

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES - 25 FEBRUARY 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE14/075) PROGRAMME – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Carr (L&CA 98) asked:

Senator KIM CARR: Thank you. Can you also advise the committee as to whether or not the government, either the department or ministers, have requested that these aircraft movements not be tracked?

Mr M Cahill: I am unaware of any request to have the aircraft not tracked, but I will check with the logistics area that manages that and take it on notice.

Answer:

The government has not requested that movements by its contracted air charter providers not be tracked.