

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 23-24 MAY 2011**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(BE11/0367) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network**

Senator Cash asked:

The department also states that it does not keep records of how many people have had internet privileges removed for a short period of time. How long is a short period of time in terms of having their internet privileges removed?

*Answer:*

The length of time for which a particular sanction, such as the suspension of internet privileges, is imposed will depend on the specific circumstances and are determined as part of a broader behavioural management plan.