216
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	4,160	-	226	4,386
TOTAL ²	4,917	13,788	2,379	21,083

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES AND OCEANS (FOPO) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER OI	FMEETING	• • •	TOTAL	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	τν¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (FOPO)	12	1	10	-	18h56m	41	1
SUBTOTAL 41-2	12	1	10	-	18h56m	41	1
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (FOPO)	6	-	-	-	9h55m	14	1
SUBTOTAL 42-1	6	-	-	-	9h55m	14	1
TOTAL	18	1	10	-	28h51m	55	2

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STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (FAAE)

In the period from April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee held multiple meetings in the pursuit of its studies of the *Protection of Children and Youth in Developing Countries* and the *Situation in Hong Kong*. In addition, the Committee launched a new study *Towards the Next North American Leaders' Summit*. On April 2, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, the Minister of International Development and Minister for La Francophonie, and the Minister of State (Foreign Affairs and Consular) appeared before the Committee in connection with its study of the Main Estimates 2015-2016, and it reported to the House on May 25. On April 20, the Committee received a parliamentary delegation from Afghanistan in an informal gathering held jointly with the Standing Committee on National Defence. The Committee continued its monitoring of the *Situation in Ukraine* with a briefing from departmental officials on April 21. Two groups appeared before the Committee on June 4 to provide a briefing on *Global Action Against Malaria*. The Committee also completed its outstanding studies and presented reports to the House on the following studies: *Hong Kong's Democratic Future, North America: Giving the Continent the Attention it Deserves*, and *Beyond Survival: Protecting and Empowering Children and Youth*. In each case, the Committee requested a comprehensive response from the government, pursuant to Standing Order 109.

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Subcommittee on International Human Rights held meetings and issued statements *on Human Rights Situation in Vietnam, Human Rights Situation in Iran, Human Rights Situation in North Korea, Human Rights Situation in Mexico, Human Rights Situation in Eritrea, and Sexual Violence and Persecution of Religious Minorities in the Syrian Conflict.* In addition, the Subcommittee also produced a report on the *Aftermath of the Rwandan Genocide: A Study of the Crisis of Children Born of Rape,* which was adopted by the Committee and presented to the House on May 25.

On February 4, 2016, the Honorable Robert Nault was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee held a *Briefing with appropriate officials from Global Affairs Canada to provide members with an update on current concerns within their mandate related to foreign affairs and international development*. In addition, the Committee held two public hearings in connection with its study of *Women Peace and Security,* which it initiated in February, and held briefings on the 2015 United Nations Population Fund State of World Population Report and the Campaign for Sergei Magnitsky and Other Issues.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Dean Allison (Chair), Paul Dewar (Vice-Chair), Marc Garneau (Vice-Chair), Lois Brown, Peter Goldring, Laurie Hawn, Hélène Laverdière, Romeo Saganash, Gary Ralph Schellenberger, Bernard Trottier

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Robert D. Nault (Chair), Dean Allison (Vice-Chair), Hélène Laverdière (Vice-Chair), Tony Clement, Peter Fragiskatos, Peter Kent, Michael Levitt, Marc Miller, Raj Saini, Jati Sidhu

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (FAAE) (CONT'D)

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015	<u> </u>			
FAAE – Operational Budget ³	2,555	-	2,317	4,871
SDIR – General Operational Budget	2,465	-	260	2,724
Human Rights Situation in Iran	4,165	438	195	4,797
Protection of Children and Youth in Developing Countries	1,799	1,016	-	2,815
SDIR-Human Rights Situation in North Korea	536	-	65	601
SDIR-Human Rights Situation in Vietnam	2,895	1,499	325	4,719
SDIR-Sexual Violence and Persecution of Religious Minorities in the Syrian Conflict	12,281	-	-	12,281
Situation in Hong Kong	2,050	4,323	712	7,086
SDIR-Human Rights Situation in Mexico	-	-	2,321	2,321
SDIR-Human Rights Situation in Sudan	812	-	-	812
Towards the Next North American Leaders' Summit	827	550	712	2,089
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	30,382	7,826	6,907	45,115
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	2016	· · · · · ·		
Operational Budget ³	-	-	61	61
Women, Peace and Security	-	-	108	108
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	169	169
TOTAL ²	30,382	7,826	7,075	45,284

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses. ² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (FAAE) (CONT'D)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N		FMEETING	s	TOTAL	NUMBER	NUMBER
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	OF WITNESSES	OF REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (FAAE)	14	1	6	-	19h52m	51	5
Subcommittee on International Human Rights (SDIR) ⁴	15	11	3		14h27m	30	-
SUBTOTAL 41-2	29	12	9	-	34h19m	81	5
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (FAAE)	5	-	-	1	8h05m	15	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure ${\rm (SFAA)}^4$	2	-	-	-	2h15m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	-	-	1	10h21m	15	-
TOTAL	36	12	9	1	44h40m	96	5

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

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STANDING COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND ESTIMATES (OGGO)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee resumed and completed its consideration of the 2015–2016 Main Estimates and studied the 2015–2016 reports on plans and priorities over three meetings. The Committee also completed a study on the *Programs and Activities of the Canadian General Standards Board*.

Tom Lukiwski was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament on February 16, 2016. The Committee undertook a study of Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015–16 and reported to the House on March 11. The Committee also studied *Departmental Performance Reports for 2014-15* over three meetings in March. Finally, the Committee held a briefing session with the Library of Parliament on the *Estimates Process* on February 25.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Pat Martin (Chair), Greg Kerr (Vice-Chair), Gerry Byrne (Vice-Chair), Mark Adler, Tarik Brahmi, Brad Butt, Guy Lauzon, Mathieu Ravignat, Chris Warkentin, Wai Young

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Tom Lukiwski (Chair), Yasmin Ratansi (Vice-Chair), Erin Weir (Vice-Chair), Ramez Ayoub, Steven Blaney, Francis Drouin, David de Burgh Graham, Raj Grewal, Kelly McCauley, Nick Whalen

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015	_			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	2,123	2,123
Programs and Activities of the Canadian General Standards Board	-	179	1,558	1,737
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	-	179	3,681	3,860
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	565	565
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	565	565
TOTAL ²	-	179	4,245	4,425

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND ESTIMATES (OGGO) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	Ν	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	11 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015						
Standing Committee (OGGO)	8	4	1	-	10h42m	25	2
SUBTOTAL 41-2	8	4	1	-	10h42m	25	2
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (OGGO)	6	2	-	-	8h27m	31	1
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SOGG) ⁴	1		-	-	0h34m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	2	-	-	9h01m	31	1
TOTAL	15	6	1	-	19h43m	56	3

¹ Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH (HESA)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its study of *Best Practices and Federal Barriers: Practice and Training of Healthcare Professionals*; no further witnesses were heard, but the Committee adopted and presented its 12th Report. It then completed its study of *Health Canada Safety Code 6* for electromagnetic radiofrequency emissions and presented its 13th Report to the House having heard 21 witnesses in three meetings. Additionally, the Committee studied and reported the Main Estimates 2015–16, after hearing the Minister of Health and nine of her senior officials. The Committee also studied *Mental Health in Canada*, hearing from 23 witnesses in four meetings, and *Lung Cancer in Canada*, hearing from 14 witnesses in two meetings.

On February 3, 2016, Bill Casey was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. As of March 31, the Committee held four meetings, including a *Briefing on the Zika virus outbreak* and a *Briefing on the Canada Health Act Annual Report and the Status of Canada's Health Care System*.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Ben Lobb (Chair), Murray Rankin (Vice-Chair), Hedy Fry (Vice-Chair), Matthew Kellway, Wladyslaw Lizon, Cathy McLeod, Christine Moore, Lawrence Toet, David Wilks, Terence Young

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Bill Casey (Chair), Don Davies (Vice-Chair), Len Webber (Vice-Chair), Ramez Ayoub, Colin Carrie, Doug Eyolfson, Darshan Singh Kang, K. Kellie Leitch, John Oliver, Sonia Sidhu

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	43	43
Best Practices and Federal Barriers: Practice and Training of Healthcare Professionals	-	-	43	43
Health Canada Safety Code 6	4,643	2,437	172	7,252
Mental Health in Canada	1,775	2,031	172	3,978
Lung Cancer in Canada	3,990	922	86	4,998
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	10,409	5,390	515	16,314
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	-	-
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL ²	10,409	5,390	515	16,314

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE (HESA) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	MEETINGS		NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (HESA)	12	-	7	-	22h53m	61	4
SUBTOTAL 41-2	12	-	7	-	22h53m	61	4
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (HESA)	4	-	-	1	6h22m	6	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHES) ⁴	1	-	-	-	1h14m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	5	-	-	1	7h37m	6	-
TOTAL	17	-	7	1	30h30m	67	4

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES, SKILLS AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND THE STATUS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (HUMA)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee considered Bill C-643, An Act to establish National Spinal Cord Injury Awareness Day and reported it back to the House without amendment on May 13. It also considered the Main Estimates 2015-2016 and reported them back to the House on May 29. The Committee then completed its study of *Exploring the Potential of Social Finance in Canada* and, after hearing from a total of 51 witnesses during the study, presented its 12th Report to the House on June 17.

