

## QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

### BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 27-28 May 2013

#### IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

#### (BE13/0308) PROGRAM – 2.1: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

For each post, please provide a breakdown by nationality of all offshore applications for humanitarian and refugee visas received in 2012-13 to date?

*Answer:*

The following table provides, for each post, a breakdown of nationality of all offshore applications for refugee and humanitarian visas in 2012-13 to 30 April 2013.

**Table 1: Persons lodging an application for a refugee and humanitarian visa by post and nationality for 2012-13 to 30 April 2013**

Post	Birth Country	No of persons
Amman	Afghanistan	7
	Egypt	5
	Germany	3
	Iran	4
	Iraq	4129
	Jordan	5
	Kuwait	13
	Lebanon	10
	Libya	2
	Palestinian Authority	21
	Qatar	2
	Saudi Arabia	3
	Stateless	3
	Syria	1012
	United Arab Emirates	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>5222</b>	

<b>Ankara</b>	Afghanistan	4
	Egypt	3
	Ethiopia	1
	Iran	309
	Iraq	1615
	Palestinian Authority	1
	Syria	9
	Turkey	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1943</b>
<b>Bangkok</b>	Cambodia	10
	China	12
	Congo	8
	Cote D'Ivoire	1
	Democratic Republic of the Congo	1
	Egypt	2
	Iran	3
	Iraq	13
	Myanmar	1572
	Pakistan	17
	Palestinian Authority	2
	Sri Lanka	32
	Syria	36
	Thailand	87
	Vietnam	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>1800</b>	

<b>Beijing</b>	China	1
	India	1
	Pakistan	1
	Somalia	1
	Syria	7
	<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Beirut</b>		
	Afghanistan	2
	Egypt	10
	Germany	2
	Indonesia	1
	Iran	32
	Iraq	667
	Jordan	1
	Lebanon	90
	Pakistan	1
	Palestinian Authority	52
	Romania	1
	Russian Federation	1
	Saudi Arabia	24
	Syria	2366
	Turkey	2
	United Arab Emirates	13
	Unknown	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>3280</b>	

<b>Berlin</b>	Afghanistan	19
	Bosnia-Herzegovina	4
	Cote D'Ivoire	1
	Egypt	4
	Eritrea	3
	Ethiopia	1
	Former Yugoslavia	8
	Iraq	8
	Kosovo	6
	Myanmar	3
	Nigeria	3
	Pakistan	1
	Russian Federation	11
	Sudan	13
	Syria	9
	Ukraine	3
	United Kingdom	1
Uzbekistan	5	
<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>	
<b>Brasilia</b>	Cuba	18
	Democratic Republic of the Congo	1
	Venezuela	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>

<b>Cairo</b>	Burkina Faso	1
	Cameroon	12
	Chad	5
	Congo	6
	Cote D'Ivoire	18
	Egypt	176
	Eritrea	1348
	Ethiopia	1010
	Guinea	4
	Iraq	17
	Kuwait	2
	Libya	10
	Mali	1
	Myanmar	1
	Nigeria	24
	Rwanda	2
	Saudi Arabia	11
	Somalia	11
	South Sudan	290
	Sudan	1606
	Syria	56
Uganda	1	
United Arab Emirates	1	
Yemen	5	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>4618</b>
<b>Colombo</b>	Sri Lanka	15
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Dili</b>	Myanmar	5
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>

<b>Dubai</b>	Afghanistan	1273
	Bahrain	5
	Ethiopia	7
	Iran	12
	Iraq	14
	Kuwait	1
	Pakistan	213
	Palestinian Authority	1
	Saudi Arabia	4
	Somalia	1
	Sudan	1
	Syria	73
	United Arab Emirates	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1606</b>
<b>HK SAR of the PRC</b>	Indonesia	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Jakarta</b>	Afghanistan	546
	Iran	109
	Iraq	47
	Kuwait	1
	Pakistan	11
	Somalia	1
	Sri Lanka	74
	<b>Total</b>	<b>789</b>
<b>Kuala Lumpur</b>	Afghanistan	30
	Bangladesh	4
	Chad	1
	Ethiopia	3
	Iran	18
	Iraq	32
	Kuwait	3
	Malaysia	5
	Myanmar	1464
	Pakistan	8
	Somalia	12
	Sri Lanka	22
	Sudan	6
	Syria	17
<b>Total</b>	<b>1625</b>	

