

Report from Independent Complaints Officer of the NSW Parliament to Legislative Council Privileges Committee and Legislative Council Parliamentary Privileges and Ethics Committee

Period: 1 December 2022 to 28 February 2023

Matters concluded during the period

	Complaints carried over from previous quarter	Outcome
6	Complaint alleging bullying, harassment or inappropriate conduct	Investigation commenced, draft findings made. Investigation suspended as claim of parliamentary privilege made in respect of the conduct.

Complaints received during period and ongoing

	Complaint received	Current status
7	Complaint alleging misuse of allowances or entitlements. Complaint (received 28 February) was made simultaneously to ICO and ICAC	Liaised with ICAC, was agreed ICAC would assess first
8	Complaint alleging bullying, harassment or inappropriate conduct (received 1 March so technically falls in next quarter).	Liaising with both parties with a view to resolving by mediation

Other

Information about the role of the ICO was added to the Parliament of NSW website and information on the intranet was updated.