SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS AUSTRALIAN COMMISSION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT INTEGRITY

Question No. 29

Senator Barnett asked the following question at the hearing on 25 May 2010:

What types of investigation are the eight cases referred to ACLEI this financial year that do not concern ACC and AFP?

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

ACLEI is authorised under the *Law Enforcement Integrity Commissioner Act 2006* to investigate allegations of corrupt conduct in the Australian Crime Commission (ACC), the Australian Federal Police (AFP), and the former National Crime Authority (NCA).

The eight issues to which the Senator's question refers are matters that, having been assessed by ACLEI, do not concern the ACC, the AFP or the former NCA. Accordingly, these eight issues are outside of ACLEI's jurisdiction and are not under investigation by ACLEI.

In appropriate circumstances, ACLEI refers such information to other agencies.