On February 17, 2016, Bryan May was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee commenced a study on the *Impact of Recent Changes to Employment Insurance and of Access to the Program*. In late March, the Committee commenced consideration of Bill C-4, An Act to amend the Canada Labour Code, the Parliamentary Employment and Staff Relations Act, the Public Service Labour Relations Act and the Income Tax Act.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Phil McColeman (Chair), Jinny Jogindera Sims (Vice-Chair), Rodger Cuzner (Vice-Chair), Scott Armstrong, Ray Boughen, Brad Butt, Jim Eglinski, Sadia Groguhé, Colin Mayes, Marie-Claude Morin

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Bryan May (Chair), Bob Zimmer (Vice-Chair), Niki Ashton (Vice-Chair), Gérard Deltell, Wayne Long, Yves Robillard, Dan Ruimy, Ramesh Sangha, Filomena Tassi, Mark Warawa

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	510	510
Exploring the Potential of Social Finance in Canada	8,074	3,886	255	12,215
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	8,074	3,886	765	12,725
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	747	300	286	1,333
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	747	300	286	1,333
TOTAL ²	8,821	4,186	1,051	14,058

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES, SKILLS AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND THE STATUS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (HUMA) (CONT'D)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL	NUMBER	NUMBER	
	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	OF WITNESSES	OF REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Standing Committee (HUMA)	8	1	4	-	10h47m	34	3	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	8	1	4	-	10h47m	34	3	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016								
Standing Committee (HUMA)	4	1	1	-	5h06m	11	-	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHUM) ⁴	1	-	-	-	1h32m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	5	1	1	-	6h38m	11	-	
TOTAL	13	2	5	-	17h25m	45	3	

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ Number of televised meetings. ² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (INDU)

During the period of April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its study of Bill S-4, An Act to amend the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act and to make a consequential amendment to another Act and reported it back to the House without amendment on April 22, 2015. The Committee also considered Bill C-625, An Act to amend the Statistics Act (removal of imprisonment) and reported it back to the House without amendment on April 29, 2015. The Committee also considered the Main Estimates 2015-2016, reporting them back to the House on May 28. Finally, the Committee commenced a study of *Disruptive Technologies*.

On February 16, 2016, Dan Ruimy was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee began an overview of the organizations under Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada, inviting a representative from each organization to appear before it. The Committee held three meetings in this regard.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

David Sweet (Chair), Peggy Nash (Vice-Chair), Judy Sgro (Vice-Chair), John Carmichael, Joe Daniel, Cheryl Gallant, Mike Lake, Brian Masse, Annick Papillon, Mark Warawa

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Dan Ruimy (Chair), Earl Dreeshen (Vice-Chair), Brian Masse (Vice-Chair), René Arseneault, Chandra Arya, Frank Baylis, Maxime Bernier, Majid Jowhari, Lloyd Longfield, Alexander Nuttall

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²				
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Operational Budget ³	-	-	4,089	4,089				
Bill S-4	2,528	-	-	2,528				
State of Disruptive Technologies	7,884	-	1,137	9,021				
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	10,411	-	5,226	15,637				
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016								
Operational Budget ³	-	-	172	172				
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	172	172				
TOTAL ²	10,411		5,398	15,809				

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (INDU) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				TOTAL	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF	
	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Standing Committee (INDU)	13	-	-	-	16h25m	53	2	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	13	-	-	-	16h25m	53	2	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016								
Standing Committee (INDU)	6	-	-	-	8h06m	8	-	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SIND) ⁴	2	-	-	-	1h18m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	8	-	-	-	9h24m	8	-	
TOTAL	21	-	-	-	25h49m	61	2	

¹ Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE (CIIT)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee studied the *Positive effects of the Global Markets Action Plan* and presented its Fifth Report to the House on June 17. The Committee also studied *Opportunities for Small and Medium-sized Enterprises* and considered the Main Estimates 2015-2016, reporting the same back to the House on May 26.

The Honorable Mark Eyking was elected Chair of the Committee on February 4, 2016, during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee held three briefing sessions with officials: *Briefing Session on the Priority Trade Issues for the Government of Canada, other than the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP)*; *Briefing Session on the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP)*; and *Briefing Session on the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA)*. Lastly, the Committee began the *Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement (TPP)* Public Consultation, hearing from officials over the course of three meetings.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Randy Hoback (Chair), Don Davies (Vice-Chair), Chrystia Freeland (Vice-Chair), Mike Allen, Ron Cannan, Parm Gill, Nina Grewal, Laurin Liu, Marc-André Morin, Devinder Shory

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Mark Eyking (Chair), Randy Hoback (Vice-Chair), Tracey Ramsey (Vice-Chair), Sukh Dhaliwal, Peter Fonseca, Linda Lapointe, Karen Ludwig, Kyle Peterson, Gerry Ritz, Dave Van Kesteren

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²				
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Operational Budget ³	-	-	-	-				
Competing Globally: Opportunities for Small and Medium- sized Businesses	12,177	4,023	886	17,086				
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	12,177	4,023	886	17,086				
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016								
Operational Budget ³	-	-	830	830				
Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement (TPP) Public Consultation	1,595	-	86	1,681				
Softwood Lumber Agreement between Canada and the United States	3,447	-		3,447				
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	5,043	-	916	5,959				
TOTAL ²	17,220	4,023	1,802	23,045				

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE (CIIT) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	FMEETING	s	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	τν¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (CIIT)	9	1	5	-	14h15m	30	2
SUBTOTAL 41-2	9	1	5	-	14h15m	30	2
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (CIIT)	7	-	-	1	13h43m	30	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	-	-	1	13h43m	30	
TOTAL	16	1	5	1	27h58m	60	2

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS (JUST)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its consideration of the *Subject Matter of Bill C-583, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (fetal alcohol spectrum disorder)*, by presenting a report to the House on May 8. It also considered Bill C-35, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (law enforcement animals, military animals and service animals). The Committee completed its study of Bill C-590, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (blood alcohol content). It also considered the 2015–2016 Main Estimates.

On February 16, 2016, the Committee met for the first time of the 42nd Parliament to organize and elected Anthony Housefather as its Chair. After a *Briefing on the Department of Justice Canada*, the Committee then commenced a study on *Access to the Justice System*. The Committee also considered the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16 and presented its First Report on March 21.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Mike Wallace (Chair), Françoise Boivin (Vice-Chair), Sean Casey (Vice-Chair), Blaine Calkins, Bob Dechert, Robert Goguen, Pierre Jacob, Ève Péclet, Kyle Seeback, David Wilks

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Anthony Housefather (Chair), Ted Falk (Vice-Chair), Murray Rankin (Vice-Chair), Chris Bittle, Michael Cooper, Colin Fraser, Ahmed Hussen, Iqra Khalid, Ron McKinnon, Rob Nicholson

VIDEO WITNESS OTHER¹ TOTAL² STUDY NAME **EXPENSES** CONFERENCE 41st Parliament, 2nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015 Operational Budget³ 1,585 301 1,886 Subject Matter of Bill C-583 302 302 SUBTOTAL² 41-2 1,888 301 2,188 42nd Parliament, 1st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016 Operational Budget³ 193 193 SUBTOTAL² 42-1 193 193 TOTAL² 1,888 494 2,381

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS (JUST) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	Ν	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL	NUMBER	NUMBER
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	OF WITNESSES	OF REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	gust 2, 201	5					
Standing Committee (JUST)	7	2	-	-	10h27m	22	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SJUS) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h09m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 41-2	8	2	-	-	10h36m	22	5
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (JUST)	5	1	-	-	4h53m	15	1
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SJUS) ⁴	2	-	-	-	1h33m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	1	-	-	6h27m	15	1
TOTAL	15	3	-	-	17h03m	37	6

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL DEFENCE (NDDN)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its study on the *Defence of North America* and reported to the House on June 15. The Committee considered the 2015–2016 Main Estimates, studied *Sexual Misconduct and Sexual Harassment in the Canadian Armed Forces* and held a *Briefing on Operation IMPACT and Operation REASSURANCE*.

