

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING: 27 February 2017

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE17/144) - Border Enforcement - Illegal fishing vessels - Programme 1.1: Border Enforcement

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA) written:

How many illegal fishing vessels found within Australian waters in the last year? Please provide a breakdown of each year over the past 5 years

Answer:

Illegal foreign fishing vessels apprehended within Australian waters in the current financial year and past five financial years.

Financial Year	Vessel apprehensions
2011-12	12
2012-13	7
2013-14	26
2014-15	6
2015-16	20
2016-17*	13
Total	84

*YTD as at 28 March 2017