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Question Number	Program	Senator	Broad Topic	Question	Date	Proof Hansard or Written	Final answer received	Date tabled
SE11/0001	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	Opening statement	Provide a copy of the first draft of the Secretary's opening statement.	17/10/2011	6	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0002	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	2011-12 budget	Confirm that as of 17 October, are there any budgeted items that have already exceeded the 2011-2012 budgetary figure?	17/10/2011	8	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0003	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	Funding of Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre	How much funding did the Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre receive from the IAAAS Program in 2010-2011?	17/10/2011	10	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0004	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	Funding of Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre	How much funding did the Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre receive from the Department in 2010-2011?	17/10/2011	10	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0005	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	Media Access	Of the 734 Afghanis who are on a negative pathway, how many are involved in the court process and how long has each of these people been in the court process to date?	17/10/2011	28	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0006	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	Papua New Guinea	Following the High Court decision, when did the Government seek advice in relation to Papua New Guinea as an offshore processing centre.	17/10/2011	39	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0007	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	Nauru	In relation to the \$1 billion over four years for Nauru, provide a breakdown of that figure over the four years.	17/10/2011	39	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0008	Internal Product	Senator Michaela Cash	Papua New Guinea	Was any advice received from the Solicitor-General, after the coalition's amendment, on whether Papua New Guinea could be used as an offshore processing centre.	17/10/2011	41	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0009	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the current policy in relation to media access to detainees developed?	17/10/2011	43	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0010	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the last official media inspection or visit to Villawood Detention Centre?	17/10/2011	43	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0011	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the last official media inspection or visit to Christmas Island Detention facilities (North West Point and Construction Camp)?	17/10/2011	43	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0012	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the last official media inspection or visit to Darwin Detention facilities?	17/10/2011	43	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0013	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the last official media inspection or visit to Pontville Detention facilities?	17/10/2011	43	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0014	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the last official media inspection or visit to Inverbrackie Detention facilities?	17/10/2011	43	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0015	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the last official media inspection or visit to Maribyrnong Detention facilities?	17/10/2011	43	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0016	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	When was the last official media inspection or visit to Curtain Detention facilities?	17/10/2011	43	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0017	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access	How many requests for media access has the Department received in the past six months? Of these, how many were approved?	17/10/2011	45	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0018	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Media Access Protocol	Provide a copy of the protocol for the use of social media (particularly in relation to the use of Twitter) by departmental staff.	17/10/2011	45	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0019	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Research	Does the Department have a research unit? Has the research unit ever commissioned any work on the use of deterrents and what the possible responses are? If not, why not? What measurements are used to assess whether a policy is acting as a deterrent?	17/10/2011	51 and Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0020	Internal Product	Senator Brandis	Malaysian Arrangement	In relation to the advice the Department received prior to the High Court decision on Malaysia, did Mr Ian Deane provide several individual pieces of written advice?	17/10/2011	54	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0021	Internal Product	Senator Brandis	Malaysian Arrangement	In relation to the advice the Department received prior to the High Court decision on Malaysia, provide dates upon which the three pieces of written advice were provided by the Solicitor General.	17/10/2011	55	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0022	Internal Product	Senator Brandis	Malaysian Arrangement	In relation to the advice the Department received prior to the High Court decision on Malaysia, what particular aspects of international law was the Office of International Law asked to advise about?	17/10/2011	57-58	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0023	Internal Product	Senator Brandis	Malaysian Arrangement	In relation to the advice the Department received prior to the High Court decision on Malaysia, was written advice provided by Mr Ian Deane and the Office of International Law on the Convention against Torture?	17/10/2011	58	8/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0024	Internal Product	Senator Brandis	Malaysian Arrangement	In relation to the advice the Department received prior to 31 August 2011, provide all of the particular topics on which advice was sought from the Office of International Law, Mr Ian Deane and the Solicitor General	17/10/2011	58-59	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0025	Internal Product	Senator Brandis	Malaysian Arrangement	At the meetings with Mr Abbott, Senator Brandis and the Secretary on 7 and 16 September, the Opposition asked for the legal advice on the basis of which this policy was sought to be put into effect, and on the basis of which the Minister confidently claimed that it was on solid legal grounds, to be produced. Please produce the advice.	17/10/2011	60	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0026	Internal Product	Senator Brandis	Nauru	Has the Government sought advice from the Solicitor-General, Mr Deane or other officers of the Attorney-General's Department or, from the Office of International Law subsequent to the publication of Dr David Bennett's (former Commonwealth Solicitor-General) opinion about the feasibility of the Nauru solution published in the Sydney Morning Herald on 12 September 2011.	