Stephen Fuhr was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament on February 18, 2016. On February 28, the Committee held a *Briefing by the Library of Parliament on the Study of the Estimates*. On March 8, the Committee held a *Briefing by the Minister of National Defence on his Mandate Letter* and also considered the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16. Finally, the Committee began a study of *Canada and the Defence of North America*.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Peter Kent (Chair), Jack Harris (Vice-Chair), Joyce Murray (Vice-Chair), James Bezan, Tarik Brahmi, Corneliu Chisu, Cheryl Gallant, Élaine Michaud, Rick Norlock, John Williamson

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Stephen Fuhr (Chair), Cheryl Gallant (Vice-Chair), Randall Garrison (Vice-Chair), James Bezan, Darren Fisher, Mark Gerretsen, Pierre Paul-Hus, Jean R. Rioux, Sherry Romanado, Sven Spengemann

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	157	-	1,512	1,668
Defence of North America	-	-	885	885
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	157	-	2,397	2,553
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	185	185
Canada and the Defence of North America	-	-	81	81
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	266	266
TOTAL ²	157	-	2,662	2,819

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL DEFENCE (NDDN) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (NDDN)	10	2	-	1	17h36m	14	2
SUBTOTAL 41-2	10	2	-	1	17h36m	14	2
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (NDDN)	5	1	-	-	7h23m	12	1
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure $\left(SNDD\right)^4$	1	-	-	-	1h29m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	6	1	-	-	8h52m	12	1
TOTAL	16	3	-	1	26h28m	26	3

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES (RNNR)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its study on the *Renewal of Canada's Forest Industry* and presented its 13th Report to the House on June 18. For this study, the Committee held 14 meetings, six of which were held during this period, and heard from 38 witnesses. The Committee also considered and reported the 2015–2016 Main Estimates back to the House on May 6, and considered and reported the Supplementary Estimates (A), 2015-2016, back to the House on June 3. As regards legislation, the Committee completed its consideration of Bill C-46, An Act to amend the National Energy Board Act and the Canada Oil and Gas Operations Act, and reported it back to the House with amendments on April 24.

The Committee held its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament on February 17, 2016, and elected James Maloney as Chair. The Committee held a meeting with Minister Jim Carr to discuss his *Ministerial Mandate*. The Committee also initiated a study of *The Future of Canada's Oil and Gas, Mining and Nuclear Sectors: Innovation, Sustainable Solutions and Economic Opportunities* and held two meetings on the study during the period.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Leon Benoit (Chair), Guy Caron (Vice-Chair), Geoff Regan (Vice-Chair), Kelly Block, Chris Charlton, Joan Crockatt, Linda Duncan, Ryan Leef, Pat Perkins, Brad Trost

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

James Maloney (Chair), John Barlow (Vice-Chair), Richard Cannings (Vice-Chair), Candice Bergen, T.J. Harvey, Denis Lemieux, Michael V. McLeod, Marc Serré, Shannon Stubbs, Geng Tan

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	129	129
Renewal of Canada's Forest Industry	4,804	1,096	276	6,175
Bill C-46	1,468	-	43	1,511
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	6,272	1,096	447	7,815
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	2016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	86	86
The Future of Canada's Oil and Gas, Mining and Nuclear Sectors: Innovation, Sustainable Solutions and Economic Opportunities	-	212	107	320
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	212	193	406
TOTAL ²	6,272	1,308	641	8,221

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES (RNNR) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	iS	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (RNNR)	11	-	3	-	17h23m	33	4
SUBTOTAL 41-2	11	-	3	-	17h23m	33	4
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (RNNR)	5	2	1	-	6h10m	6	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SRNN) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h49m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	6	2	1	-	6h59m	6	-
TOTAL	17	2	4	-	24h22m	39	4

¹ Number of televised meetings.
² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON OFFICIAL LANGUAGES (LANG)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its study entitled *Immigration as a Tool for Enhancing the Vitality and Supporting the Development of Francophone Minority Communities*, which it reported to the House on June 3. The Committee also considered the 2015–2016 Main Estimates. It also studied the annual report of the Commissioner of Official Languages during its meeting of May 12.

The Committee met on February 17, 2016, for the first time of the 42nd Parliament and elected Denis Paradis as Chair. The Committee began a *Review of the Status of Official Languages in Minority Settings across Canada*, and then a *Study on the Translation Bureau*. On March 24, 2016, with the presentation of its First Report, the Committee paid *Tribute to the Honourable Mauril Bélanger* for his constant dedication to official languages and the Francophonie.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Michael Chong (Chair), Jamie Nicholls (Vice-Chair), Lise St-Denis (Vice-Chair), Corneliu Chisu, Joe Daniel, Anne-Marie Day, Jacques Gourde, Claude Gravelle, Chungsen Leung, John Williamson

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Denis Paradis (Chair), François Choquette (Vice-Chair), John Nater (Vice-Chair), Mauril Bélanger, Sylvie Boucher, Bernard Généreux, Linda Lapointe, Paul Lefebvre, Darrell Samson, Dan Vandal

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	1,434	1,434
The Department of Citizenship and Immigration's Commitment to Promoting Canada's Linguistic Duality and the Development of Official Language Minority Communities	2,146	-	-	2,146
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	2,146	-	1,434	3,580
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	326	-	-	326
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	326	-	-	326
TOTAL ²	2,472	-	1,434	3,906

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON OFFICIAL LANGUAGES (LANG) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	iS	TOTAL	NUMBER OF	NUMBER
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	OF REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (LANG)	4	1	-	-	4h07m	6	2
SUBTOTAL 41-2	4	1	-	-	4h07m	6	2
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (LANG)	6	-	-	-	9h12m	13	1
SUBTOTAL 42-1	6	-	-	-	9h12m	13	1
TOTAL	10	1	-	-	13h19m	19	3

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PROCEDURE AND HOUSE AFFAIRS (PROC)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee resumed and completed its *Review of the Conflict of Interest Code for Members of the House of Commons*, presenting its 39th Report to the House on June 11. The Committee also considered the 2015-2016 Main Estimates of the House of Commons and of the Chief Electoral Officer, and the Supplementary Estimates (A), 2015-2016, for the House of Commons. The Committee also began its consideration of Bill C-50, An Act to amend the Canada Elections Act. It held five meetings to hear witnesses on the bill. Following the adoption by the House of the Committee's 33rd Report on establishing an e-petition system, the Committee held a *Briefing on the Implementation of the E-Petition System* on May 26. During the same period, the Committee adopted the report of the Subcommittee on a Code of Conduct for Members, for which on June 8 it presented to the House its 38th Report, which the House concurred in on June 9. The Committee also resumed consideration of Motion *M-431, Election of Committee Chairs*, hearing from the motion's sponsor during its meeting of June 16.

During the same period, the Subcommittee on a Code of Conduct for Members completed its study of a code of conduct for Members with the presentation to the full committee of a report recommending a code of conduct for Members concerning sexual harassment. As well, the Subcommittee on Private Members' Business reviewed private members' bills and motions added to the Order of Precedence.

Following the opening of the 42nd Parliament, the membership of the Standing Committee on Procedure and House Affairs was established by the House on December 4, 2015. On December 8, 2015, the Committee held its organization meeting and, by secret ballot, elected the Honorable Larry Bagnell as its Chair. From December 8 to March 31, 2016, the Committee held 13 meetings and presented six reports. The First Report, presented and concurred in on January 29, established the membership of standing committees and House membership of standing joint committees. On January 28, the Government House Leader appeared before the Committee to discuss the *Ministerial Mandate*. Following a *Briefing with the Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner*, the Committee presented its Fourth Report on matters related to the *Conflict of Interest Code for Members of the House of Commons*, which was concurred in by the House on March 7. Also, the Committee examined *Order in Council Appointments of the Chair and Federal Members of the Independent Advisory Board for Senate Appointments* and held a related hearing with the Minister of Democratic Institutions. The Committee examined and approved the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16, and presented its Fifth Report to the House on March 9. In addition, the Committee undertook a study of *Initiatives toward a family-friendly House of Commons*, holding two meetings during the current reporting period, with more planned.

