

SENATE LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
AUSTRALIAN CRIME COMMISSION

Question No. 74

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 14 February 2006:

- a) Please provide a list of audit reports the Audit Committee considered in 2004-05.
- b) Please provide copies of the audit reports that the Audit Committee considered.
 - i) If not, provide a copy of their recommendations, and also indicate what is being done to implement them?

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

a) The list of audit reports the Audit Committee considered in 2004-2005 is as follows:

1. Assumed Identities issued under NSW legislation
2. Assumed Identities issued under Commonwealth legislation
3. ACC Adelaide Office
4. Superannuation Delegations
5. ACC Brisbane Office
6. ACC Sydney Office
7. Assumed Identities issued under Commonwealth legislation
8. ACC Melbourne Office
9. ACC wide legal audits
10. ACC Adelaide Office –follow-up
11. ACC Perth Office
12. Covert Intelligence Unit
13. ACC Financial Statements

b) Given the sensitive nature of the classified documents requested by the Committee and the potential adverse impact of their public release, the ACC is unable to provide them to the Committee.