

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES 2017**

**Administrative Appeals Tribunal**

**Question No. BE17-142**

**Senator Carr asked the following question on 22 May 2017:**

Please provide the top five reasons the AAT overturns decisions by the Minister or department. Please provide the top five reasons the AAT has upheld decisions made by the Minister of department.

**The responses to the honourable senator's questions are as follows:**

The Administrative Appeals Tribunal does not categorise and record for statistical purposes the reasons for affirming, varying, setting aside or remitting decisions relating to visas made under the *Migration Act 1958*. The AAT does not have statistical information of this kind.