

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 30 October 2006**

**IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO**

**(183) Output 1.3: Enforcement of Immigration Law**

Senator Crossin (L&CA 6) asked:

In relation to Litigation, what is the amount that has been paid by way of applicants' costs during the 2005-06 financial year?

*Answer:*

In the financial year 2005-06 the Department paid by way of applicants' costs \$3.4m.