

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
FEDERAL MAGISTRATES COURT OF AUSTRALIA

Question No. 8

Senator Brandis asked the following question at the hearing on 25 May 2011:

Senator BRANDIS: Can you give us the figures, please, for the refugee status determinations.

Mr Foster: As a result of the High Court—

Senator BRANDIS: No, just the figures for each of the years for which you have just given us the overall migration filings—the filings for refugee status determinations.

Mr Foster: The migration litigation statistics were those ones that I just read out to you. That is the only detail I have.

Senator BRANDIS: But refugee status determinations are a subset of all migration applications.

Mr Foster: That is right, and I would have to take that on notice.

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

FMC Migration Filings								
as at 13 June 2011								
Case Type	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Totals
Refugee Review	1997	1669	1433	1074	747	559	229	7708
Immigration Review	554	379	369	318	244	259	106	2229
Judicial Review	72	46	45	17	13	31	13	237
Deportation	2	1	3	1	2	7	0	16
Migration Agents	7	1	2	3	0	2	1	16
Not Stated	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	4
Offshore	0	0	0	0	0	2	113	115
Not Defined	0	0	0	1	4	2	0	7
Not Recorded	0	0	0	0	4	3	11	18
Totals	2632	2097	1854	1415	1014	865	473	10350