

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
AUSTRALIAN CRIME COMMISSION

Question No. 41

Senator Barnett asked the following question at the hearing on 23 February 2009:

What is the status of the Commission's investigation into the five organisations that warranted further investigation in relation to the possession of pornography on publicly funded computers?

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

The ACC is not currently investigating organisations in possession of pornography on publicly funded computers.

The Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs (FaHCSIA) has undertaken audits of holdings on publicly funded computers, with some technical assistance from the ACC.

The technical assistance in relation to this matter has now ceased.

This issue is more appropriately addressed by FaHCSIA.