

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
AUSTRALIAN CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION SERVICE

Question No. 55

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

Can the Committee be provided with a copy of the letter of transmittal provided to the Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts, pertaining to the *Oceanic Viking's* monitoring of whaling in the Southern Ocean last year?

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

A letter of transmittal was not used when delivering the material to the Department of Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts.