

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 20 OCTOBER 2009

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(30) Program 2.1: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance

Senator Hanson-Young (L&CA 68) asked:

What are the IAAAS costs for Christmas Island?

Answer:

The cost of providing IAAAS services on Christmas Island in 2008-09 was \$957,145, as outlined in the Department's recently tabled *2008-09 Annual Report* (page 98).