Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

2013-14 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 4 Question No: 33

Topic: Seniors Supplement

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Senator Peris asked:

Please provide a break down by state and territory of the number of seniors supplement recipients for 2012-13.

Answer:

Estimated number of Seniors Supplement recipients at 30 June 2013

State/Territory	Number of
	Seniors
New South Wales	98,347
Victoria	73,618
Queensland	51,447
Western Australia	28,708
South Australia	19,328
Tasmania	5,691
Australian Capital Territory	5,679
Northern Territory	853
Undetermined	568
Total	284,239

Note: This total number of Seniors Supplement recipients was included in the 2012-13 FaHCSIA Annual Report. These figures show an estimate of the state/territory break up.