The Subcommittee on Private Members' Business met pursuant to Standing Order 91.1 on March 24. Its recommendations were presented to the House in the Committee's Sixth Report, which was deemed concurred in on March 24.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Joe Preston (Chair), Alexandrine Latendresse (Vice-Chair), Kevin Lamoureux (Vice-Chair), David Christopherson, Tom Lukiwski, Dave Mackenzie, Ted Opitz, Scott Reid, Blake Richards, Craig Scott

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Larry Bagnell (Chair), Blake Richards (Vice-Chair), David Christopherson (Vice-Chair), Arnold Chan, David de Burgh Graham, Ginette Petitpas Taylor, Scott Reid, Ruby Sahota, Jamie Schmale, Anita Vandenbeld

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PROCEDURE AND HOUSE AFFAIRS (PROC) (CONT'D)

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				_
Operational Budget ³	-	-	2,166	2,166
M-431, Election of Chairs	-	-	239	239
Review of the Conflict of Interest Code for Members of the House of Commons	3,482	-	-	3,482
Bill C-50	-	1,838	718	2,556
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	3,482	1,838	3,123	8,442
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	1,794	1,794
Order in Council Appointments of the Chair and Federal Members of the Independent Advisory Board for Senate Appointments	-	503	718	1,221
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	503	2,512	3,015
TOTAL ²	3,482	2,341	5,635	11,458

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses. ² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PROCEDURE AND HOUSE AFFAIRS (PROC) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER OI	MEETING	S	TOTAL	NUMBER	NUMBER	
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	τν ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	OF WITNESSES	OF REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Aug	41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (PROC)	12	2	2	-	19h37m	31	5	
Subcommittee on Private Members' Business (SMEM) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h37m	-	-	
Subcommittee on a Code of Conduct for Members (SCCC) ⁴	3	-	-	-	2h40m	3	-	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	16	2	2	-	22h54m	34	5	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016						
Standing Committee (PROC)	13	5	2	1	22h36m	14	6	
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPRO) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h31m	-	-	
Subcommittee on Private Members' Business (SMEM) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h04m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	15	5	2	1	23h12m	14	6	
TOTAL	31	7	4	1	46h06m	48	11	

¹ Number of televised meetings.
² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS (PACP)

Between April 1 and August 2, 2015, the Committee presented reports to the House on three additional chapters of the Fall 2014 Report of the Auditor General: Chapter 3—Mental Health Services for Veterans, Chapter 5—Support to the Automotive Sector and Chapter 6—Nutrition North Canada—Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada. The Committee also held meetings and reported to the House on four chapters of the Spring 2015 Report of the Auditor General: Chapter 2—Required Reporting by Federal Organizations, Chapter 3—Tax-Based Expenditures, Chapter 4—Access to Health Services for Remote First Nations Communities and Chapter 5—Information Technology Investments—Canada Border Services Agency. During this period the Committee also studied the Main Estimates 2015-2016 and undertook a study of Main Estimates 2015-2016: Report on Plans and Priorities for 2015-2016 and Performance Report for 2013-14 of the Office of the Auditor General of Canada presenting its 19th Report to the House on June 8.

The Honorable Kevin Sorenson was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament on February 16, 2016. The Committee began a study of the *Fall 2015 Report of the Auditor General of Canada*. It considered *Chapter 4, Information Technology Shared Services*; and *Chapter 5, Canadian Armed Forces Housing*. As part of these studies, the Auditor General of Canada, as well as senior officials from the audited departments, appeared before the Committee. On March 8, the Committee held a *Briefing with the Canadian Comprehensive Auditing Foundation (CCAF)*.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

David Christopherson (Chair), John Carmichael (Vice-Chair), Yvonne Jones (Vice-Chair), Dan Albas, Malcolm Allen, Jay Aspin, Ted Falk, Alain Giguère, Bryan Hayes, Stephen Woodworth

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Kevin Sorenson (Chair), Alexandra Mendès (Vice-Chair), David Christopherson (Vice-Chair), Chandra Arya, Joël Godin, T.J. Harvey, Paul Lefebvre, Pierre Poilievre, Brenda Shanahan, Salma Zahid

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	883	883
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	-	-	883	883
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	294	294
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	294	294
TOTAL ²	-	-	1,177	1,177

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS (PACP) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	1 2 2 1000		HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (PACP)	14	6	-	-	14h35m	35	9
SUBTOTAL 41-2	14	6	-	-	14h35m	35	9
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (PACP)	6	3	-	-	9h43m	21	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPAC) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h28m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	3	-	-	10h12m	21	-
TOTAL	21	9	-	-	24h47m	56	9

¹ Number of televised meetings.
² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND NATIONAL SECURITY (SECU)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee completed its study of Bill C-51, An Act to enact the Security of Canada Information Sharing Act and the Secure Air Travel Act, to amend the Criminal Code, the Canadian Security Intelligence Service Act and the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act and to make related and consequential amendments to other Acts, and reported the Bill back to the House with amendments on April 2. The Committee also studied Bill C-42, An Act to amend the Firearms Act and the Criminal Code and to make a related amendment and a consequential amendment to other Acts, and reported the Bill back to the House with one amendment on May 6. The Committee studied Bill C-637, An Act to amend the Criminal Code (firearms storage and transportation), and reported the Bill back to the House without amendment on June 3. The Committee studied the *Subject matter of Division 2 (Prevention of Terrorist Travel Act) of Part 3, and Division 10 (Parliamentary Protective Service) of Part 3 of Bill C-59, An Act to implement certain provisions of the budget tabled in Parliament on April 21, 2015 and other measures.* The Committee also considered the Main Estimates 2015-2016 and reported the same back to the House on May 13. Lastly, the Committee met with an interparliamentary delegation from the Czech Republic on May 28.

On February 4, 2016, Robert Oliphant was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee studied the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16, presenting its First Report to the House on March 9. Following two *Briefings from the Department*, the Committee initiated a study of *Operational Stress Injuries/Post Traumatic Stress Disorder in Public Safety Officers and First Responders*. The Committee held two meetings on that subject during the period.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Daryl Kramp (Chair), Randall Garrison (Vice-Chair), Wayne Easter (Vice-Chair), Diane Ablonczy, Rosane Doré Lefebvre, Ted Falk, Roxanne James, Rick Norlock, Lavar Payne, Jean Rousseau

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Robert Oliphant (Chair), Larry Miller (Vice-Chair), Matthew Dubé (Vice-Chair), Pam Damoff, Nicola Di Iorio, Nathaniel Erskine-Smith, Marco Mendicino, Erin O'Toole, Alain Rayes, Sven Spengemann

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND NATIONAL SECURITY (SECU) (CONT'D)

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				_
Operational Budget ³	1,371	-	678	2,050
Bill C-51	14,464	-	-	14,464
Bill C-42	2,455	1,188	234	3,877
Bill C-637	1,271	592	175	2,039
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	19,562	1,780	1,088	22,429
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	540	540
Operational Stress Injuries and Post Traumatic Stress Disorder in Public Safety Officers and First Responders	962	1,983	259	3,204
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	962	1,983	799	3,744
TOTAL ²	20,523	3,763	1,886	26,173

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND NATIONAL SECURITY (SECU) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	Ν	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	gust 2, 201	5					
Standing Committee (SECU)	12	2	3	1	17h48m	42	4
SUBTOTAL 41-2	12	2	3	1	17h48m	42	4
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (SECU)	8	1	2	1	13h07m	29	1
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SSEC) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h55m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	9	1	2	1	14h02m	29	1
TOTAL	21	3	5	2	31h50m	71	5

¹*Number of televised meetings.*

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN (FEWO)

Between April 1 and August 2, 2015, the Committee resumed and concluded three substantive studies. The Committee presented its Sixth Report to the House on April 20, entitled *Economic Leadership and Prosperity of Canadian Women*. The Committee also completed its study of *Promising Practices to Prevent Violence Against Women and Girls*. During its study, the Committee heard from 48 witnesses over 11 meetings, and reported its findings to the House on June 4, in its Seventh Report. The Committee also continued its study of *Women in Skilled Trades and Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Occupations*, hearing testimony from 30 witnesses, and presented its Eighth Report to the House on June 11. Finally, the Committee reported the Main Estimates 2015-2016 to the House on May 14.

