

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
CRIMTRAC

Question No. 152

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 31 October 2006:

For the years 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04, 2003-04, 2005-06:

- (a) How much money was spent on recruiting campaigns?
- (b) Was there a target recruitment figure for those campaigns, if so (i) what was the target; and (ii) what was the actual number of persons recruited for that year? If not, why not?

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

- (a) Recruitment costs of \$107,133 were spent during 2005-06. There were no recruiting campaigns conducted during the remaining specified periods.
- (b) Yes:
 - i) CrimTrac requires 89 permanent staff.
 - ii) A recruitment campaign commenced in 2005-06 and will continue into the next financial year. As at 21 November 2006, CrimTrac employed 67 ongoing APS staff.