

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 26 MAY 2010

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(45) Program 4.1: Visa Compliance and Status Resolution

Senator Humphries (L&C 77) asked:

How many failed asylum applicants have been removed from Australia?

Answer:

Between October 2008 and 15 June 2010, 75 Irregular Maritime Arrivals who were found not to be owed protection have been removed from Australia.