

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
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Question No. 98

Senator Barnett asked the following question at the hearing on 27 May 2008:

Please provide a status report on the training offered by State Emergency Service Operations.

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

Training offered by State Emergency Service Operations is the responsibility of State and Territory Governments. This will include training of emergency services volunteers that respond to emergency events. The Commonwealth offers some emergency management training opportunities to State and Territory Governments as well as local government and NGOs but further information should be sought directly from the States and Territories.