SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE

Question No. 94

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

What are the current levels of staffing? Has there been a decrease in staffing levels?

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

AFP staffing levels are:

| | AFP Headcount Numbers |
|--------|------------------------------|
| Jul-04 | 4800 |
| Jul-05 | 4990 |
| Jul-06 | 5435 |
| Jul-07 | 6036 + 236 state police * |
| Jul-08 | 6598 + 293 state police |
| Feb-09 | 6304 + 234 state police |

^{*} seconded to the AFP