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

## 2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 11 Question No: 659

**Topic:** Pensioner Education Supplement

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## **Senator Moore** asked:

Please provide the number and percentage of people on Pensioner Education Supplement who exited the payment within three months.

## **Answer:**

Of the 14,591 recipients granted Pensioner Education Supplement in the three months between 1 July 2013 and 30 September 2013, 21.2 per cent or 3,086 had exited payment within three months.

Note: Exits data for those commencing payment in the December 2013 quarter is not available. Exit data has to allow for the relevant measurement period of 3 months elapsing.