

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

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Question No: AET 56

Topic: ACCC – FOI Requests

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Senator Bushby asked:

1. How many FOI requests have you received since October Estimates?
2. How many have been granted or denied?
3. How many conclusive certificates have been issued in relation to FOI requests?

Answer:

1. During the period 22 October 2010 and 24 February 2011, the ACCC received 13 FOI requests.
2. The outcomes of the 13 FOI requests received during the period between 22 October 2010 and 24 February 2011 are listed below:

FOI request	Number
Granted:	0
Part granted:	2
Denied:	0
Withdrawn:	5
Transferred:	0
Outstanding:	6
Total	13

The above figures are based on decisions made in the period 22 October 2010 to 24 February 2011 on requests received during that period.

3. The ACCC has not issued any conclusive certificates in relation to FOI requests during the period.