

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 OCTOBER 2010**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(432) Program: Internal Product**

Senator Barnett asked:

Has the Department/agency received any FOI requests for its Incoming Government Brief ('Blue Book')? If yes, when and will it be released?

*Answer:*

The Department has received a number of FOI requests for the Incoming Government Brief ('Blue Book'). It will be released once the delegated decision maker examines the contents of all briefs and has finalised the decision.