

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 21-22 MAY 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE12/0165) Program: Internal Product

Senator Humphries asked:

Portfolio wide: Electricity purchasing - What are the department/agency electricity costs for this financial year to date?

Answer:

DIAC

From 1 July 2011 to 31 May 2012, the department paid \$ 7 175 174 for electricity costs associated with office accommodation, detention facilities and airport operations.

MRT-RRT

The MRT-RRT's electricity costs for the financial year to date were \$126 585.