

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Social Services Portfolio
2014-15 Budget Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 1

Question No: 72

Topic: Disability Support Pension - Review Recipients aged under 35 years

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Senator Brown asked:

Does the Government expect to reduce DSP outlays as a result of these reviews?

- a. By how much?
- b. How many people does this mean losing DSP?

Answer:

Yes, DSP outlays are expected to reduce as a result of this measure.

- a. DSP outlays are expected to reduce by around \$85.405 million over the forward estimates period.
- b. It is estimated that 1,400 DSP recipients reviewed under this measure will have DSP cancelled.