

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 26 MAY 2010**

**IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

**(24) Program 1.1: Visa and Migration**

Senator Barnett (L&C 62) asked:

How many 485 applications were declined in 2008-09 and 2009-10?

*Answer:*

Table 1) Subclass 485 Activity 2008-09 to 2009-10 (to 31 May 2010). Primary and secondary combined.

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>2008/2009</b>	<b>2009/2010</b>
Granted	14458	19910
Refused	1950	1805
Withdrawn	2091	1908