QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES – 26 – 27 MAY 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(BE14/332) PROGRAMME – 1.2: Visa and Citizenship

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

Of the 135 non-university providers how many were surveyed or how many had 100 international students?

Answer:

At the time of determining eligibility to participate in the extended streamlined visa processing arrangements, a total of 97 non-university providers were registered in the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students to deliver bachelor, masters or doctoral degree courses to international students.

Of these providers, 22 achieved a lower immigration risk rating and were associated with at least 100 active student visas.