

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE11/0749) Program 2.1: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance

Senator Fielding (L&CA 125) asked:

In relation to the research that has been commissioned from Professor Graeme Hugo into the social, economic and civic contributions made by first- and second-generation humanitarian entrants, when is the report due?

Answer:

The report *Economic, Social and Civic Contributions of First and Second Generation Humanitarian Entrants* by Professor Graeme Hugo, was launched by Minister Bowen on Friday 17 June at the University of New South Wales' 2011 *Refugee Conference*. An accompanying summary of findings booklet to the report, entitled *A Significant Contribution*, was also launched by the Minister.

Professor Hugo's research report, and the booklet *A Significant Contribution*, can be found on the Department's website at:

www.immi.gov.au/media/publications/research/