On February 4, 2016, Marilyn Gladu was elected Chair of the Committee during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Committee held a *Briefing Session on Status of Women Canada*, hearing from four witnesses. Additionally the Committee held a *Briefing by the Minister of Status of Women Canada*, and a *Briefing on the 2015 Fall Reports of the Auditor General of Canada: Report 1 – Implementing Gender-Based Analysis*. Finally, the Committee studied the Main Estimates 2016-17, as well as the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16 for the Office of the Co-ordinator, Status of Women, and reported its findings to the House on March 11.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Hélène LeBlanc (Chair), Tilly O'Neill Gordon (Vice-Chair), Kirsty Duncan (Vice-Chair), John Barlow, Joyce Bateman, Joan Crockatt, Mylène Freeman, Pat Perkins, Djaouida Sellah, Susan Truppe

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Marilyn Gladu (Chair), Pam Damoff (Vice-Chair), Sheila Malcolmson (Vice-Chair), Sean Fraser, Rachael Harder, Karen Ludwig, Eva Nassif, Ruby Sahota, Anita Vandenbeld, Karen Vecchio

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015	;			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	4,297	4,297
Women in Skilled Trades and Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Occupations	9,701	3,396	483	13,580
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	9,701	3,396	4,781	17,877
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31	l, 2016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	301	301
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	301	301
TOTAL ²	9,701	3,396	5,081	18,178

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN (FEWO) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	gust 2, 201	5					
Standing Committee (FEWO)	10	1	1	-	15h52m	25	4
SUBTOTAL 41-2	10	1	1	-	15h52m	25	4
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (FEWO)	6	1	-	-	7h27m	23	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFEW) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h27m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	1	-	-	7h54m	23	2
TOTAL	17	2	1	-	23h46m	48	6

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT, INFRASTRUCTURE AND COMMUNITIES (TRAN)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee considered Bill C-52, An Act to amend the Canada Transportation Act and the Railway Safety Act. On May 4, the Committee reported the Bill to the House with amendments. The Committee also began and completed a study of *Updating Infrastructure in Canada: An examination of needs and investments*. During the course of the study, the Committee met with 15 organizations and one individual over eight meetings and presented its Ninth Report on June 17. Finally, on June 11, the Committee held a *Briefing of the Department of Transport on the implementation of the recommendations in Chapter 7 of the 2013 Fall Report of the Auditor General of Canada*.

On February 3, the Committee elected the Honorable Judy A. Sgro as its Chair during its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament. The Minister of Infrastructure and Communities and the Minister of Transport appeared before the Committee in separate hearings to speak to their respective mandate letters. The Committee considered the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-16 and the Main Estimates 2016-17, and reported the same to the House in its First and Second Reports. In March, it began a study of *Rail Safety*, hearing from officials from the Department of Transport on March 21.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Larry Miller (Chair), Hoang Mai (Vice-Chair), David J. McGuinty (Vice-Chair), Peter Braid, Ed Komarnicki, Isabelle Morin, Mike Sullivan, Jeff Watson, Wai Young, David Yurdiga

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Judy A. Sgro (Chair), Luc Berthold (Vice-Chair), Linda Duncan (Vice-Chair), Vance Badawey, Kelly Block, Sean Fraser, Ken Hardie, Angelo Iacono, Gagan Sikand, Dianne L. Watts

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	-	-
Review of the Canadian Transportation Safety Regime: Transportation of Dangerous Goods and Safety Management Systems	-	-	43	43
Bill C-52	2,091	502	183	2,776
Updating Infrastructure in Canada: An examination of needs and investments	4,471	2,538	487	7,497
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	6,562	3,040	713	10,315
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 20	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	701	256	957
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	701	256	957
TOTAL ²	6,562	3,741	969	11,272

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT, INFRASTRUCTURE AND COMMUNITIES (TRAN) (CONT'D)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	Ν	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL	NUMBER	NUMBER
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	OF WITNESSES	OF REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Committee (TRAN)	11	1	4	-	19h22m	57	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure ${\rm (STRA)}^4$	1	-	-		0h29m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 41-2	12	1	4	-	19h51m	57	3
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (TRAN)	6	2	1	-	9h53m	20	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure ${\rm (STRA)}^4$	1	-	-	-	2h06m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	7	2	1	-	11h59m	20	2
TOTAL	19	3	5	-	31h50m	77	5

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

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STANDING COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS (ACVA)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee concluded its study on the *Continuum of Transition Services*, presenting its Sixth Report to the House on June 18. It considered the *Subject Matter of Clause 1 of Bill C-597, An Act to amend the Holidays Act (Remembrance Day)*, and the *Subject Matter of Division 17 of Part 3 of Bill C-59, An Act to Implement Certain Provisions of the Budget Tabled in Parliament on April 21, 2015 and Other Measures*. The Committee also considered the 2015-2016 Main Estimates.

On February 16, 2016, the Committee held its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament and elected Neil R. Ellis as Chair. On March 8, the Committee began a study on *Service Delivery to Veterans*, hearing from officials from the Department of Veterans Affairs, as well as the Office of the Veterans Ombudsman. The Committee also considered the Supplementary Estimates (C) 2015-2016 and reported the same in its First Report to the House on March 9.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Royal Galipeau (Chair), Peter Stoffer (Vice-Chair), Frank Valeriote (Vice-Chair), Sylvain Chicoine, Laurie Hawn, Bryan Hayes, Pierre Lemieux, Wladyslaw Lizon, Ted Opitz, John Rafferty

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Neil R. Ellis (Chair), Robert Kitchen (Vice-Chair), Irene Mathyssen (Vice-Chair), Bob Bratina, Alupa A. Clarke, Doug Eyolfson, Colin Fraser, Alaina Lockhart, Sherry Romanado, Cathay Wagantall

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	799	-	614	1,413
Continuum of Transition Services	3,988	-	59	4,048
Subject Matter of Clause 1 of Bill C-597	1,080	519	-	1,599
Subject Matter of Division 17 of Part 3 of Bill C-59	5,728	-	516	6,245
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	11,596	519	1,190	13,304
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	2016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	839	839
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	839	839
TOTAL ²	11,596	519	2,029	14,144

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS (ACVA) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	iS	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	gust 2, 201	5					
Standing Committee (ACVA)	12	1	1	-	14h05m	33	2
SUBTOTAL 41-2	12	1	1	-	14h05m	33	2
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (ACVA)	5	-	-	-	5h38m	6	1
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SACV) ⁴	1	-	-	-	1h08m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	6	-	-	-	6h46m	6	1
TOTAL	18	1	1	-	20h51m	39	3

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

LIAISON COMMITTEE (LIAI)

The Liaison Committee is composed of the Chairs of all the standing committees and the House Chairs of standing joint committees. Its main responsibility is to apportion funds to standing committees from the money allocated for that purpose by the Board of Internal Economy, a responsibility usually delegated to the Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI).

The Committee met once between April and June 2015 to discuss various administrative matters, including an update on the pilot project on paperless committees. The Committee adopted its Sixth Report on Committee Activities and Expenditures from April 1, 2014, to March 31, 2015, and presented it to the House on June 15. The Subcommittee met once to examine a budget request for committee travel.

The Committee held its first meeting of the 42nd Parliament on February 24, 2016, in order to elect its Chair, the Hon. Judy A. Sgro, and its Vice-Chair, Tom Lukiwski. The Committee also considered administrative matters, such as the creation of the Subcommittee on Committee Budgets. In addition, the Committee adopted its First Report on Committee Activities and Expenditures, for the period of April 1 to August 2, 2015 (41st Parliament, 2nd Session). The report was presented to the House on February 25, 2016. As of March 31, the Subcommittee met twice in order to review the budgetary requests for committee studies and travel.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Dean Allison (Chair), David Christopherson (Vice-Chair), Harold Albrecht, Leon Benoit, Gordon Brown, Chris Charlton, Michael D. Chong, Pierre-Luc Dusseault, Royal Galipeau, Richard Harris, Randy Hoback, Peter Kent, Daryl Kramp, Hélène LeBlanc, Ben Lobb, Pat Martin, Phil McColeman, Larry Miller, Joe Preston, James Rajotte, Blake Richards, Bev Shipley, David Sweet, David Tilson, Mike Wallace, Rodney Weston

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Judy A. Sgro (Chair), Tom Lukiwski (Vice-Chair), Harold Albrecht, Larry Bagnell, Blaine Calkins, Bill Casey, Wayne Easter, Neil R. Ellis, Mark Eyking, Andy Fillmore, Pat Finnigan, Hedy Fry, Stephen Fuhr, Marilyn Gladu, Anthony Housefather, James Maloney, Bryan May, Robert D. Nault, Robert Oliphant, Denis Paradis, Dan Ruimy, Deborah Schulte, Scott Simms, Kevin Sorenson, Borys Wrzesnewskyj

LIAISON COMMITTEE (LIAI) (CONT'D)

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	399	399
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	-	-	399	399
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	409	409
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	409	409
TOTAL ²	-	-	808	808

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

³ "Operational budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER O	F MEETING	iS	TOTAL	NUMBER	NUMBER
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	OF WITNESSES	OF REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – Au	gust 2, 201	5					
Standing Committee (LIAI)	1	-	-	-	0h32m	3	1
Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI) ⁴	1	-	-	-	0h06m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 41-2	2	-	-	-	0h38m	3	1
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Committee (LIAI)	1	-	-	-	0h34m	1	1
Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI) ⁴	2	-	-	-	0h22m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	3	-	-	-	0h56m	1	1
TOTAL	5	-	-	-	1h34m	4	2

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.

