

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Group 1

Program General

Question No. 209

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 24 February 2014:

- 1) Please detail any board appointments made from the Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date.
- 2) What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

1) Please detail any board appointments made from the Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date.

The following appointments¹ were made between 18 November 2013 and 24 February 2014:

Body	Appointee	Gender	Position	Start Date	End Date
Australian Human Rights Commission	Timothy Wilson	Male	Human Rights Commissioner	18 February 2014	17 February 2019
Council of the National Library of Australia	Zed Seselja	Male	Member	11 December 2013	10 December 2016
Old Parliament House Advisory Council	David Kemp	Male	Chair	12 December 2013	11 December 2016
Old Parliament House Advisory Council	Margery Heather Henderson	Female	Member	12 December 2013	11 December 2016
Old Parliament House Advisory Council	David Smith	Male	Member	12 December 2013	11 December 2016

¹ This response has been prepared consistent with the definition of a board for the purposes of the AusGovBoards website (those entities for which the Australian Government has some control or influence over the selection or approval of board members, and which are included in the annual Gender Balance on Australian Government Boards Report).

2. What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?

Departmental records indicate the following gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio. These records were current as at 24 February 2014

Body	% Female	% Male	# Female	# Male	Grand Total
Administrative Review Council	43	57	3	4	7
Admiralty Rules Committee	29	71	2	5	7
Advisory Committee for Indigenous Repatriation	33	67	2	4	6
Artbank Advisory Board	0	100	0	1	1
Australian Children's Television Foundation Board	100	0	3	0	3
Australian Crime Commission	17	83	1	5	6
Australian Film, Television and Radio School Council	50	50	2	2	4
Australian Financial Security Authority	33	67	1	2	3
Australian Government Solicitor Advisory Board	50	50	3	3	6
Australian Human Rights Commission	50	50	4	4	8
Australian Law Reform Commission	50	50	3	3	6
Board of the Australia Council	42	58	5	7	12
Board of the National Film and Sound Archive	57	43	4	3	7
Board of the National Portrait Gallery of Australia	50	50	4	4	8
Bundanon Trust	25	75	2	6	8
Classification Board	80	20	4	1	5
Classification Review Board	75	25	3	1	4
Council of the Australian National Maritime Museum	27	73	3	8	11
Council of the National Gallery of Australia	40	60	4	6	10
Council of the National Library of Australia	60	40	6	4	10
Council of the National Museum of Australia	40	60	4	6	10
Creative Partnerships Australia	56	44	5	4	9
Family Law Council	63	38	5	3	8
Film Certification Advisory Board	33	67	1	2	3
Information Advisory Committee	50	50	6	6	12
National Archives of Australia Advisory Council	25	75	2	6	8

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National Cultural Heritage Committee	67	33	4	2	6
National Legal Assistance Advisory Body	43	57	3	5	8
Office of Parliamentary Counsel	33	67	1	2	3
Office of the Australian Information Commissioner	0	100	0	3	3
Old Parliament House Advisory Council	50	50	4	4	8
Privacy Advisory Committee	25	75	1	3	4
Public Lending Right Committee	75	25	3	1	4
Screen Australia	50	50	4	4	8
Total appointments to portfolio boards	45%	55%	102	124	226

Total Boards: 34