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Answers to questions on notice

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Senator Roberts asked:

Will people be held to account for making up stories about the climate that are untrue? What of the phalanx of climate-scientists who never checked the veracity of data they use

Answer:

The Bureau of Meteorology has confidence in the veracity of its official climate record, the Australian Climate Observations Reference Network–Surface Air Temperature (ACORN-SAT), and its climate science.