17/10/2011	60	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0027	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Budget	In relation to the number of anticipated in 2011-12, if the number is based on 4949 people who arrived last year or 5000 arrivals, what would be the financial impact of that adjustment across the Department's outcome areas?	17/10/2011	70	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0028	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Smoking in detention centres	Has the Department sought any legal advice about the potential for litigation if someone by passively smoking or smoking themselves were to contract a smoking related illness in detention in Australia?	17/10/2011	99	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0029	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Onshore and offshore detention - Budget	What is the global budget, across all portfolios, for intercepting, transferring, housing, processing (including administrative and judicial review) and removing asylum seekers in the 2010-2011 financial year and the year to date?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0030	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Efficiency dividend - portfolio wide	How has the efficiency dividend been implemented? Please list where and what spending has been reduced to meet the efficiency dividend.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0031	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Hospitality and Entertainment - portfolio wide	What is the Department/Agency's hospitality spend for the year 2010-11 and what hospitality spend is the Department/Agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0032	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Hospitality and Entertainment - portfolio wide	What is the Department's entertainment spend for the year 2010-11 and what entertainment spend is the Department/Agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0033	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Grants - portfolio wide	Has the Department complied with interim requirements relating to the publication of discretionary grants?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0034	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Consultancies - portfolio wide	How many consultancies were undertaken in 2010-11, and this FYTD? Identify the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement, and the method of procurement (i.e. open tender, direct source, etc). Also include total value for all consultancies	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0035	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Consultancies - portfolio wide	Were there any changes to any of the portfolio's tenders in 2010-11? Detail any changes	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0036	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Consultancies - portfolio wide	Does each Department and Agency stand by its current tenders on the Austenders website? Have any changes or corrections been made for any tenders advertised on to Government Tenders website (www.tenders.gov.au) for tenders advertised this financial year? Explain. Are up to date with reporting requirements?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0037	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Consultancies - portfolio wide	How many consultancies are planned for this calendar year? Have these been published in your Annual Procurement Plan (APP) on the AusTender website and if not why not? In each case please identify the subject matter, duration, cost and method of procurement as above, and the name of the consultant if known.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0038	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Discretionary Grants - portfolio wide	Could the Department provide a list of all discretionary grants, including ad hoc and one-off grants for the year 2010-11? Please provide details of the recipients, the intended use of the grants and what locations have benefited from the grants.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0039	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Discretionary Grants - portfolio wide	Could the Department provide a list of all discretionary grants, including ad hoc and one-off grants FYTD? Please provide details of the recipients, the intended use of the grants and what locations have benefited from the grants.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0040	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Discretionary Grants - portfolio wide	Has the Department complied with interim requirements relating to the publication of discretionary grants?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0041	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Payments of Accounts - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11, did the Department/Agency pay its accounts to contractors/consultants etc in accordance with Government policy in terms of time for payment (i.e. within 30 days)? If not, why not, and what has been the timeframe for payment of accounts? Please provide a breakdown, average statistics etc as appropriate to give insight into how this issue is being approached.)	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0042	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Payments of Accounts - portfolio wide	In reference to accounts for the year 2010-11, for accounts not paid within 30 days, was interest being paid on overdue amounts and if so how much has been paid by the portfolio/Department/Agency for the current financial year and the previous financial year? Where interest is being paid (for accounts not paid within 30 days), what rate of interest is being paid and how is this rate determined?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0043	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Payments of Accounts - portfolio wide	For the FYTD, has the Department paid its accounts to contractors/consultants etc in accordance with Government policy in terms of time for payment (i.e. within 30 days)? If not, why not, and what has been the timeframe for payment of accounts? Please provide a breakdown, average statistics etc as appropriate to give insight into how this issue is being approached.)	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0044	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Payments of Accounts - portfolio wide	In reference to accounts for the Department for FYTD, for accounts not paid within 30 days, is interest being paid on overdue amounts and if so how much has been paid by the portfolio/Department/Agency for the current financial year and the previous financial year? Where interest is being paid (for accounts not paid within 30 days), what rate of interest is being paid and how is this rate determined?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0045	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Media subscriptions - portfolio wide	Does your Department within your portfolio subscribe to pay TV (for example Foxtel)? a) If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what channels. b) What was the cost for 2010-11? c) What is the estimated cost for 2011-12?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0046	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Media subscriptions - portfolio wide	Does your Department subscribe to newspapers? a) If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what newspapers. b) What was the cost for 2010-11? c) What is the estimated cost for 2011-12?