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Senator Cameron provided in writing.

Question

S.52 Notices

In how many cases has the ABCC issued s.52 notices and then not relied on the notice but arranged a 'voluntary' interview in lieu of the formal s.52 process?

Does the ABCC have a practice of contacting recipients of s.52 notices and attempting to persuade them to take part in a voluntary interview?

Answer

The Office of the Australian Building and Construction Commissioner has provided the following response:

- 1. 20.
- 2. No.