

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING : 23 February 2015**

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

**(AE15/095) - Ateco Automotive Recall - Programme 1.2 Border Enforcement (ACBPS)**

Senator Xenophon, Nick (L&CA) written:

I note in 2012, the Ateco Automotive recall of almost 25,000 Great Wall and Cherry Chinese cars after asbestos was found in the engine and exhaust gaskets.

What investigations are taking place into the presence of asbestos in imports in the following industries:

- a. Automotive
- b. Mining
- c. Building

*Answer:*

There are a number of active investigations underway. It is not appropriate comment further on those matters.