

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(36) Output 1.1: Migration and Temporary Entry

Senator Ellison (L&CA 112) asked:

What work is the Australian Population, Immigration and Multicultural Research Program currently undertaking?

Answer:

The Australian Population, Immigration and Multicultural Research Program (APIMR) is currently undertaking two projects.

The first project is entitled *The People of Australia*, a series of statistical reports on the Australian population by local government area (LGA) for each state and territory and for Australia as a whole. These publications are based on 2006 census data.

The second current project is *Empowering Refugees: A Good Practice Guide to Humanitarian Settlement*. The guide will include examples of good settlement practice from each jurisdiction (twenty nine projects in all).