

**JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON AUSTRALIA'S
IMMIGRATION DETENTION NETWORK**

Q213

Question: How do you justify the \$3 million claim?

Answer: The department advised that close to \$3 million has been injected into the local Adelaide Hills economy since the Inverbrackie facility was commissioned.

The department has spent \$600,000 with various local traders for work relating to infrastructure at the Inverbrackie facility.

Additionally, to provide adequate services to clients the Detention Service provider has spent:

- \$1,249,463 at Klose's Supermarket,
- \$280,000 on bus services to take children to and from school,
- \$45,558 at Lobethal Bakery, and
- \$25,794 at Top cut foods.

DIAC and the detention service provider staff have contributed significantly to local businesses, to purchase accommodation, meals and so on. This data is unavailable as it is personal expenditure.