

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 27-28 May 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE13/0325) PROGRAM – 4.1: Visa Compliance and Status Resolution

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

How many compliance raids were carried out by DIAC officers either individually or in partnership with other federal government or state/territory government authorities in 12/13?

Answer:

In the period from 1 July 2012 to 30 April 2013, compliance field teams conducted 3 515 field operations, either individually or in partnership with other federal government or state/territory government authorities.