

## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 22 May 2007**

### **IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

#### **(130) Output 2.1: Settlement Services**

Senator Hurley (L&CA 58) asked:

- a) What is the term of the AMEP Research Centre contract?
- b) When does the contract cease?
- c) What is the contract worth?

*Answer:*

- a) The AMEP Research Centre contract is for a five year term.
- b) The contract expires on 30 December 2009.
- c) The Commonwealth will provide up to \$8.9m with annual CPI adjustments over the five years of the contract. The AMEP Research Centre is required to make an equivalent annual contribution, made up through technical, professional and administrative infrastructure.