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## Weekly update on the work of the Commission

### Operational activity

As at 12 March 2025, the National Anti-Corruption Commission (the Commission):

- is conducting 34 preliminary investigations
- is conducting 33 corruption investigations, including 9 joint investigations
- is overseeing or monitoring 14 investigations by other agencies
- has 5 matters before the court
- has 558 referrals pending assessment.

Over the period from 1 July 2024 to midnight Sunday 9 March 2025, the Commission:

- received 1,591 referrals
- excluded 1,228 referrals at triage stage.

Read about [how the Commission assesses corruption issues](#) and [the investigation process](#).

### An open letter on corruption risks and vulnerabilities ahead of the federal election

On Friday 7 March 2025 the Commission issued an open letter to prospective election participants, drawing attention to the corruption risks and vulnerabilities that can arise in the context of a federal election.

The letter addressed, in particular:

- use of parliamentary resources and staff
- use of official information
- public sector appointments
- grants
- government advertising
- donations and other gifts.

The letter also repeats the Commission's advice that it is inappropriate to announce a referral to the Commission for collateral, including political, purposes.

[Read the open letter](#) on the Commission's website.