SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE

Question No. 41

Senator Madigan asked the following question at the hearing on 30 May 2013:

Senator MADIGAN: How much has the Australian government spent to date on the Jakarta Centre for Law Enforcement Cooperation?

Mr Wood: I can probably get that figure during the hearing. I do not have the data going back for the full period that JCLEC has existed, but I should be able to get that texted through to the team here and put it on the record during the hearing. Certainly, the expenditure in JCLEC is not just from the Australian government. There is a series of donors, particularly from the European Union or from the United States, who also invest.

Senator MADIGAN: We can only deal with what Australia contributes, so that is what I would like to know. **Mr Wood:** I will get that for you, Senator.

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

The Australian Federal Police has incurred \$40.379 m in costs for construction and operation of the Centre from 1 July 2003 to 31 May 2013.