

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014 - 2015, 22 October 2014

Ref No: SQ14-001277

OUTCOME: 2 - Access to Pharmaceutical Services

Topic: Payment for Wholesalers and Pharmacy Programs

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: McLucas, Jan

Question:

What accounted for the \$406 million payment for wholesalers and pharmacy programs when it was forecast to be \$216 million in 2014-15 in the 2013-14 Budget?

Answer:

Please refer to the response provided to Question on Notice SQ14-001184.