

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 21-22 MAY 2012**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(BE12/0244) Program 2.1: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance**

Senator Cash asked:

Broken down by financial year since 2007-08, how many people who have been given protection visas from the IMA case load since August 2008 have applied for some form of family reunion under the special humanitarian visa? How many visas were granted and what were the subclasses of those visas?

*Answer:*

It is not possible to extract from DIAC systems figures on the number of Protection visa grantees who have applied for some form of family reunion under the special humanitarian visa classification.