

Number of women in Parliament

Senate

As at commencement of new term on 1 July following the election, date of term commencement, or from date of appointment under section 15 of the Constitution.

From	ALP		LIB		NP		CLP	
	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F
21.8.1943	1/22	4.5	0/12		0/2			
1.7.1947	1/33	3.0	1/2	50.0	0/1			
22.2./1.7.1950	1/34	2.9	3/20	15.0	0/6			
28.4.1951*	1/28	3.6	3/26	11.5	0/6			
1.7.1953	1/29	3.4	3/26	11.5	0/5			
11.10.1955	1/29	3.4	4/26	15.4	0/5			
10.12.1955	1/29	3.4	3/25	12.0	1/6	16.7		
1.7.1956	1/28	3.6	3/24	12.5	1/6	16.7		
1.7.1959	1/26	3.8	3/25	12.0	1/7	14.3		
1.7.1962	1/28	3.6	4/24	16.7	0/6			
1.7.1965	1/27	3.7	3/23	13.0	0/7			
1.7.1968	0/27		3/21	14.3	0/7			
11.6.1971	0/27		2/21	9.5	0/7			
1.7.1971	0/26		2/21	9.5	0/5			
18.5.1974*	2/29	6.9	2/23	8.7	0/6			
13.12.1975*	3/27	11.1	3/27	11.1	0/7		0/1	
14.12.1977	3/27	11.1	3/27	11.1	0/7		0/1	
1.7.1978	3/26	11.5	3/29	10.3	0/5		0/1	
15.10.1980	4/26	15.4	3/28	10.7	0/6		0/1	
12.3.1981	4/26	15.4	3/28	10.7	1/6	16.7	0/1	
5.5.1981	4/26	15.4	4/28	14.2	1/6	16.7	0/1	
1.7.1981	4/27	14.8	4/27	14.8	1/3	33.3	0/1	
5.3.1983*	7/30	23.3	4/23	17.4	1/4	25.0	0/1	
22.11.1984	7/30	23.3	3/23	13.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
1.12.1984	7/35	20.0	5/27	18.5	1/6	16.7	0/1	
1.7.1985	6/34	17.6	5/27	18.5	1/5	20.0	0/1	
13.3.1986	6/34	17.6	6/27	22.2	1/5	20.0	0/1	
26.8.1986	6/34	17.6	6/27	22.2	1/5	20.0	0/1	
11.2.1987	7/34	20.6	6/27	22.2	1/5	20.0	0/1	
11.7.1987*	5/32	15.6	7/27	25.9	1/6	16.7	0/1	
16.2.1988	4/32	12.5	7/27	25.9	1/6	16.7	0/1	
21.7.1988	4/32	12.5	7/27	25.9	1/6	16.7	0/1	
4.4.1990	4/32	12.5	7/27	25.9	1/6	16.7	0/1	
1.7.1990	5/32	15.6	7/29	24.1	1/4	25.0	0/1	
29.8.1991	5/32	15.6	7/29	24.1	1/4	25.0	0/1	
12.3.1992	5/32	15.6	7/29	24.1	1/4	25.0	0/1	

