

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee**
Answers to questions on notice
Environment and Energy portfolio

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Senator Back, Chris asked:

What proportion of host landholders did you visit onsite?
Were any of these visits in the company of the Wind Farm developer?

Answer:

All host landowners have been met on-site, either at their residence or at a venue in their local community.

Visits are typically coordinated through the wind farm developer/operator. In most cases, the wind farm developer/operator does not attend the meeting with host landholders, which is the Commissioner's preference.