

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 24 MAY 2011**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(BE11/0506) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network**

Senator Cash (L&CA 109) asked:

Contract notice CN350097 states:

Agency Department of Immigration and Citizenship

Publish Date 2-Dec-2010

Category Internet services

Contract Period 19-Oct-2010 to 30-Jun-2011

Contract Value (AUD) \$118,730.71

And it gives supplier details as Skymesh in Fortitude Valley. What internet services were provided and where were they provided to?

*Answer:*

The internet services were provided for staff and key stakeholders at the Curtin Immigration Detention Centre for work purposes. This was a temporary measure employed pending a permanent internet solution being installed.