³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT (BILI)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee met once to elect a Joint Chair from the Senate.

As of March 31, the Joint Committee had not yet met this Parliament.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Richard Harris (Joint Chair), Jim Munson (Joint Chair), Carol Hughes (Vice-Chair), Scott Simms (Vice-Chair), Stella Ambler, Tyrone Benskin, Rod Bruinooge, Rob Clarke, Anne C. Cools, Nicole Eaton, Réjean Genest, Guy Lauzon, Terry M. Mercer, José Nunez-Melo, Michel Rivard, Lawrence Toet, Dave Van Kesteren

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Salma Ataullahjan, Gordon Brown, Kerry Diotte, Todd Doherty, Nicole Eaton, Jim Hillyer, Angelo Iacono, Michael Levitt, Terry M. Mercer, Pana Merchant, Eva Nassif, Anne Minh-Thu Quach, Michel Rivard, Don Rusnak, Marc Serré, Gagan Sikand, Scott Simms

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
Operational Budget ³	-	-	-	-
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	-	-	-	-
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	-	-
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	-	-
TOTAL ²	-	-	-	-

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT (BILI) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	IUMBER OI	FMEETING	s	TOTAL	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	τν ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015							
Standing Joint Committee (BILI)	1	-	-	-	0h05m	-	-
SUBTOTAL 41-2	1	-	-	-	0h05m	-	
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016					
Standing Joint Committee (BILI)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SUBTOTAL 42-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	1	-	-	-	0h05m	-	-

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEE ON SCRUTINY OF REGULATIONS (REGS)

From April 1 to August 2, 2015, the Committee considered over 230 regulatory instruments.

As of March 31, the Committee met once this Parliament, on March 10, 2016, when it elected Harold Albrecht and Senator Pana Merchant as Joint Chairs of the Committee. The Committee's First Report, presented to the House on March 22, was concurred in on March 24.

MEMBERSHIP – 41st Parliament (as of dissolution on August 2, 2015)

Chris Charlton (Joint Chair), Denise Batters (Joint Chair), Garry Breitkreuz (Vice-Chair), Mauril Bélanger (Vice-Chair), Dan Albas, Rob Anders, Paulina Ayala, Céline Hervieux-Payette, Jim Hillyer, Thomas Johnson McInnis, Don Meredith, Wilfred P. Moore, François Pilon, Anne Minh-Thu Quach, Bob Runciman, David P. Smith, Brian Storseth, Maurice Vellacott, Mike Wallace

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Harold Albrecht (Co-Chair), Pana Merchant (Co-Chair), Gary Anandasangaree (Vice-Chair), Pierre-Luc Dusseault (Vice-Chair), Vance Badawey, John Brassard, Nicola Di Iorio, Ali Ehsassi, Fayçal El-Khoury, Garnett Genuis, Bernadette Jordan, Tom Kmiec, Elaine McCoy, Wilfred P. Moore, Bob Runciman, Geng Tan

EXPENDITURES	(April 1, 2015	to March 31, 2016)	

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015				
perational Budget ³	-	-	1,110	1,110
SUBTOTAL ² 41-2	-	-	1,110	1,110
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2	016			
Operational Budget ³	-	-	31	31
SUBTOTAL ² 42-1	-	-	31	31
TOTAL ²	-	-	1,142	1,142

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEE ON SCRUTINY OF REGULATIONS (REGS) (CONT'D)

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEE AND	N	NUMBER OF MEETINGS				NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF	
SUBCOMMITTEE	Total	τν ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS	
41 st Parliament, 2 nd Session, April 1, 2015 – August 2, 2015								
Standing Joint Committee (REGS)	3	-	-	-	6h00m	-	-	
SUBTOTAL 41-2	3	-	-	-	6h00m	-		
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015	– March 3	1, 2016						
Standing Joint Committee (REGS)	1	-	-	-	2h00m	-	1	
SUBTOTAL 42-1	1	-	-	-	2h00m	-	1	
TOTAL	4	-	-	-	8h00m	-	1	

¹Number of televised meetings.

² Number of meetings using videoconferencing.
³ Number of meetings video recorded by members of the Canadian Parliamentary Press Gallery.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PAY EQUITY (ESPE)

On March 7, 2016, the Special Committee held its first meeting and elected Anita Vandenbeld as Chair. As of March 31, the Committee met twice and began to hear witnesses.

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Anita Vandenbeld (Chair), Sheri Benson (Vice-Chair), Shannon Stubbs (Vice-Chair), Dan Albas, Matt DeCourcey, Julie Dzerowicz, Marilyn Gladu, Eva Nassif, Terry Sheehan, Sonia Sidhu

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2				
Operational Budget ³	-	363	339	702
TOTAL ²	-	363	339	702

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

² Differences in totals are due to rounding.

³ "Operational budget" contains expenditures for cases where no separate funding request has been made in relation to a study or an activity of a committee.

MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

	P	UMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL	NUMBER OF	NUMBER
SPECIAL COMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	OF REPORTS
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016							
Special Committee (ESPE)	2	-	1	-	1h10m	2	-
TOTAL	2	-	1	-	1h10m	2	-

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SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE ON PHYSICIAN-ASSISTED DYING (PDAM)

Pursuant to the Order of Reference from the House of December 11, 2015, the Special Joint Committee on Physician-Assisted Dying held its first meeting on January 18, 2016, during which Robert Oliphant and Senator Kelvin Kenneth Ogilvie were elected Joint Chairs of the Committee. After holding 16 meetings and hearing from 61 witnesses during the study, the Committee presented its Report to the House on February 25.

MEMBERSHIP – 42nd Parliament (as of March 31, 2016)

Kelvin Kenneth Ogilvie (Co-Chair), Robert Oliphant (Co-Chair), Michael Cooper (Vice-Chair), Murray Rankin (Vice-Chair), Harold Albrecht, John Aldag, René Arseneault, James S. Cowan, Julie Dabrusin, Gérard Deltell, Serge Joyal, Denis Lemieux, Ruth Nancy, Brigitte Sansoucy, Judith G. Seidman, Brenda Shanahan

EXPENDITURES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STUDY NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TOTAL ²			
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016							
Operational Budget ³	14,077	2,937	5,342	22,355			
TOTAL ²	14,077	2,937	5,342	22,355			

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

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MEETINGS, WITNESSES AND REPORTS (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE	Ν	IUMBER O	FMEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER
SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE	Total	TV ¹	VC ²	VR ³	HOURS	WITNESSES	OF REPORTS
42 nd Parliament, 1 st Session, December 3, 2015 – March 31, 2016							
Special Joint Committee (PDAM)	16	10	7	-	40h18m	61	1
TOTAL	16	10	7	-	40h18m	61	1

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COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES AND EXPENDITURES SUMMARY

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEES

STANDING COMMITTEES AND	N	UMBER OI	MEETING	S	TOTAL	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEES1	TOTAL	TV ²	VC ³	VR ⁴	MEETING HOURS		REPORTS ⁵
Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development (AANO)	15	4	-	1	19h48m	43	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SAAN)	1	-	-	-	1h04m	-	-
Access to Information, Privacy and Ethics (ETHI)	10	3	1	-	13h36m	29	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SETH)	1	-	-	-	0h23m	-	-
Agriculture and Agri-Food (AGRI)	10	2	1	-	11h09m	28	4
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SAGR)	1	-	-	-	0h31m	-	-
Canadian Heritage (CHPC)	21	2	7	-	35h41m	99	5
Citizenship and Immigration (CIMM)	13	3	2	-	20h45m	54	4
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SCIM)	3	-	-	-	2h53m	-	-
Environment and Sustainable Development (ENVI)	21	-	9	-	34h52m	83	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SENV)	2	-	-	-	1h38m	-	-
Finance (FINA)	27	17	7	-	62h32m	189	7
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFIN)	1	-	-	-	0h20m	-	-
Fisheries and Oceans (FOPO)	18	1	10	-	28h51m	55	2
Foreign Affairs and International Development (FAAE)	19	1	6	1	27h57m	66	5
Subcommittee on International Human Rights (SDIR)	15	11	3	-	14h27m	30	-
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFAA)	2	-	-	-	2h15m	-	-
Government Operations and Estimates (OGGO)	14	6	1	-	19h09m	56	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SOGG)	1	-	-	-	0h34m		-
Health (HESA)	16	-	7	1	29h15m	67	4