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31.7.1992	5/32	15.6	7/29	24.1	1/4	25.0	0/1	
1.7.1993	4/30	13.3	7/30	23.3	0/5		0/1	
24.8.1993	5/30	16.7	7/30	23.3	0/5		0/1	
8.3.1994	6/30	20.0	6/30	20.0	0/5		0/1	
3.5.1995	6/30	20.0	6/30	20.0	0/5		0/1	
29.11.1995	6/30	20.0	6/30	20.0	0/5		0/1	
8.3.1996	7/30	23.3	6/30	20.0	0/5		0/1	
1.7.1996	9/29	31.0	8/31	25.8	0/5		0/1	
9.4.1997	9/28	32.1	9/31	29.0	0/5		0/1	
13.5.1997	9/28	32.1	10/31	32.3	0/5		0/1	
30.10.1997	9/28	32.1	10/31	32.3	0/5		0/1	
16.6.1998	10/28	35.7	10/31	32.3	0/5		0/1	
14.10.1998	9/28	32.1	10/31	32.3	0/5		0/1	
1.7.1999	9/29	31.0	9/31	29.0	0/3		0/1	
12.2.2002	9/28	32.1	8/31	25.8	0/3		0/1	
1.7.2002	11/28	39.3	8/31	25.8	0/3		0/1	
26.7.2002	11/28	39.3	8/31	25.8	0/3		0/1	
18.2.2003	11/28	39.3	7/31	22.6	0/3		0/1	
5.5.2005	11/28	39.3	8/31	25.8	0/3		0/1	
1.7.2005	13/28	46.4	8/33	24.2	1/5	20.0	0/1	
3.2.2006	13/28	46.4	8/34	23.5	1/4	25.0	0/1	
19.4.2007	13/28	46.4	9/34	26.5	1/4	25.0	0/1	
3.5.2007	13/28	46.4	8/34	23.5	1/4	25.0	0/1	
8.5.2008	14/28	50.0	8/34	23.5	1/4	25.0	0/1	
1.7.2008	14/32	43.8	9/32	28.1	1/4	25.0	0/1	
1.7.2011	14/31	45.2	8/28	28.6	2/5	40.0	0/1	
13.10.2011	14/31	45.2	7/28	25.0	2/5	40.0	0/1	
2.5.2012	14/31	45.2	6/28	21.4	2/5	40.0	0/1	
20.6.2012	15/31	48.4	6/28	21.4	2/5	40.0	0/1	
15.5.2013	16/31	51.6	6/28	21.4	2/5	40.0	0/1	
13.11.2013	17/31	54.8	6/28	21.4	2/5	40.0	0/1	
1.7.2014	14/25	56.0	5/27	18.5	2/5	40.0	0/1	
2.7.2016*	14/26	53.8	6/24	25.0	2/5	40.0	0/1	
25.10.2016	15/26	57.7	6/24	25.0	2/5	40.0	0/1	
19.4.2017	15/26	57.7	6/24	25.0	2/5	40.0	0/1	
10.11.2017	15/26	57.7	6/24	25.0	2/5	40.0	0/1	
22.12.2017	15/26	57.7	6/25	24.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
9.2.2018	15/26	57.7	6/25	24.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
14.2.2018	16/26	61.5	6/25	24.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
16.2.2018	16/26	61.5	6/25	24.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
21.3.2018	16/26	61.5	7/25	28.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
23.5.2018	15/26	57.7	7/25	28.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	

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From	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F
6.9.2018	15/26	57.7	7/25	28.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
6.3.2019	14/26	53.8	8/25	32.0	1/4	25.0	0/1	
1.7.2019	16/26	61.5	10/31	32.3	3/4	75.0	1/1	100
11.9.2019	16/26	61.5	11/31	35.5	3/4	75.0	1/1	100

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	AD		GREENS		NXT/CA		PHON		Others (IND etc)		Female		
From	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	Size	No.	%
21.8.1943											36	1	2.8
1.7.1947											36	2	5.6
22.2/1.7.1950											60	4	6.7
28.4.1951*											60	4	6.7
1.7.1953											60	4	6.7
11.10.1955											60	5	8.3
10.12.1955											60	5	8.3
1.7.1956									0/2		60	5	8.3
1.7.1959									0/2		60	5	8.3
1.7.1962									0/2		60	5	8.3
1.7.1965									0/3		60	4	6.7
1.7.1968									0/5		60	3	5.0
11.6.1971									0/5		60	2	3.3
1.7.1971									0/8		60	2	3.3
18.5.1974*									0/2		60	4	6.7
13.12.1975*									0/2		64	6	9.4
14.12.1977	1/1	100.0							0/1		64	7	10.9
1.7.1978	0/2								0/1		64	6	9.4
15.10.1980	0/2								0/1		64	7	10.9
12.3.1981	0/2								0/1		64	8	12.5
5.5.1981	0/2								0/1		64	9	14.1
1.7.1981	1/5	20.0							0/1		64	10	15.6
5.3.1983*	1/5	20.0							0/1		64	13	20.3
22.11.1984	1/5	20.0							0/1		64	12	18.8
1.12.1984	1/6	16.7							0/1		76	14	18.4
1.7.1985	1/7	14.3							1/2	50.0	76	14	18.4
13.3.1986	1/7	14.3							1/2	50.0	76	15	19.7
26.8.1986	2/7	28.6							1/2	50.0	76	16	21.1
11.2.1987	2/7	28.6							1/2	50.0	76	17	22.4
11.7.1987*	3/7	42.9							1/3	33.3	76	17	22.4

