

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS  
AUSTRALIAN CRIME COMMISSION

**Question No. 49**

**Senator Brandis asked the following question at the hearing on 23 February 2009:**

Provide details on the level of funding that was applied from the National Indigenous Violence and Child Abuse Taskforce to Operation Borah.

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

Approximately \$13,800.00 of National Indigenous Intelligence Task Force (NIITF) funding was directed to the conduct of components of Operation Borah. Activity undertaken in the Northern Territory (NT) under Operation Borah was of direct relevance to the NIITF given problems with substance abuse in Indigenous communities across the NT and the specific concern regarding the uptake of amphetamine type stimulants by Indigenous populations.