

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 25 February 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

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Senator Conroy (Written) asked:

Has there been any disciplinary action taken to the incursions into Indonesia against any personnel involved in Operation Sovereign Borders?

- a. How many Navy personnel?**
- b. How many Customs personnel?**
- c. How many other personnel?**

Answer:

Recommendations One and Two of the Joint Review recommend that the Chief of Joint Operations, the Deputy Chief Executive Officer (Border Enforcement) Australian Customs and Border Protection Service (ACBPS) and the Chief of Navy consider any individual lapses in professional conduct. Due to the on-going consideration of the recommendations, it would be inappropriate to provide a response at this time.