

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(AE12/0177) Program 1.1: Visa and Migration

Senator Cash asked:

Is the department planning to do a review of the risk profiles of ETA countries? If not, why not?

Answer:

As detailed in the response to question 169, risk is monitored on an ongoing basis for all visas. Key adverse outcomes, such as refused immigration clearance and onshore compliance activity, are analysed as they happen to alert visa processing and border control staff to emerging integrity issues.