

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES - 25 FEBRUARY 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE14/247) PROGRAMME – Operation Sovereign Borders

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

What is the breakdown of the \$2.0 billion to be spent over 4 years for the offshore processing of asylum seekers?

Answer:

The breakdown of the allocation is as follows as published in the Mid-Year Economic and Fiscal Outlook 2013-14:-

	2013-14 \$m	2014-15 \$m	2015-16 \$m	2016-17 \$m	Total \$m
Operating	405.9	1,007.0	490.3	-236.2	1,667.0
Capital	180.1	202.3	-	-	382.4

Decisions on the allocation of funding to specific offshore processing activities will be made as the programme and demand necessitates.