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From	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	Size	No.	%
16.2.1988	3/7	42.9							1/3	33.3	76	16	21.1
21.7.1988	3/7	42.9							2/3	66.7	76	17	22.4
4.4.1990	3/7	42.9							2/3	66.7	76	17	22.4
1.7.1990	4/8	50.0	1/1	100.0					0/1		76	18	23.7
29.8.1991	5/8	62.5	1/1	100.0					0/1		76	19	25.0
12.3.1992	5/8	62.5	1/1	100.0					0/1		76	19	25.0
31.7.1992	4/7	57.1	1/1	100.0					1/2	50.0	76	19	25.0
1.7.1993	3/7	42.9	2/2	100.0					0/1		76	16	21.1
24.8.1993	3/7	42.9	2/2	100.0					0/1		76	17	22.4
8.3.1994	3/7	42.9	2/2	100.0					0/1		76	17	22.4
3.5.1995	3/7	42.9	2/2	100.0					0/1		76	17	22.4
29.11.1995	4/7	57.1	2/2	100.0					0/1		76	18	23.7
8.3.1996	4/7	57.1	2/2	100.0					0/1		76	19	25.0
1.7.1996	5/7	71.4	1/2	50.0					0/1		76	23	30.3
9.4.1997	5/7	71.4	1/2	50.0					0/2		76	24	31.6
13.5.1997	5/7	71.4	1/2	50.0					0/2		76	25	32.9
30.10.1997	4/7	57.1	1/2	50.0					0/2		76	24	31.6
16.6.1998	4/7	57.1	1/2	50.0					0/2		76	25	32.9
14.10.1998	4/7	57.1	1/2	50.0					0/2		76	24	31.6
1.7.1999	4/9	44.4	0/1						0/2		76	22	28.9
12.2.2002	4/9	44.4	0/1				0/1		0/2		76	21	27.6
1.7.2002	3/8	37.5	1/2	50.0			0/1		0/2		76	23	30.3
26.7.2002	2/7	28.6	1/2	50.0			0/1		1/2	50.0	76	23	30.3
18.2.2003	2/7	28.6	1/2	50.0			0/1		1/2	50.0	76	22	28.9
5.5.2005	2/7	28.6	1/2	50.0					1/3	33.3	76	23	30.3
1.7.2005	2/4	50.0	3/4	75.0					0/2		76	27	35.5
3.2.2006	2/4	50.0	3/4	75.0					0/2		76	27	35.5
19.4.2007	2/4	50.0	3/4	75.0					0/2		76	28	36.8
3.5.2007	2/4	50.0	3/4	75.0					0/2		76	27	35.5
8.5.2008	2/4	50.0	3/4	75.0					0/2		76	28	36.8
1.7.2008			3/5	60.0					0/2		76	27	35.5
1.7.2011			6/9	66.7					0/2		76	30	39.5
13.10.2011			6/9	66.7					0/2		76	29	38.1
2.5.2012			6/9	66.7					0/2		76	28	36.8
20.6.2012			6/9	66.7					0/2		76	29	38.1
15.5.2013			6/9	66.7					0/2		76	30	39.5
13.11.2013			6/9	66.7					0/1		76	31	40.8
1.7.2014			7/10	70.0					1/6	16.7	76	29	38.2
2.7.2016*			5/9	55.6	1/3	33.3	1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	30	39.5
19.4.2017			5/9	55.6	1/3	33.3	1/4	25.0	2/4	50.0	76	31	40.8
10.11.2017			4/9	44.4	1/3	33.3	1/4	25.0	2/4	50.0	76	30	39.5

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From	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	Size	No.	%
22.12.2017			4/9	44.4	1/3	33.3	1/4	25.0	2/4	50.0	76	29	38.2
9.2.2018			4/9	44.4	1/3	33.3	1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	28	36.8
14.2.2018			4/9	44.4	1/3	33.3	1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	29	38.2
16.2.2018			4/9	44.4	0/3		1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	28	36.8
21.3.2018			4/9	44.4	0/3		1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	29	38.2
23.5.2018			4/9	44.4	0/3		1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	28	36.8
6.9.2018			5/9	55.6	0/3		1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	29	38.2
6.3.2019			5/9	55.6	0/3		1/4	25.0	1/4	25.0	76	29	38.2
1/7/2019			5/9	55.6	0/2		1/2	50.0	1/1	100	76	37	48.7
11/9/2019			6/9	66.7	0/1		1/2	50.0	1/1	100	76	39	51.3

