

Joint Committee on Human Rights

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ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Social Services

Topic: Family Responsibilities Commission Model

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Question asked by: Lidia Thorpe

Type of Question: Written. **Hansard Page/s:** N/A

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Question:

17. How does the government plan to transition all existing compulsory income management regimes to voluntary "opt in" systems, ensuring that choice and self-determination are central to reforms?

Answer:

Transition arrangements will be informed by consultation activity currently underway. Detailed information on Income Management consultation activity can be found in the response provided to SQ24-000584.