SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE

Question No. 61

Senator Brandis asked the following question at the hearing on 26 May 2009:

Are there still nine people in hospital following the SIEV 36 incident?

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

The Department of Immigration and Citizenship advise that as at 26 May 2009, four passengers remained in hospital. Three of the passengers were in Royal Brisbane Hospital and one was in Royal Perth Hospital.