

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

Question No. 66

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 18 November 2013:

1. Does the department ever enact legislation or policies that are not government policy or laws that are not passed by the parliament?
2. Does the government ever use recommended policies that are not yet enacted or decided by government in making its decisions?

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

- 1.-2. The department acts in accordance with legislation and government policy.