

Question on notice no. 127

Portfolio question number: BE23-128

2023-24 Budget estimates

Legal and Constitutional Affairs Committee, Attorney-General's Portfolio

Senator David Shoebridge: asked the Federal Court of Australia on 25 May 2023—

Senator SHOEBRIDGE: My second question is: when was the first occasion that Mr B exercised any of those delegated powers that were granted to him on 27 February 2019? Will you take that question on notice?

Ms Lagos: Yes.

Answer —

Please see the attached answer

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**BE23-128 - Date of first occasion Mr B exercised delegated powers granted to him on
27 February 2019**

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Ms Lagos: Yes.

The response to the senator's question is as follows:

The first occasion identified by the Court that Mr B exercised a power delegated to him as a registrar of the Federal Court was on 2 December 2020 – 21 months after being sworn in and delegated those powers.