

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

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Question No: 543

Topic: Remote, Rural and Regional

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Senator Polley asked:

- 1) Has the Department visited Broken Hill to investigate issues with the Council owned facility? If not, are there plans to do so?
- 2) Has the Minister or his Assistant Minister visited Broken Hill? If not are there plans to do so?

Answer:

- 1) No. Departmental Officers have been liaising with Broken Hill City Council's Aged Care Co-ordinator regarding the tender for sale of the service and now the planned closure.
- 2) No. There are no plans to visit Broken Hill at this stage.