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0047	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Media subscriptions - portfolio wide	Does your Department subscribe to magazines? a) If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what magazines. b) What was the cost for 2010-11? c) What is the estimated cost for 2011-12?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0048	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Travel costs - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11, and FYTD, please detail all travel (itemised separately) for departmental officers that accompanied the Minister and Parliamentary Secretary on their travel. Include details of what the travel was for, what cost was spent on travel (including travel type – i.e. business airfare), accommodation, security, food, beverages (alcohol listed separately), gifts, entertainment, and all other expenses.	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0049	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Travel costs - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11, and FYTD, please detail all travel (itemised separately) undertaken by employees of each Department and Agency within each portfolio. Include details of what the travel was for, what cost was spent on travel (including travel type – i.e. business airfare), accommodation, security, food, beverages (alcohol listed separately), gifts, entertainment, and all other expenses.	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0050	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Education expenses - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11, and FYTD, detail all education expenses (i.e. in house courses and tertiary studies) for each portfolio Department and Agency. Include what type of course, the total cost, cost per participant, how many participants and the amount of study leave granted to each participant.	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0051	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Executive coaching and leadership training for the year 2010-11	In relation to the purchase of executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each portfolio Department and Agency, please provide the following information for the year 2010-11, and FYTD: a) Total spending on these services; b) The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification c) The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0052	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Executive coaching and leadership training for the year 2010-11	In relation to the purchase of executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each portfolio Department and Agency, please provide the names of all service providers engaged for the year 2010-11 (and FYTD), and for each service purchased from a provider listed, please provide: a) The name and nature of the service purchased; b) Whether the service is one-on-one or group based; c) The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification; d) The total number of hours involved for all employees; e) The total amount spent on the service f) A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package)	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0053	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Executive coaching and leadership training for the year 2010-11	In relation to the purchase of executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each portfolio Department and Agency for the year 2010-2011, and FYTD, where a service was provided at any location other than the Department or Agency's own premises, please provide: a) The location used b) The number of employees who took part on each occasion; c) The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part d) Any costs the Department or Agency's incurred to use the location.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0054	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Corporate cars - portfolio wide	How many cars are owned by each Department and Agency in your portfolio? Where is the car/s located? What is the car/s used for?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0055	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Corporate cars - portfolio wide	What is the cost of each car owned by each Department and Agency in your portfolio, for 2010-11?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0056	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Corporate cars - portfolio wide	How far did each car owned by each Department and Agency in your portfolio travel in 2010-11?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0057	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Taxi costs - portfolio wide	How much did each Department/Agency spend on taxis in 2010-11? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each Department/Agency.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0058	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Credit cards - portfolio wide	How many staff in each Department and Agency have a corporate credit card? What is their classification?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0059	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Credit cards - portfolio wide	How is corporate credit card use monitored?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0060	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Credit cards - portfolio wide	What happens if misuse of a corporate credit card is discovered?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0061	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Carbon Price Legislation - portfolio wide	How was your Department/Agency consulted in the development of the carbon price package?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0062	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Carbon Price Legislation - portfolio wide	Is the carbon price package consistent with all of the policies in your Department/Agency?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0063	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Internal	Internal: What is the status of the report of Professor John McMillan AO? Will the McMillan report be made public? If so when, if not why not?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0064	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Litigation cost	Litigation cost: What is the total amount of litigation costs accrued by the Department in the current financial year from external and internal providers? Provide a breakdown on what the services were for.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0065	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Litigation cost	Litigation cost: What has been paid out by the Department in litigation costs to date? How much has the Department paid in compensation to third parties and what for?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0066	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Litigation cost	Litigation cost: What has been the cost of defending and/or prosecuting legal actions by asylum seekers and detainees over the 2010-2011 financial year and the year to date? What sort of actions have been defended or prosecuted?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0067	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Litigation cost	Litigation cost: How many compensation cases has the Department been involved in? Has the Department been required to pay compensation to current or ex-detainees over the 2010-2011 financial year and the year to date either as a result of a court action or as a settlement out of court? Please provide details.	