

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
AUSTRALIAN CUSTOMS SERVICE

Question No. 29

Senator Abetz asked the following question at the hearing on 18 February 2008:

Please specify how long the *Oceanic Viking* was diverted from the CCAMLR patrol because of the mission to conduct the surveillance on whaling operations and therefore it was not in the Heard and Macquarie Islands exclusive economic zone.

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

27 days.