

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

**Outcome Number: 4**

**Question No: 113**

**Topic: National Partnership Agreement on Homelessness (NPAH)**

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**Senator McLucas asked:**

Please disaggregate the \$115 million for the 2014-15 NPAH to reflect the base money, the SACS money and the indexation (refer p6 estimates transcript 5/6/14). Please also outline what indexation methodology will be applied.

**Answer:**

\$111.7 million – Base rate.

\$3.3 million – Contribution to increased costs and SACS.

\$115 million – Total.

This contribution was determined by the Government in a tight fiscal environment in which there was no money in the forward estimates.