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0068	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Litigation cost	Litigation cost: On 23 May 2011, Ms Hardy advised that there were 60 applications currently in the Federal Magistrates Court which relate to judicial review of IMA matters following the High Court case in November 2010. She also said that two matters have been heard and both had been reserved at that particular point. How many applications are currently before the Federal Magistrates Court in this regard and how many have been heard?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0069	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Serco contract	Serco contract: Has the Government received any compensation claims for or from Serco employees?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0070	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Freedom of information - portfolio wide	Has the Department/agency received any advice on how to respond to FOI requests?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0071	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Freedom of information - portfolio wide	How many FOI requests has the Department received for the year 2010-11, and for this FYTD? How many have been granted or denied?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0072	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Freedom of information - portfolio wide	How many conclusive certificates have been issued in relation to FOI requests for the year 2010-11, and this FYTD?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0073	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Reviews - portfolio wide	Reviews - portfolio wide: For the year 2010-11: a) How many Reviews were being undertaken by all Departments and Agencies in each portfolio? b) When will each of these reviews be concluded? c) What reviews have been concluded? d) Which of these reviews has been provided to Government? e) When will the Government be responding to the respective reviews that have been completed? f) What is the estimated cost of each of these Reviews?	17/10/2011	Written	27/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0074	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Reviews - portfolio wide	Reviews - portfolio wide: For this financial year to date a) what reviews are planned? b) When will each of these reviews be concluded? c) What reviews have been concluded this FYTD? d) Which of these reviews has been provided to Government? e) When will the Government be responding to the respective reviews that have been completed? f) What is the estimated cost of each of these Reviews?	17/10/2011	Written	27/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0075	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Commissioned Reports - portfolio wide	How many Reports have been commissioned by the Government in your portfolio for the year 2010-11? Please provide details of each report including date commissioned, date report handed to Government, date of public release, Terms of Reference and Committee members.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0076	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Commissioned Reports - portfolio wide	For the reports commissioned by the Government in your portfolio for the year 2010-2011: a) How much did each report cost? b) How many departmental staff were involved in each report and at what level? c) What is the current status of each report? d) When is the Government intending to respond to these reports?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0077	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Commissioned Reports - portfolio wide	How many Reports have been commissioned by the Government in your portfolio FYTD? Please provide details of each report including date commissioned, date report handed to Government, date of public release, Terms of Reference and Committee members.	17/10/2011	Written	27/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0078	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Commissioned Reports - portfolio wide	For the reports that have been commissioned by the Government in your portfolio FYTD: a) How much did each report cost/or is estimated to cost? b) How many departmental staff were involved in each report and at what level? c) What is the current status of each report? d) When is the Government intending to respond to these reports?	17/10/2011	Written	27/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0079	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Legal costs - portfolio wide	What sum did each portfolio Department and Agency spend on legal services for the year 2010-11 within the Department and Agency, and FYTD? Please provide a list of each service and costs.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0080	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Legal costs - portfolio wide	What sum did each portfolio Department and Agency spend on legal services for the year 2010-11 from the Australian Government Solicitor, and FYTD? Please provide a list of each service and costs.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0081	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Legal costs - portfolio wide	What sum did each portfolio Department and Agency spend on legal services for the year 2010-11 from private firms, and FYTD? Please provide a list of each service and costs.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0082	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Legal costs - portfolio wide	What sum did each portfolio Department and Agency spend on legal services for the year 2010-11 from other sources, and FYTD? Please provide a list of each service and costs.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0083	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Return arrangements to other countries	Return arrangements to other countries: What overseas countries has the Minister travelled to? For what purpose and when did those trips occur?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0084	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Hospitality and Entertainment - portfolio wide	For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total hospitality spend for the year 2010-11 and what hospitality spend is currently being planned for. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0085	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Hospitality and Entertainment - portfolio wide	For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total entertainment spend for the year 2010-11 and what entertainment spend is currently being planned for. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0086	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	What was the cost of Ministers travel and expenses for the Community Cabinet meetings held for the year 2010-11?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0087	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	How many Ministerial Staff travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings for the year 2010-11? What was the total cost of this travel?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0088	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	How many departmental officers travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings for the year 2010-11? What was the total cost of this travel?