

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 20 OCTOBER 2014**

**IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO**

**(SE14/060) PROGRAMME –**

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How much influence does the MRT-RRT have with the department?

*Answer:*

The MRT-RRT's roles, jurisdiction and powers are set out in the Migration Act 1958 and the Migration Regulations 1994. The MRT-RRT and department have a memorandum of understanding which sets out liaison arrangements between the tribunals and the department.