

Question on notice no. 401

Portfolio question number: LCC-BE20-401

2020-21 Budget estimates

Legal and Constitutional Affairs Committee, Home Affairs Portfolio

Senator Nick McKim: asked the Australian Border Force on 9 November 2020—

Please provided updates on the following tables provided in response to earlier questions:

- a. AE20/203 - Tables of boat turnbacks/takebacks.
 - i. Please also indicate the mode of return for every venture.
 - ii. Please also include the total number of persons returned and the number of children.

Answer —

Please see the attached answer.

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BE20-401 - Updates to previous QoNs – AE20-203

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Answer:

There have been no updates to the table of Operation Sovereign Borders (OSB) boat turnbacks/takebacks since the response to Question on Notice AE20/203 was published.