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0089	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	What was the total cost to the Department and the Ministers Office for the Community Cabinet meetings for the year 2010-11?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0090	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	What was the cost of Ministers travel and expenses for the Community Cabinet meetings held this FYTD?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0091	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	How many Ministerial staff travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings held this FYTD? What was the total cost of this travel?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0092	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	How many departmental officers travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings held this FYTD? What was the total cost of this travel?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0093	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Community Cabinets - portfolio wide	What was the total cost to the Department and the Ministers Office for the Community Cabinet meetings held this FYTD?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0094	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government stationery requirements - portfolio wide	How much was spent by each Department/Agency on the government (Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries) stationery requirements in your portfolio (i.e. paper, envelopes, with compliments slips) in 2010-11? What is the estimated cost for 2011-12?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0095	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Travel costs - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11, and FYTD, please detail all travel (itemised separately,) undertaken by your portfolio Minister and Parliamentary Secretaries. Include details of what the travel was for, what cost was spent on travel (including travel type – i.e. business airfare), accommodation, security, food, beverages (alcohol listed separately), gifts, entertainment, and all other expenses.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0096	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Travel costs - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11, and FYTD, please detail all travel (itemised separately) for any Minister and Parliamentary staff that accompanied the Minister and Parliamentary Secretary on their travel. Include details of what the travel was for, what cost was spent on travel (including travel type – i.e. business airfare), accommodation, security, food, beverages (alcohol listed separately), gifts, entertainment, and all other expenses.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0097	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Training for Portfolio Minister and Parliamentary Secretaries - portfolio wide	How much is spent on training for Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0098	Internal Product	Senator Cash	General questions onshore and offshore detention	General questions onshore and offshore detention: It has been reported that Minister Bowen is currently working on a new policy that will allow media inside detention centres. What does the plan involve?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0099	Internal Product	Senator Cash	General questions onshore and offshore detention	General questions onshore and offshore detention: In relation to media inside detention centres, has any formal action been taken to implement that policy? When was it commenced and what is the current status of the plan? When will the plan be implemented? Have media organisations directly lobbied the Minister about it?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0100	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Advertising - portfolio wide	What advertising – Campaign and Non-Campaign – did the Department/Agency undertaken in 2011-12? Provide details of each advertising, including the program the advertising was for, the total spend and the business that provided the advertising services.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0101	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Advertising - portfolio wide	Did the Department of Finance and Deregulation provide any advice about the advertising? Provide details of each advertising item.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0102	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Advertising - portfolio wide	Did the advertising comply with the Guidelines on Information and Advertising Campaigns by Australian Government Departments and Agencies (March 2010)? Provide the details for each advertising item.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0103	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Advertising - portfolio wide	Provide details for any other communications program, including details of the program, the total spend and the business that provided the communication services.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0104	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Government Advertising - portfolio wide	What advertising – Campaign and Non-Campaign – and other communications programs is the Department/Agency undertaking, or are planning to undertake?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0105	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Media monitoring - portfolio wide	What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etc, provided to the Minister's office for the year 2010-11? a) Which agency or agencies provided these services? b) What is the estimated budget to provide this same services for the year 2011-12? c) What has been spent providing these services FYTD?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0106	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Media monitoring - portfolio wide	What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etc provided to the Department and its agencies for the year 2010-11? a) Which agency or agencies provided these services? b) What is the estimated budget to provide this same services for the year 2011-12? c) What has been spent providing these services FYTD?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0107	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Communications - portfolio wide	How many communications people are there in each of your Departments and Agencies. List their classification, position description, services they provide to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and any guidelines they must adhere to.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0108	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Overseas Staff	General: How many Australian immigration officers were deployed in SE Asia during the period of the Howard Government and in what countries?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0109	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Overseas Staff	General: How many Australian immigration officers were employed in SE Asia during the former Rudd Government?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0110	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Overseas Staff	General: How many Australian immigration officers are currently deployed in SE Asia?