

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings

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Question No: 283

Topic: Paid Parental Leave

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Senator Moore asked:

I understand the scheme will involve the Department of Human Services making payments - how much will this cost administratively? Has this amount been factored into the costs of the scheme? Has this been agreed with the Department of Human Services?

Answer:

The cost of administering the new Paid Parental Leave scheme including Department of Human Services costs will be determined once detailed policy and implementation arrangements are determined. Final policy and implementation details for the new scheme are still subject to decisions of the Government.