

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

(52) Output 1.1: Migration and Temporary Entry

Senator Carr (L&C 62) asked:

In relation to MaxiTRANS, have there been any inquiries into occupational health and safety matters, particularly whether or not signs are also in Chinese?

Answer:

No allegations have been made to DIMA regarding occupational health and safety (OH&S) matters, however, DIMA is aware that all overseas workers at MaxiTRANS were provided a full set of translated Safe Work Procedures in their native language plus a full list of signs in the workplace translated into their native language.