Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Social Services Portfolio

2014-15 Budget Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 1 Question No: 429

Topic: Apply the One-Week ordinary waiting period to all working age payments

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Senator Brown asked:

Has the Department estimated how many people this measure will impact per year?

Answer:

It is estimated that approximately 258,000 additional new claimants per year will be affected by this measure.