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From	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	MPs	No.	%
21.8.1943	0/49		1/12	8.3	0/12				0/2		75	1	1.3
28.9.1946	0/43		1/17	5.9	0/12				1/3	33.3	75	2	2.7
10.12.1949	0/48		1/55	1.8	0/19				0/1		123	1	0.8
28.4.1951*	0/54		0/52		0/17						123		
29.5.1954	0/59		0/47		0/17						123		
10.12.1955	0/49		0/57		0/18						124		
22.11.1958	0/47		0/58		0/19						124		
9.12.1961	0/62		0/45		0/17						124		
30.11.1963	0/52		0/52		0/20						124		
26.11.1966	0/41		1/61	1.6	0/21				0/1		124	1	0.8
25.10.1969	0/59		0/46		0/20						125		
2.12.1972	0/67		0/38		0/20						125		
18.5.1974*	1/66	1.5	0/40		0/21						127	1	0.8
13.12.1975*	0/36		0/68		0/22		0/1				127		
10.12.1977	0/38		0/67		0/18		0/1				124		
18.10.1980	3/51	5.9	0/54		0/19		0/1				125	3	2.4
5.3.1983*	6/75	8.0	0/33		0/17						125	6	4.8
1.12.1984	7/82	8.5	1/44	2.2	0/21		0/1				148	8	5.4
11.7.1987*	8/86	9.3	1/43	2.3	0/19						148	9	6.1
24.3.1990	7/78	9.0	3/55	5.5	0/14				0/1		148	10	6.8
13.3.1993	9/80	11.3	4/49	8.2	0/16				0/2		147	13	8.8
12.3.1994	10/80	12.5	4/49	8.2	0/16				0/2		147	14	9.5

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From	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	F/Party	% F	MPs	No.	%
26.3.1994	10/80	12.5	5/49	10.2	0/16				0/2		147	15	10.2
25.3.1995	9/79	11.4	5/50	10.0	0/16				0/2		147	14	9.5
2.3.1996	4/49	8.2	17/75	22.7	1/18	5.6	0/1		1/5	20.0	148	23	15.5
3.10.1998	16/67	23.9	15/64	23.4	2/16	12.5			0/1		148	33	22.3
12.8.2000	17/66	25.7	15/64	23.4	2/16	12.5			0/2		148	34	23.0
17.3.2001	18/67	26.9	15/63	23.8	2/16	12.5			0/2		148	35	23.6
10.11.2001	20/65	30.8	16/68	23.5	2/13	15.4	0/1		0/3		150	38	25.3
9.10.2004	20/60	33.3	15/74	20.3	2/12	16.7	0/1		0/3		150	37	24.7
24.11.2007	27/83	32.5	12/55	21.8	1/10	10.0			0/2		150	40	26.7
5.12.2009	27/83	32.5	13/55	23.6	1/9	11.1			0/3		150	41	27.3
21.8.2010	23/72	31.9	13/60	21.7	0/11		1/1	100.0	0/6		150	37	24.7
7.9.2013	20/55	36.4	16/74	21.6	1/15	6.7	1/1	100.0	1/5	20.0	150	39	26.0
8.2.2014	21/55	38.2	16/74	21.6	1/15	6.7	1/1	100.0	1/5	20.0	150	40	26.7
2.7.2016*	28/69	40.6	12/60	20.0	1/16	6.3			2/5	40.0	150	43	28.7
17.3.2018	29/69	42.0	12/60	20.0	1/16	6.3			2/5	40.0	150	44	29.3
18.5.2019	28/68	41.2	13/61	21.3	2/16	12.5			3/6	50.0	151	46	30.5
4.7.2020	29/68	42.6	13/61	21.3	2/16	12.5			3/6	50.0	151	47	31.1

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Dates in **bold** indicate election date, unbolded dates indicate by-elections.

Variations in party numbers caused by by-elections or defections which did not affect the number of women are not included, therefore the numbers and percentages are at the dates specified.

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