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ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Senator Claire Moore asked:

Is the department aware of how many contracts went to organisations that did not have a service footprint at the location the service was to be provided prior to receiving funding? Is there any way that we can actually see from the list of successful grant recipients how many of those had no previous experience in a certain region?

Answer:

Examination of more than 5,500 applications against 900 or more contracts to map and answer this question would require an unreasonable diversion of resources.