

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 24 MAY 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE11/0307) Program 4.1: Visa Compliance and Status Resolution

Senator Cash asked:

How many failed asylum seekers waiting to be removed are unable to be removed because of issues around their citizenship?

Answer:

As at 20 May 2011, there were no failed IMA asylum seekers waiting to be removed for whom citizenship issues were preventing removal.