

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND**  
**INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO**  
**2012-13 Additional Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** 6

**Question No:** 146

**Topic:** UN Security Council Resolution 1325

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**Senator Rhiannon** asked:

When did Australia start working on the implementation of UN Security Council resolution 1325?

**Answer:**

United Nations Security Council Resolution 1325 (UNCSR 1325) was adopted in October 2000. In 2008, the Office for Women commissioned the Australian branch of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom (WILPF) to conduct research into options for the implementation of UNSCR 1325 in Australia and to conduct community consultations.