

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND
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2010-11 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 5

Question No: 79

Topic: Ongoing Residency Requirement for Disability Support Pension

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Senator Siewert asked:

Has or will the Government get legal advice on whether the right of freedom of movement under Australia's international obligations are compromised by the proposed changes to DSP?

If so, are the changes consistent with our international obligations?

Answer:

All legislation is drafted taking account of Australia's international obligations.