

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

Outcome Number: 1

Question No: 701

Topic: Increasing the Age Pension Qualifying Age to 70

Hansard Page: Written

Senator Brown asked:

Does the department accept that increasing the age pension age is likely to result on some people who are ineligible for the age pension going onto other welfare payments?

Answer:

Yes, as it does when the pension age rises to 67 by July 2023.