

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

**Outcome Number:** 4

**Question No:** 377

**Topic:** Pension Bonus Scheme

**Hansard Page:** Written

**Senator Moore** asked:

Please provide the current projections for the cost of the Pension Bonus Scheme over the forward estimates.

**Answer:**

The total liability over the life of the Scheme was estimated by the Australian Government Actuary to be \$847 million in June 2013.

Please refer to *FaHCSIA Financial Statements, Note 21: Administered Provisions* on page 222 of the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs 2012-13 Annual Report.