

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS  
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S PORTFOLIO

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**Question No. AE17/022**

**Senator Pratt asked the following question at the hearing on 28 February 2017:**

Senator PRATT: I want to ask some questions about the Australian Firearms Information Network. Is the network now fully operational?

Ms Rose: It is ready to be used by jurisdictions. Not all jurisdictions are using it. There are some issues that we have with data quality. We are working with states and territories to upload that data so they will actually start using it. We are working with them through data quality boot camps and further working groups, to get that on board.

Senator PRATT: How many states have joined so far?

Ms Oberoi: We will have to take that on notice.

**The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:**

Each state and territory police agency, including the Australian Federal Police, has access to the Australian Firearms Information Network.

All states and territories are currently in the process of transitioning from the National Firearm Licensing and Registration System to the Australian Firearms Information Network system.