QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING : 08 February 2016

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE16/017) - Passenger Movement Charges Perth International Airport -Programme 1.2: Border Management

Senator Lines, Sue (L&CA 43) asked:

Senator LINES: Great; thank you. What amount is collected in Passenger Movement Charges at Perth international airport annually?

Mr Quaedvlieg: Again, it is a question I will take a notice, unless the chief financial officer has that information to hand in his pack. I am sure he is readily looking at that now, but I do not have an answer to hand.

Mr Groves: Sorry to be an anticlimax, but we do not track Passenger Movement Charge collections by airport. All Passenger Movement Charges are collected by airlines and normally as part of the ticket price et cetera

Senator LINES: Can you track it by airlines that land and depart from Perth?

Mr Groves: No, we do not track it by that.

Senator LINES: You have no idea?

Mr Groves: We could probably do a rough calculation based on movements through the airport and on the Passenger Movement Charge, being the \$55 per departure. Certainly we could do that but we do not track the collections per se.

Senator LINES: Your estimate will do.

Answer:

Between 1 July 2015 and 31 January 2016, the estimated Passenger Movement Charge (PMC) for eligible departing passengers at Perth International Airport is \$63.6m.