Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 1 Question No: 291

Topic: Dad and Partner Pay

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Senator Moore asked:

Please also provide the estimated costs, over the forward estimates, of Dad and Partner Pay.

Answer:

Over the forward estimates, it is estimated that the amount of outlays for Dad and Partner Pay under the current scheme will be \$74.514 million for 2014-15, \$76.711 million for 2015-16 and \$79.088 million for 2016-17. This is reported on page 51 of the Department of Social Services Additional Estimates Statements 2013-14.

The estimated outlays for forward years for the new scheme are being finalised.