

SENATE LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
COMMONWEALTH DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC PROSECUTIONS

Question No. 125

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 25 May 2006:

How many reported frauds against the Commonwealth make it to prosecution?

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

In 2005 – 2006 the CDPP expects to prosecute in the order of 4,000 defendants for fraud type offences.