

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

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Question No. 65

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

- a) When can applicants for the secure schools grants program first apply and when will this program commence?

- b) Will the Australian Federal Police and Australian Security and Intelligence Organisation be involved in making assessments regarding security at schools?

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

- a) The Department is finalising guidelines for the program and no decisions on timing of applications have been made.

- b) The AFP and ASIO will be consulted in the assessment process to determine schools eligible for the program.