

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 27-28 May 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE13/0008) PROGRAM – 4.1: Visa Compliance and Status Resolution

Senator Hanson-Young (L&CA 25) asked:

Senator CASH: Were you able to distil down those with work rights and those without work rights?

Mr Bowles: We have not at this stage, but I will see if we can get that for tomorrow.

Answer:

As at 30 April 2013, of the 10 327 IMAs on bridging visas, 5301 were permitted to work and 5026 were not.