SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS AUSTRALIAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

Question No. 97

Senator Hanson-Young asked the following question at the hearing on 20 October 2008:

Does the Australian Human Rights Commission believe a Bill of Rights enshrined in our Constitution should be one option considered by the community consultation process?

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

The Commission believes that individuals and organisations supporting constitutional reform should be able to express that view through the consultation process.