Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Social Services Portfolio

2014-15 Budget Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 1 Question No: 114

Topic: Family Payment Reform - Better targeting of Family Tax Benefit Part B

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Senator Brown asked:

How many families who currently receive both FTB A and B will no longer receive FTB B but will continue to receive FTB A after this change?

Answer:

Of the families who will no longer be eligible for FTB Part B by 2017-18 because of the reduction in the primary earner income limit to \$100,000, an estimated 56,700 also receive FTB Part A. These families will continue to receive FTB Part A.