Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

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Topic: Construction in Blackstone **Hansard Page:** 22/10/10 – CA53-54

Senator Adams asked:

Gyprock is being used for internal walls instead of precast concrete or bricks because of environmental conditions. Having seen a demonstration of a new house with the wall kicked in, where is that going to go?

Answer:

The dwellings in Blackstone have been constructed with internal walls of fibre cement rather than gyprock as this has proven to be more durable over the life of the dwelling.