

SENATE LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LEGISLATION COMMITTEE  
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

**Output 2.2**

**Question No. 150**

**Senator Ludwig asked the following questions at the hearing on 31 October 2005:**

- a) How many proscribed terrorist organisations are there?
- b) Of these, how many have had their assets frozen?
- c) Which ones have had their assets frozen?
- d) In each case, what was the value of the assets?

**The answer to the honourable senator's questions are as follows:**

a) There are 18 proscribed terrorist organisations under the Criminal Code Regulations 2002. These organisations are subject to the terrorist organisation offences under Part 5.3 of the Criminal Code which includes membership and financing offences. All 18 proscribed terrorist organisations have been listed for the purposes of the *Charter of the United Nations Act 1945* (which is administered by the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade). The organisations are:

Abu Sayyaf Group - Listed 14 November 2002 and re-listed 5 November 2004

Al Qa'ida - Listed 21 October 2002 and re-listed 1 September 2004

al-Zaqawi Network - Listed 26 February 2005

Ansar Al-Islam - Listed 27 March 2003 and re-listed 23 March 2005

Armed Islamic Group - Listed 14 November 2002 and re-listed 5 November 2004

Asbat al-Ansar - Listed 11 April 2003 and re-listed 11 April 2005

Egyptian Islamic Jihad - Listed 11 April 2003 and re-listed 11 April 2005

Hamas's Izz al-Din al-Qassam Brigades - Listed in Australia 9 November 2003, re-listed 5 June 2005

Hizballah External Security Organisation - Listed 5 June 2003, re-listed 5 June 2005

Islamic Army of Aden - Listed 11 April 2003 and re-listed 11 April 2005

Islamic Movement of Uzbekistan - Listed 11 April 2003 and re-listed 11 April 2005

Jaish-i-Mohammed - Listed 11 April 2003 and re-listed 11 April 2005

Jamiat ul-Ansar (formerly known as Harakat Ul-Mujahideen) - Listed 14 November 2002 and re-listed 5 November 2004

Jemaah Islamiyah - Listed 27 October 2002 and re-listed 1 September 2004

Lashkar I Jhangvi - Listed 11 April 2003 and re-listed 11 April 2005

Lashkar-e-Tayyiba - Listed 9 November 2003, re-listed 5 June 2005

Palestinian Islamic Jihad - Listed 3 May 2004, re-listed 5 June 2005

Salafist Group for Call and Combat - Listed 14 November 2002 and re-listed 5 November 2004

(b) None

(c) Not applicable

(d) Not applicable .