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PARAMETERS

	Bill	Motion	Resolution	Order of business	Interrogation	Parliamentary question	Amendment
Iter							
Bill introduced	0,08	0,06	0,06	0,04	0,05	0,05	0,01
Discussed in committees	1,0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Discussed in a chamber	4,0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Absorbed by another bill	2,0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Voted	0,0	1,0	1,0	0,5	-	-	0,1
Approved	0,0	2,0	2,0	1,0	-	-	1,0
Approved by one chamber	20,0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Became law	40,0	-	-	-	1,0	1,0	-
Bi-partisan approval	10,0	1,0	1,0	0,5	-	-	-

Consensus							
From 1 to 5 signatories from same group (from 8 to 20 for motions)	0,10	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,05	0,05
More than 5 signatories from same group (more than 20 for motions)	0,20	0,10	0,10	0,10	0,10	0,10	0,10
From 1 to 5 signatories from other groups (from 1 to 10 for motions)	0,20	0,10	0,10	0,10	0,10	0,10	0,10
More than 5 signatories from other groups (more than 10 for motions)	0,40	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,20	0,20
From 1 to 5 signatories from opposing groups (from 1 to 10 for motions)	0,60	0,30	0,30	0,30	0,30	0,30	0,30
More than 5 signatories from opposing groups (more than 10 for motions)	1,20	0,60	0,60	0,60	0,60	0,60	0,60

Attendance							
Declarations	0,01	-	-	-	-	-	-
Participation in voting sessions	0,001	-	-	-	-	-	-
Final vote	0,10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vote with beaten majority	0,30	-	-	-	-	-	-

Ranking laws

Not all laws are the same. Some are more important than others. For this reason we categorized them in three groups. The score for laws in the top group is multiplied by three, and for those in the middle group by two.

Obstructionism detector

The score awarded for amendments varies if they are considered not constructive, and only proposed to deteriorate the parliamentary debate. If on a single bill the same MP proposes more than 40 amendments, the score awarded progressively decreases.

Spokesman/Rapporteur

In the Italian parliament most laws are proposed by government, and not by single members of parliament. Much importance is given to the spokesman/rapporteur of the bill, and therefore he or she is awarded the same score as its proposer.

The opposition

For any member of the opposition managing to approve any kind of act in parliament is much harder than for a member of the majority. Therefore, for the same action, opposition MPs are awarded twice the score.