STANDING COMMITTEES AND	N	UMBER OI	FMEETING	s	TOTAL	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEES ¹	TOTAL	TV ²	VC ³	VR ⁴	MEETING HOURS		REPORTS ⁵
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHES)	1	-	-	-	1h14m	-	-
Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities (HUMA)	12	2	5	-	15h53m	45	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SHUM)	1	-	-	-	1h32m	-	-
Industry, Science and Technology (INDU)	19	-	-	-	24h31m	61	2
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SIND)	2	-	-	-	1h18m	-	-
International Trade (CIIT)	16	1	5	1	27h58m	60	2
Justice and Human Rights (JUST)	12	3	-	-	15h20m	37	6
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SJUS)	3	-	-	-	1h42m	-	-
National Defence (NDDN)	15	3	-	1	24h59m	26	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SNDD)	1	-	-	-	1h29m	-	-
Natural Resources (RNNR)	16	2	4	-	23h33m	39	4
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SRNN)	1	-	-	-	0h49m	-	-
Official Languages (LANG)	10	1	-	-	13h19m	19	3
Procedure and House Affairs (PROC)	25	7	4	1	42h13m	45	11
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPRO)	1	-	-	-	0h31m	-	-
Subcommittee on Private Members' Business (SMEM)	2	-	-	-	0h41m	-	-
Subcommittee on a Code of Conduct for Members(SCCC)	3	-	-	-	2h40m	3	-
Public Accounts (PACP)	20	9	-	-	24h18m	56	9
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SPAC)	1	-	-	-	0h28m	-	-
Public Safety and National Security (SECU)	20	3	5	2	30h55m	71	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SSEC)	1	-	-	-	0h55m	-	-
Status of Women (FEWO)	16	2	1	-	23h19m	48	6
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SFEW)	1	-	-	-	0h27m	-	-

STANDING COMMITTEES AND	N	IUMBER O	FMEETING	S	TOTAL	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SUBCOMMITTEES ¹	TOTAL	TV ²	VC ³	VR ⁴	MEETING HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS ⁵
Transport, Infrastructure and Communities (TRAN)	17	3	5	-	29h15m	77	5
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (STRA)	2	-	-	-	2h35m	-	-
Veterans Affairs (ACVA)	17	1	1	-	19h43m	39	3
Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure (SACV)	1	-	-	-	1h08m	-	-
Liaison (LIAI)	2	-	-	-	1h06m	4	2
Subcommittee on Committee Budgets (SBLI)	3	-	-	-	0h28m		
TOTAL STANDING AND SUBCOMMITTEES	452	87	84	8	662h19m	1,429	105

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES

	Ν	IUMBER O	F MEETING	S	TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF REPORTS ⁵
STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES	TOTAL	TV ²	VC ³	VR⁴			
Library of Parliament (BILI)	1	-	-	-	0h05m	-	-
Scrutiny of Regulations (REGS)	4	-	-	-	8h00m	-	1
TOTAL STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES	5	-	-	-	8h05m	-	1

SPECIAL COMMITTEE

	SPECIAL COMMITTEE	N	IUMBER OI	FMEETING	iS	TOTAL MEETING HOURS	NUMBER OF WITNESSES	NUMBER OF
		TOTAL	TV ²	VC ³	VR ⁴			REPORTS⁵
	Pay Equity (ESPE)	2	-	1	-	1h10m	2	-
	TOTAL SPECIAL COMMITTEE	2	-	1	-	1h10m	2	-

SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE

	N	IUMBER OI	FMEETING	iS	TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF REPORTS ⁵	
SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE	TOTAL	TV ²	VC ³	VR ⁴	HOURS	WITNESSES		
Physician-Assisted Dying (PDAM)	16	10	7	-	40h18m	61	1	
TOTAL SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE	16	10	7	-	40h18m	61	1	

TOTAL ALL COMMITTEES

	NUMBER OF MEETINGS TOTAL MEETING	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF				
ALL COMMITTEES	TOTAL	TV ²	VC ³	VR ⁴	HOURS	WITNESSES	REPORTS⁵
TOTAL ALL COMMITTEES	475	97	92	8	711h54m	1,492	107

¹ In practice, most committees create a subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure, commonly referred to as a "steering committee", to help them plan their work. The establishment of subcommittees is usually designed to relieve parliamentary committees of planning and administrative tasks, or to address important issues relating to their mandate.

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SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

STANDING COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TRAVEL	TOTAL ²
Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development (AANO)	5,826	-	804	-	6,631
Access to Information, Privacy and Ethics (ETHI)	-	-	511	-	511
Agriculture and Agri-Food (AGRI)	915	364	1,563	-	2,841
Canadian Heritage (CHPC)	15,689	5,370	1,842	-	22,901
Citizenship and Immigration (CIMM)	17,254	1,205	1,226	-	19,685
Environment and Sustainable Development (ENVI)	2,280	10,908	3,567	-	16,755
Finance (FINA)	41,644	7,641	5,598	-	54,883
Fisheries and Oceans (FOPO)	4,917	13,788	2,379	-	21,083
Foreign Affairs and International Development (FAAE)	30,382	7,826	7,075	-	45,284
Government Operations and Estimates (OGGO)	-	179	4,245	-	4,425
Health (HESA)	10,409	5,390	515	-	16,314
Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities (HUMA)	8,821	4,186	1,051	-	14,058
Industry, Science and Technology (INDU)	10,411	-	5,398	-	15,809
International Trade (CIIT)	17,220	4,023	1,802	-	23,045
Justice and Human Rights (JUST)	1,888	-	494	-	2,381
National Defence (NDDN)	157	-	2,662	-	2,819
Natural Resources (RNNR)	6,272	1,308	641	-	8,221
Official Languages (LANG)	2,472	-	1,434	-	3,906
Procedure and House Affairs (PROC)	3,482	2,341	5,635	-	11,458
Public Accounts (PACP)	-	-	1,177	-	1,177
Public Safety and National Security (SECU)	20,523	3,763	1,886	-	26,173
Status of Women (FEWO)	9,701	3,396	5,081	-	18,178
Transport, Infrastructure and Communities (TRAN)	6,562	3,741	969	-	11,272
Veterans Affairs (ACVA)	11,596	519	2,029	-	14,144
Liaison (LIAI)	-	-	808	-	808
TOTAL ²	228,419	75,947	60,394	-	364,761

SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES BY COMMITTEE (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016) (CONT'D)

STANDING JOINT COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TRAVEL	TOTAL ²
Library of Parliament (BILI)	-	-	-	-	-
Scrutiny of Regulations (REGS)	-	-	1,142	-	1,142
TOTAL ²	-	-	1,142	-	1,142

SPECIAL COMMITTEE

COMMITTEE NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TRAVEL	TOTAL ²
Pay Equity (ESPE)	-	363	339	-	702
TOTAL ²	-	363	339	-	702

SPECIAL JOINT COMMITTEE

COMMITTEE NAME	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TRAVEL	TOTAL ²
Physician-Assisted Dying (PDAM)	14,077	2,937	5,342	-	22,355
TOTAL ²	14,077	2,937	5,342	-	22,355

TOTAL ALL COMMITTEES

ALL COMMITTEES	WITNESS EXPENSES	VIDEO CONFERENCE	OTHER ¹	TRAVEL	TOTAL ²	
GRAND TOTAL ²	242,496	79,247	67,216	-	388,959	

¹ "Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

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COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES BREAKDOWN FOR ALL TYPES OF COMMITTEES (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

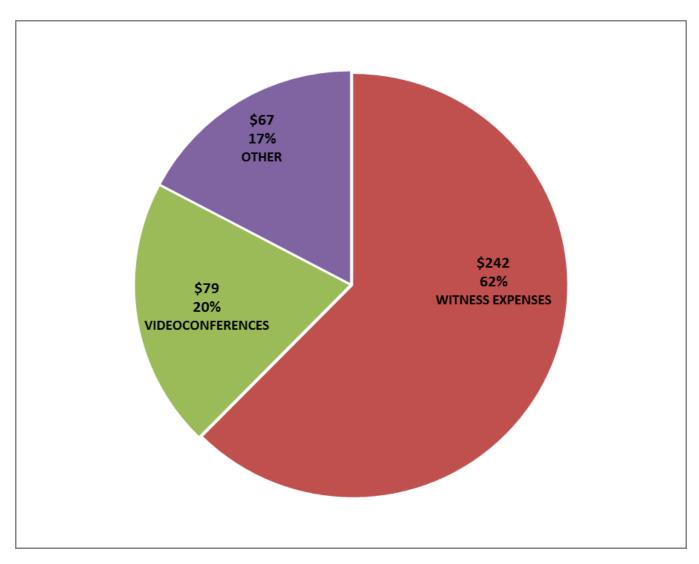


FIGURE 1 – COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES BREAKDOWN FOR ALL TYPES OF COMMITTEES (in thousands of dollars)

"Other" (studies/operational) includes expenditures such as working meals, reports, professional services, audio-visual equipment and minor miscellaneous expenses.

