

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS  
AUSTRALINA FEDERAL POLICE

**Question No. 15**

**Senator Brandis asked the following question at the hearing on 26 May 2008:**

When was the AFP first notified by the Government of its intention to commence the Clarke Inquiry?

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

The AFP was first notified of the terms of reference for the inquiry and the identity of the person to conduct the inquiry on 13 March 2008.