

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 OCTOBER 2010

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(106) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network

Senator Cash (L&CA 111) asked:

You said that the anticipated capital cost to build the new centre in Northam is \$164.5 million. Could you tell me what it would cost to actually bring stage 3 of Curtin up to operational capacity for another 600 people?

Answer:

Stage 3 of Curtin for a further 600 places is estimated to cost in the order of \$60M.