## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

## **BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 26 MAY 2010**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

## (36) Program 2.1: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance

Senator Humphries (L&C 73) asked:

At which posts have overseas humanitarian and refugee visa grants been made in the last year and how many were made in each post?

## Answer.

To 31 May 2010, 8394 visas had been granted offshore under the 2009–10 Humanitarian Program. The breakdown by post is as follows:

Post	Visas granted 2009–10 to 31 May 2010
Amman	1047
Ankara	428
Athens	11
Auckland	1
Bangkok	1263
Beijing	43
Beirut	138
Belgrade	2
Berlin	14
Cairo	365
Colombo	165
Dhaka	138
Dili	4
Dubai	441
Guangzhou	16
Hanoi	1
Islamabad	2
Jakarta	115
Kuala Lumpur	315
Manila	1
Moscow	15
Nairobi	1299
New Delhi	1318
Pretoria	834
Santiago De Chile	5
Shanghai	22
Suva	14
Tehran	371
Washington	6
Total	8394