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0111	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Overseas Staff	Internal: How many staff from DIAC will be involved in processing irregular maritime arrivals at each of the various the locations in 2011-12? What is the cost of these personnel in total and by location?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0112	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Overseas Staff	Internal: What is the approved staffing establishment for each of the departmental Outcomes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0113	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Overseas Staff	Internal: What were the actual staffing numbers as of 17 October 2011?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0114	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Overseas Staff	Compliance: Provide a complete breakdown of staff engaged by the Government, to perform immigration functions in each of our overseas posts?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0115	Internal Product	Senator Hanson-Young	Overseas Staff	How many general sites managers are on stress leave?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0116	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Staffing - portfolio wide	How many permanent staff recruited this FYTD? What classification are these staff?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0117	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Staffing - portfolio wide	How many temporary positions exist or have been created this FYTD?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0118	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Staffing - portfolio wide	This FYTD, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0119	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Staffing - portfolio wide	How many permanent staff recruited for the year 2010-11? What classification are these staff?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0120	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Staffing - portfolio wide	How many temporary positions exist or have been created for the year 2010-11?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0121	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Staffing - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period? Are there any plans for staff reduction? If so, please advise details i.e.. reduction target, how this will be achieved, services/programs to be cut etc. If there are plans for staff reductions, please give the reason why these are happening.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0122	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Board Appointments - portfolio wide	What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0123	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Board Appointments - portfolio wide	Detail any board appointments for the year 2010-11.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0124	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Board Appointments - portfolio wide	Please detail any board appointments for the FYTD.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0125	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Social Media - portfolio wide	Has there been any changes to Department and agency social media or protocols about staff access and usage of Youtube; online social media, such as Facebook, MySpace and Twitter; and access to online discussions forums and blogs since May 2011? Please explain.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0126	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed Hawker Britton in any capacity or is it considering employing Hawker Britton? If yes, provide details	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0127	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed Shannon's Way in any capacity or is it considering employing Shannon's Way? If yes, provide details	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0128	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed John Utting & UMR Research Group in any capacity or is it considering employing John Utting & UMR Research Group? If yes, provide details	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0129	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed McCann-Erickson in any capacity or is it considering employing McCann-Erickson? If yes, provide details.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0130	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed Cutting Edge in any capacity or is it considering employing Cutting Edge? If yes, provide details.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0131	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed Ikon Communications in any capacity or is it considering employing Ikon Communications? If yes, provide details.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0132	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed CMAX Communications in any capacity or is it considering employing CMAX Communications? If yes, provide details.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0133	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed Boston Consulting Group in any capacity or is it considering employing Boston Consulting Group? If yes, provide details.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0134	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Contractors - portfolio wide:	Contractors - portfolio wide: Since May 2011 has the Department/Agency ever employed McKinsey & Company in any capacity or is it considering employing McKinsey & Company? If yes, provide details.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0135	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Paid parental leave - portfolio wide	Please list how many staff in each portfolio Department or Agency are eligible to receive payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0136	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Paid parental leave - portfolio wide	For the year 2010-11 list which portfolio Department and Agencies are providing its employees with payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme? Please list how many staff are in receipt of these payments.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0137	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Paid parental leave - portfolio wide	For the FYTD list which portfolio Department and Agencies are providing its employees with payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme? Please list how many staff are in receipt of these payments.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0138	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Credit cards - portfolio wide	What action is taken if the corporate credit card is misused?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0139	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Credit cards - portfolio wide	Have any instances of corporate credit card misuse have been discovered? List staff classification and what the misuse was, and the action taken.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0140	Internal Product	Senator Humphries	Credit cards - portfolio wide	What action is taken to prevent corporate credit card misuse?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0141	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Hawke/Williams	Internal: When was the Williams/Hawke review of the riots on Christmas Island and Villawood presented to the Department? Has the Government received the report? If so when? If not, why not?