

## QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

### SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 20 OCTOBER 2014

#### IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

#### **(SE14/340) PROGRAMME – 3.3 and 3.4: Illegal Maritime Arrival (IMA) Onshore Management**

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How many detainees will be/have been transferred from Inverbrackie Immigration Detention Centre?

- Which detention centred will they/were they transferred to?
- How many have been/are going to be released into the community?
- How many have been/are going to be voluntarily returned?
- How many have been/are going to be involuntarily returned?

*Answer:*

During the period 1 June 2014 to 27 November 2014, 58<sup>1</sup> detainees were transferred from Inverbrackie Alternative Place of Detention (APOD).

- a. The detention centres transferred to were Construction Camp APOD, Bladin, Melbourne Immigration Transit Accommodation (ITA), Phosphate Hill APOD, Wickham Point APOD and Adelaide ITA.
- b. There have been 7 detainees from Inverbrackie Alternative Place of Detention released into the community on a Bridging Visa E and 107 released into Community Detention between 1 June 2014 and 27 November 2014.
- c/d. The department does not record information on removals from specific detention centres in a consolidated manner.

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<sup>1</sup> Does not include transfers to Regional Processing Centres.