Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2011-12 Budget Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: Whole Question No: 382

Topic: Government Payment of Accounts

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Senator Boyce asked:

For accounts not paid within 30 days, is interest being paid on overdue amounts and if so how much has been paid by the portfolio/department agency for the current financial year and the previous financial year?

Answer:

As at 31 May 2011 for both the current and previous financial year, there was one instance across the portfolio where interest was paid on an overdue amount. The amount of interest paid was \$425.25.