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0142	Internal Product	Senator Cash	Number of detainees in detention	Number of detainees in detention: Of the detainees in the various detention facilities that are asylum seekers transferred from Christmas Island, how many are attempting to challenge negative decisions through the Australian judicial system? What is the current status of reported appeals? How many cases have been or are currently before the courts?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0143	1.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Visa applications received	How many applications were received for Migration, Students and Visitors up until September 2011?	17/10/2011	8-9	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0144	1.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Visa applications received	Provide the revenue by the applications received for Migration, Students and Visitors for 2010-2011 and up until 30 September 2011.	17/10/2011	9	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0145	1.1	Senator Cash	Visa applications received	In relation to the working holiday visa subclass 417: a) what is the breakdown by nationality? b) In relation to the average time taken to process a working holiday visa, how does this compare with 12 months ago? c) In relation to applications for renewals, what is the breakdown of nationality groups?	17/10/2011	102	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0146	1.1	Senator Cash	Students	In relation to student visas, how many offshore applications have been received by post and visa category for 2011-12?	17/10/2011	102	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0147	1.1	Senator Furner	457 visas	In relation to the 457 processing centre in Brisbane, a) how many visas have been processed since the centre commenced operation; b) What affect has the new centre had on processing times; c) What sort of improvements have occurred subject to the centre coming into operation	17/10/2011	112	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0148	1.1	Senator Cash	Financial resources for students	Financial resources for students: How will the Department monitor vulnerable students who may not be able to continue to afford to meet living, tuition and transport costs under the proposed changes?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0149	1.1	Senator Cash	Work rights	Work rights: What labour market analysis did the Department undertake in relation to the reforms? Please provide a copy of this analysis. If none was taken, why not?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0150	1.1	Senator Cash	eVisa	eVisa: With reference to the new Deed of Arrangement for eVisa agents that was introduced in 2010, what steps has the Department taken to implement, manage and resource a regular program of audits and evaluation of eVisa agent compliance with the terms of the new Deed of Arrangement (ANAO report: page 23; paragraph 37).	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0151	1.1	Senator Cash	457 visas and skilled migration	457 visas and skilled migration: How many 457 visas were granted in 2010-2011? How many so far this year to date? In what industries? How many are subject to a Labour Agreement?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0152	1.1	Senator Cash	457 visas and skilled migration	457 visas and skilled migration: What is the average processing time for those 457 visas subject to Labour Agreements and those which are not? How does this compare to the KPIs for processing times?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0153	1.1	Senator Cash	457 visas and skilled migration	457 visas and skilled migration: On 27 January 2011 the Government announced a five-day turnaround for applications for 457 visas in response to demand for labour on infrastructure projects. How many have been issued to date? In what skills areas? What is the average processing time?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0154	1.1	Senator Cash	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations: What has been the average time to process a 457 visa application in the last twelve months? What has been the average processing time in each month for the last twelve months in respect of 457 visa applications?	17/10/2011	Written	20/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0155	1.1	Senator Cash	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations: How many staff have undertaken 457 visa processing in each month for the previous twelve months? What is the average length of tenure of staff undertaking 457 visa processing?	18/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0156	1.1	Senator Cash	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations: Why has the average time taken to process 457 visa application increased over the last 3 months in the Perth Office?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0157	1.1	Senator Cash	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations: What is the average number of staff involved in processing 457 visa applications currently and in each of the previous 12 months in the Perth office?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0158	1.1	Senator Cash	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations: How many subclass 457 visas have been granted under a labour agreement in 2010-2011?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0159	1.1	Senator Cash	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations: What is the average processing time for subclass 457 visas granted under a labour agreement compared to those granted under a standard business sponsorship for 2009-2010 and 2010-2011?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0160	1.1	Senator Cash	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations	Processing times – in all 457 visa processing locations: What is the average processing time for onshore and offshore applications for General Skilled Migration for the last five financial years?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0161	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: How many requests for Labour Agreements for semi-skilled occupations were received in 2010-2011 and the year to date. In what industries? How many were approved? How many have been rejected? How many are yet to be decided?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0162	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: How many onshore and offshore applications for General Skilled Migration are currently with the Department of Immigration & Citizenship? How long are they taking to process? Onshore and offshore by post?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0163	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: What is the number of Labour Agreement submissions pending a decision before the Department, and more importantly, the exact timeframe they have been in the pipeline?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0164	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: How many Labour Agreement submissions have been presented to the Minister for approval over the last twelve months?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0165	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: What is the average time Labour Agreement submissions have been held by the Minister's Office for approval?