

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 20 OCTOBER 2009

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(60) Program: Internal Product

Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked:

1. Does the Department prepare electorate level reports for Ministers? What data is included in these reports? How often is this updated? Why is this material not publicly available? Please provide a copy of each such report produced in the immigration and citizenship portfolio since November 2007.
2. Has electoral specific data been used by the Rudd Government in any grants scheme since November 2007?
3. Are there plans to publish a full suite of electoral reports on the Department's website? If not, why not? If so, when? What data will be included?

Answer:

1. No.
2. No.
3. No.