

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 11 February 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(AE13/0367) PROGRAM – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

What is the current operational and contingency capacity at Villawood, by compound? Has capacity been exceeded in 2012-13? If so, when and for how long?

Answer:

As at cob 11 February 2013:

	Operational capacity	Contingency capacity
VIDC – Fowler	80	181
VIDC – Blaxland	60	60
VIDC – Banksia	34	34
VIDC - Hughes	205	205

The contingency capacity was not exceeded in 2012-13.