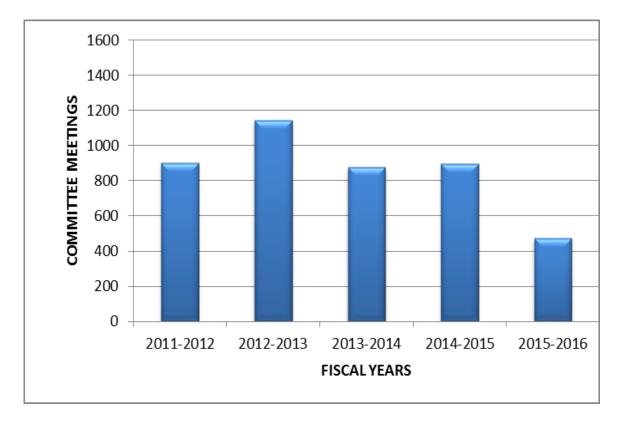
COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

The tables below outline committee activities and expenditures over the last five years. Please note that all subcommittee expenditures have been added to the expenditures of the related standing committees.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

ТҮРЕ	NUMBER OF MEETINGS										
	2011–2012	2012–2013	2013–2014	2014-2015	2015-2016						
Standing	885	1,134	859	899	457						
Legislative	15	-	-	-							
Special	-	10	18	-	2						
Special Joint	-	-	-	-	16						
TOTAL	900	1,144	877	899	475						

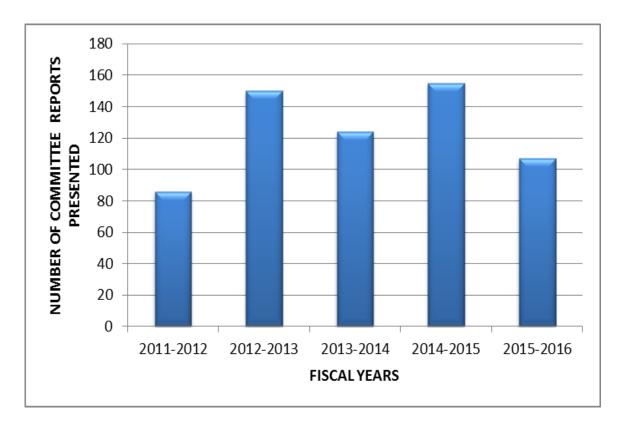
FIGURE 2 – COMPARISON OF THE NUMBER OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS OVER THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (ALL COMMITTEES)



COMMITTEE REPORTS FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

ТҮРЕ	NUMBER OF REPORTS									
	2011–2012	2012–2013	2013–2014	2014-2015	2015-2016					
Standing	84	149	123	155	105					
Legislative	2	-	-	-	-					
Special	-	1	1	-	-					
Special Joint	-	-	-	-	1					
TOTAL	86	150	124	155	106					

FIGURE 3 – COMPARISON OF THE NUMBER OF COMMITTEE REPORTS OVER THE LAST FIVE YEARS



COMMITTEE MEETINGS BY TYPE OF ORDER OF REFERENCE FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

*The following table is for all committees. Meetings where more than one order of reference is considered are tabulated as a meeting for each type. Consequently, the total number of meetings by type may be greater than the total number of meetings held.

		NUMBER C	OF MEETING	GS BY TYPE			% OF N	IEETINGS B	У ТҮРЕ	
REFERENCE TYPE	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16
House Orders of Reference	36	28	57	53	21	3.0	1.8	4.8	5.6	3
Standing Order 108 (2), (3) & (4)	526	706	435	505	287	43.2	44.7	36.6	41.5	41.2
Reports and Returns	5	23	35	6	2	0.4	1.5	2.9	0.5	0.3
Estimates	53	60	61	44	53	4.3	3.8	5.1	3.5	7.6
Order-in-Council Appointments	3	3	3	8	3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.4
Legislation	78	174	115	175	43	6.4	11.0	9.7	16.5	6.2
Pre-budget Consultations	21	14	9	14	11	1.7	0.9	0.8	1.7	1.6
Written Questions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Responses to Petitions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Committee Business	462	527	408	353	223	37.9	33.3	34.3	28.9	32
Election of Chairs	35	46	66	13	54	2.9	2.9	5.6	1.2	7.7
Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL*	1,219	1,581	1,189	1,171	697	100	100	100	100	100

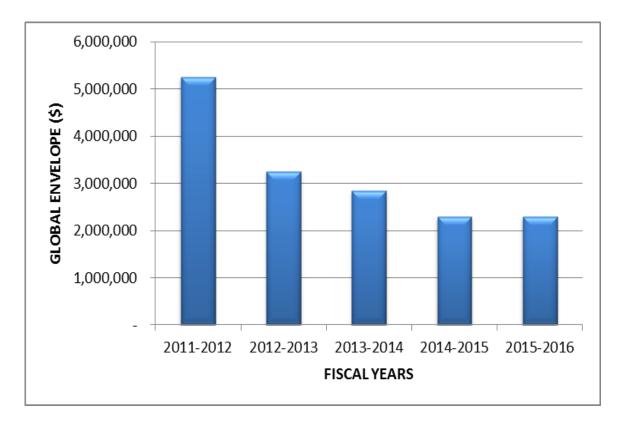
COMMITTEE REPORTS BY TYPE OF ORDER OF REFERENCE FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

		NUMBER O	F REPORT	S ВҮ ТҮРЕ			% OF F	REPORTS BY	(ТҮРЕ	
REFERENCE TYPE	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16
House Orders of Reference	1	5	4	10	4	1.2	3.3	3.2	15.2	3.7
Standing Order 108 (2), (3) & (4)	22	52	34	46	41	24.7	34.7	27.4	26.1	38.3
Reports and Returns	1	7	9	2	-	1.2	4.7	7.3	0.9	-
Estimates	27	32	27	36	35	31.8	21.3	21.8	15.8	32.7
Order-in-Council Appointments	2	2	3	8	-	2.4	1.3	2.4	4.4	-
Legislation	19	38	32	43	18	22.4	25.3	25.8	25.4	16.8
Pre-budget Consultations	2	1	1	1	2	2.4	0.7	0.8	0.6	1.9
Written Questions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Responses to Petitions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Committee Business	1	1	3	3	2	1.2	0.7	2.4	0.9	1.9
Striking of Committee Membership	11	11	11	6	5	12.9	8.0	8.9	10.7	4.7
Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL*	86	150	124	155	107	100	100	100	100	100

GLOBAL ENVELOPE FOR COMMITTEES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

GLOBAL ENVELOPE (\$)											
	2011–2012	2012–2013	2013–2014	2014-2015	2015-2016						
Core funding	5,000,000	3,000,000	2,600,000	2,050,000	2,050,000						
E-consultation services and expert resources	250,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	250,000						
Total	5,250,000	3,250,000	2,850,000	2,300,000	2,300,000						

FIGURE 4 – COMPARISON OF THE GLOBAL ENVELOPE FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

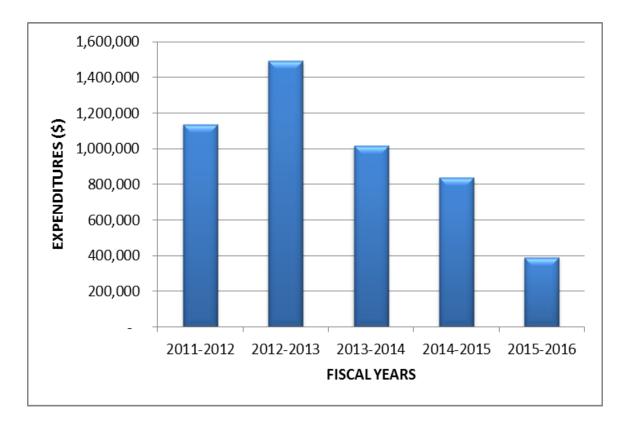


COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS

ТҮРЕ	EXPENDITURES (\$)				
	2011–2012	2012–2013	2013–2014	2014-2015	2015-2016
Standing	1,105,575	1,450,039	995,263	840,100	365,902
Legislative	30,333	6,661	-	-	-
Special	-	36,886	20,341	-	702
Special Joint	-	-	-	-	22,355
TOTAL*	1,135,908	1,493,586	1,015,604	840,100	388,959

* Differences in totals are due to rounding.

FIGURE 5 – COMPARISON OF COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES FOR THE LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (ALL COMMITTEES)



A copy of the relevant *Minutes of Proceedings* (Meeting No. 2) is tabled.

Respectfully submitted,

Hon. Judy A. Sgro Chair