

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**  
**2014-15 Supplementary Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** 4

**Question No:** 509

**Topic:** NRAS

**Hansard Page:** Written

**Senator McLucas** asked:

Who made the initial referral to Police about alleged NRAS fraudulent behaviour? On what date was a referral made to the Police concerning NRAS? Who authorised this referral? Was the referral made to the Victorian Police or the Federal Police?

**Answer:**

On 20 October 2014, the Director – Intelligence Section, Assurance Branch, Department of Social Services referred concerns regarding NRAS to the Victorian Police.