

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 11 February 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(AE13/0387) PROGRAM – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

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

Answer:

As at cob 11 February 2013:

- The operational capacity at Yongah Hill IDC was 600
- The contingency capacity of Yongah Hill IDC was 600
- The contingency capacity was not exceeded in 2012-13.