

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 27-28 May 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE13/0157) PROGRAM – 4.2: Onshore Detention Network

Senator Abetz (L&CA 94) asked:

Senator ABETZ: Was the Tasmanian Polytechnic trying to get unqualified teachers to teach these young people, to your knowledge?

Mr Douglas: I am not aware of that. I would need to check that.

Answer:

No. The Department's arrangement with the Polytechnic requires program delivery by qualified teaching staff.