

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE16/190) - Practical resources and detections - Programme 1.1: Border Enforcement

Senator McKenzie, Bridget (L&CA) written:

What practical resources contribute to the detection of firearms and firearms parts?

Answer:

Australian Border Force (ABF) officers deployed in a range of areas contribute to enforcement activities related to the detection of firearms and firearm parts. These include officers deployed in aviation, maritime, remote and compliance environments. Specialist ABF functions including Investigations, Container Examination Facilities, Mail Mobile and Static X-Ray machines and Detector Dogs also contribute to this enforcement activity.