

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

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Question No. 73

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

Provide the Committee a copy of the Gibson Quai-AAS Pty Ltd report delivered on 3 November 2008.

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

The Attorney-General recognises there are Commercial-in-Confidence elements in the Attorney-General's Department (AGD) commissioned report *Analysis of the potential impact of an emergency warning system on the capacity of the telecommunications network* by firm Gibson Quai-AAS Pty Ltd.

In order to protect the telecommunication carriers' proprietary information, AGD will provide the Committee with a document (**attached**) including relevant extracts which conveys the information and recommendations of the original report in anticipation that this will satisfy the Committee's information need.