

TABLE 7

House of Commons Standing Committee on
External Affairs and National Defence 1963-1972

MP Participation by Party

| | LIBS | CONS | NDP | SC-RC |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|------|------|-------|
| Number of MPs on Cttee for more than five meetings | 55 | 41 | 8 | 5 |
| Present-Participation | 2023 | 1008 | 344 | 147 |
| Absent-Participation | 927 | 901 | 160 | 15 |
| Attendance % | 62 | 52 | 68 | 49 |
| Present-Drafting | 375 | 146 | 53 | 17 |
| Absent-Drafting | 174 | 161 | 51 | 19 |
| Attendance % | 68 | 47 | 50 | 47 |
| Interventions | 1239 | 939 | 412 | 57 |
| Average Intervention per MP in attendance | 0.61 | 0.93 | 1.19 | 0.38 |
| Questions | 10023 | 4924 | 2516 | 137 |
| Average Questions per MP in attendance | 4.94 | 4.78 | 7.3 | 0.93 |

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MP Participation by Province

| | NFLD | NS | NB | PEI | QUE | ONT | MAN | SASK | ALB | BC | NWT | Total |
|-------------------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-------|
| Number of MPs on Cttee for more than 5 meetings | 2 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 27 | 39 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 19 | 1 | 122 |
| Present - Participation | 11 | 168 | 144 | 174 | 789 | 1242 | 186 | 39 | 214 | 559 | 2 | 3528 |
| Absent - Participation | 61 | 108 | 50 | 122 | 565 | 508 | 139 | 50 | 227 | 197 | 26 | 2173 |
| Attendance % | 15 | 60 | 74 | 58 | 57 | 57 | 57 | 45 | 45 | 73 | 7 | 62 |
| Present - Drafting | 3 | 31 | 20 | 25 | 146 | 220 | 39 | 4 | 32 | 71 | 1 | 592 |
| Absent - Drafting | 20 | 17 | 12 | 31 | 80 | 122 | 25 | 1 | 55 | 40 | 2 | 405 |
| Attendance % | 13 | 65 | 63 | 45 | 67 | 64 | 61 | 80 | 37 | 64 | 33 | 59 |
| Interventions | 1 | 126 | 68 | 158 | 387 | 932 | 147 | 45 | 245 | 532 | 2 | 2646 |
| Average Intervention per MP in attendance | 1.09 | 1.75 | 1.47 | 0.9 | 0.49 | 0.75 | 0.72 | 1.23 | 1.45 | 1.95 | 1.0 | 0.75 |
| Questions | 5 | 670 | 287 | 757 | 1494 | 4561 | 621 | 202 | 1411 | 3169 | 1 | 13180 |
| Average Questions per MP in attendance | 1.45 | 3.93 | 1.99 | 4.35 | 1.89 | 3.67 | 3.33 | 5.17 | 6.59 | 5.66 | 1.5 | 3.73 |