<b>Melbourne Iris</b>	Afghanistan	3539
	Bosnia-Herzegovina	6
	Ethiopia	3
	Iran	189
	Iraq	4004
	Jordan	9
	Kuwait	57
	Lebanon	56
	Myanmar	4
	Pakistan	125
	Palestinian Authority	21
	Saudi Arabia	1
	Syria	715
	Turkey	4
	Yemen	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8736</b>
<b>Nairobi</b>	Austria	1
	Bangladesh	1
	Burkina Faso	1
	Burundi	121
	Congo	59
	Democratic Republic of the Congo	1356
	Eritrea	202
	Ethiopia	563
	Guinea	5
	Kenya	4
	Liberia	142
	Malawi	1
	Mali	11
	Nigeria	4
	Rwanda	53
	Saudi Arabia	6
	Sierra Leone	30
	Somalia	168
	South Africa	11
	South Sudan	61
	Sudan	193
	Tanzania	7
	Togo	10
	Uganda	5
Zambia	1	
Zimbabwe	10	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3026</b>	

<b>New Delhi</b>	Afghanistan	854
	Bangladesh	3
	Bhutan	850
	Eritrea	3
	India	4
	Iran	6
	Myanmar	289
	Nepal	8
	Rwanda	3
	Somalia	45
	Sri Lanka	81
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2146</b>
<b>Pretoria</b>	Democratic Republic of the Congo	6
	Ethiopia	1
	Liberia	104
	Malawi	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>112</b>
<b>Santiago De Chile</b>	Colombia	6
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Seoul</b>	Afghanistan	2
	China	3
	Pakistan	1
	Philippines	5
	Sri Lanka	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Singapore</b>	Singapore	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Suva</b>	Fiji	13
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>



<b>Sydney Iris</b>	Algeria	2
	Bangladesh	1
	Belarus	1
	Bosnia-Herzegovina	8
	Burundi	42
	Cameroon	5
	Central African Republic	1
	China	6
	Congo	8
	Democratic Republic of the Congo	137
	Egypt	26
	Eritrea	216
	Ethiopia	918
	Fiji	16
	Gambia	3
	Georgia	2
	Germany	2
	Ghana	1
	Guinea	14
	India	1
	Indonesia	6
	Iraq	7
	Kenya	1
	Kyrgyzstan	2
	Liberia	121
	Malaysia	1
	Myanmar	379
	Nepal	2
	North Korea	7
	Pakistan	9
	Palestinian Authority	1
	Papua New Guinea	1
	Philippines	4
	Rwanda	25
	Saudi Arabia	11
	Sierra Leone	160
	Somalia	424
	South Sudan	79
	Sri Lanka	74
	Sudan	423
Syria	2	
Tanzania	6	

	Thailand	10
	Tibet (so stated)	4
	Togo	1
	Vietnam	2
	Zimbabwe	4
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3176</b>
<b>Tehran</b>	Afghanistan	3405
	Iran	391
	Iraq	11
	Syria	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3808</b>
<b>Washington</b>	Colombia	17
	Cuba	1
	El Salvador	5
	Ethiopia	1
	Guatemala	1
	Hungary	4
	Mexico	3
	Moldova	4
	Ukraine	4
	United States	1
	Zimbabwe	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>42</b>

**Notes:**

Data for 2012-13 program year was extracted from departmental systems on 16 June 2013.  
The country of birth of principal visa applicants is applied to secondary visa applicants.

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