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Senator Waters asked:

Has the Department been involved in consultations re the new Border Force agency in regard to functions that may be transferred to it, such as CITES laws in the EPBC Act that relate to the international wildlife trade?

What is the scope of these discussions?

Answer:

The Department of the Environment has not held any discussions or been involved in any consultation regarding the new Border Force agency and its functions.