

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 24 MAY 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE11/0263) Program 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash asked:

What is DIAC's role in approving houses sourced by the not-for-profits as being suitable as an APOD?

Answer:

Not for profit organisations do not source accommodation for use as an Alternative Places of Detention. The Red Cross and other subcontracted organisations source appropriate housing for people granted community detention placements.