

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

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Question No: 210

Topic: Multicultural Grants

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Senator Moore asked:

1. Between 7 September 2013 to 5 June 2014, were any complaints or issues received regarding the Building Multicultural Communities program?
2. What specifics of the issues raised by organisations?
3. What was the Department's response for each of the issues raised?

Answer:

1. The Department has provided clarification to organisations relating to their particular circumstances in response to their correspondence. Details in relation to the following specific organisations has already been provided in response to Questions on Notice (QoN) from the 2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings: Activate Community Services (also known as the Welcome Centre) (QoN 589, 590 and 592), Gungahlin Jets Football Club (QoN 593), Newcastle and Hunter Ethnic Communities Council (QoN 595), South Australian German Association (QoN 596) and Filipino Australian Society of the Hunter Valley (QoN 600). Providing a similar level of detail relating to all relevant organisations would be too resource intensive.
2. Refer to Answer 1.
3. Refer to Answer 1.