

SENATE LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE

Question No. 146

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 17 February 2006:

Further to the reply to Question 280 of 31 October 2005:

- a) What reports has the Opal Group made on canvassing the need for a central repository for identity crime intelligence?
- b) What reports has the Opal Group made on the need for a national identity card?
- c) Does the Opal Group have an established official position on the need for a national identity card? If so, what is it and what features will the card include?

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

- a) The Opal Group has not produced any reports for a central repository for identity crime intelligence.
- b) The Opal Group has not produced any reports on the need for a national identity card.
- c) No.