

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**Information as at COB 5 March 2010**

<b>Portfolio</b>	<b>No. of questions asked</b>	<b>No. of questions unanswered</b>	<b>No. of questions unanswered for more than 30 days</b>	<b>Average time taken to answer questions</b>	<b>Longest time taken to answer questions</b>
Ageing	43	0	0	55	97
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	84	3	0	67	249
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Assistant Treasurer	17	1	0	101	233
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Attorney-General	76	4	1	87	282
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2182				
Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy	84	14	8	76	270
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2280, 2578, 2579, 2580, 2581, 2582, 2583, 2585				
Climate Change and Water	102	15	12	75	277
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1232, 1233, 1799, 1925, 2009, 2104, 2143, 2180, 2231, 2336, 2385, 2442				

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Competition Policy and Consumer Affairs	16	1	0	175	399
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Defence	265	2	1	56	180
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2570				
Defence Personnel, Materiel and Science	6	3	0	67	81
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Early Childhood Education, Childcare and Youth	12	3	1	104	161
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1817				
Education	82	2	1	101	389
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1785				
Employment and Workplace Relations	90	5	1	91	247
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1786				
Employment Participation	21	3	1	93	244
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1820				

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Environment, Heritage and the Arts	143	8	5	63	256
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1800, 2337, 2464, 2586, 2593				
Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs	43	4	2	84	170
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	952, 1621				
Finance and Deregulation	111	4	1	95	246
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2576				
Financial Services, Superannuation and Corporate Law	11	1	0	119	324
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Foreign Affairs	88	9	5	68	248
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2173, 2224, 2474, 2480, 2493				
Health and Ageing	196	9	1	71	191
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2393				
Home Affairs	50	3	1	90	267
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2192				

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Housing	33	3	1	90	170
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1637				
Human Services	45	7	4	95	212
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1667, 2016, 2187, 2590				
Immigration and Citizenship	65	3	1	75	249
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2367				
Indigenous Health, Rural and Regional Health and Regional Service Delivery	0	0	0	N/A	N/A
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government	73	2	0	70	389
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Innovation, Industry, Science and Research	94	2	0	55	190
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for Government Service Delivery	5	0	0	37	37
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					

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Prime Minister	347	11	8	65	234
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506				
Resources and Energy	61	2	0	62	266
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Small Business, Independent Contractors and the Service Economy	27	2	0	102	239
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Social Inclusion	22	3	1	121	247
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1787				
Special Minister of State	51	2	1	79	246
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2577				
Sport	3	0	0	64	84
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Status of Women	33	3	1	89	170
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	1638				

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Superannuation and Corporate Law	10	0	0	75	210
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Tourism	37	2	0	78	266
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)					
Trade	53	5	3	71	248
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2172, 2223, 2594				
Treasurer	141	10	1	98	322
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2584				
Veterans' Affairs	36	5	3	94	252
Unanswered over 30 days (question nos)	2152, 2189, 2345				
<b>Total</b>	<b>2676</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>Overall average: 76</b>	<b>Average longest time: 232</b>