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0166	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: What has been the longest time the Minister has taken to consider a Labour Agreement submission?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0167	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: What is the shortest time the Minister has taken to consider a Labour Agreement submission?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0168	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: How many times has the Minister rejected a Labour Agreement submission by DIAC in respect of a Labour Agreement?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0169	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: What is the average processing time for the completion of a Labour Agreement over the last twelve months?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0170	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: What is the longest time taken to finalise a Labour Agreement over the last twelve months?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0171	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: What is the shortest period to finalise a Labour Agreement over the last twelve months?	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0172	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: How many departmental delegates are there in the Labour Agreement section at National Office to administer 80 on-going Labour Agreements, and to process the numbers pending?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0173	1.1	Senator Cash	Labour Agreements	Labour Agreements: The Budget Papers state that the Department "aims to improve visa processing times from "around 4 weeks to around 2 weeks" by opening a new processing site in Brisbane and increasing the number of processing staff. Please provide an update as to the status of this aim.	17/10/2011	Written	23/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0174	1.1	Senator Cash	Enterprise Migration Agreements	Enterprise Migration Agreements: I refer to the answer given to EQON BE11/0081 which states: "a template for Enterprise Migration Agreements as announced in the 2011-2012 budget, is currently under development, and is therefore unable to be provided at this time". Has this EMA template been finalised? If so, provide the Committee with copy, and if not, why not and when do you expect it to be finalised?"	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0175	1.1	Senator Cash	Enterprise Migration Agreements	Enterprise Migration Agreements: How many Enterprise Migration Agreements (EMAs) are currently be negotiated with DIAC?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0176	1.1	Senator Cash	Enterprise Migration Agreements	Enterprise Migration Agreements: How many Enterprise Migration Agreements (EMAs) have been approved to date?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0177	1.1	Senator Cash	Enterprise Migration Agreements	Enterprise Migration Agreements: How many Enterprise Migration Agreements (EMAs) have not been approved? What were the reasons for the non-approval?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0178	1.1	Senator Cash	Enterprise Migration Agreements	Enterprise Migration Agreements: In respect of all Enterprise Migration Agreements (EMAs) and all Labour Agreement currently in National Office and approved or declined in the previous twelve months, how many applications have requested concessions in each of the following area- Skills, English language or salary?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0179	1.1	Senator Cash	Enterprise Migration Agreements	Enterprise Migration Agreements: In respect of each concession request, please detail the terms of the requested concessions, if the concession has been agreed to, if the concession has not been agreed to, why the concession has not been agreed to?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0180	1.1	Senator Cash	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa: I refer to the answer given to EQON BE11/0116 regarding how the Government has allocated the \$5.9 million to reform the application process for permanent Skilled Migration applicants. Provide an update as to the current status of the Skilled Migrant Selection Model, SkillSelect?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0181	1.1	Senator Cash	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa: I refer to the answer given to EQON BE11/0122 which states that 98% of the \$10million budgeted over four years to enhance the 457 visa program will be spent on salaries. How much of that figure has been expended to date? How many staff have been hired? What has been the effect of the establishment of the Brisbane team on reducing the processing time of 457 visa applications?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0182	1.1	Senator Cash	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa: Have the 1.5 staff for stakeholder engagement referred to in EQON BE11/0123 been appointed yet? If so, when were they appointed? If not, why not?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0183	1.1	Senator Cash	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa	Employer Nominated Skilled Visa: Has the Department seen an increase in the number of decision ready applications as a result of this initiative? How is this measured?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0184	1.1	Senator Cash	Visa policy - health cover	Given that 410 and 405 visa holders need to maintain "adequate" health insurance while they are in Australia and the only cover available to them is "Overseas Visitors Health Cover", does DoHA consider this to be "at least equivalent to Medicare benefits and cover pharmaceuticals?"	17/10/2011	Written - referral from DoHA 25/10	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0185	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Malaysian Solution	In relation to the Malaysian Solution, when was the \$21 000 paid to IOM/UNHCR and what was the purpose of the payment/s?	17/10/2011	19	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0186	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Malaysian Solution	In relation to the Malaysian Solution, confirm the amount budgeted for, to be provided to IOM and UNHCR.	17/10/2011	19	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0187	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	IOM and UNHCR	With regards to IOM and UNHCR, provide details of the outstanding invoices, and how much they total.	17/10/2011	20	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0188	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Refugee and Humanitarian Program	For people settled from Indonesia, provide the figures from the period 2009 to February 2011.	17/10/2011	22	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0189	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Refugee and Humanitarian Program	Since February 2011, how many people have been resettled from Malaysia?	17/10/2011	22	6/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0190	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Refugee and Humanitarian Program	Provide figures for the people brought to Australia from Malaysia under the Refugee and Humanitarian Program since February 2011 and the figure since 7 May 2011.	17/10/2011	22	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0191	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Refugee and Humanitarian Program	Provide the country of origin for the 304 Refugee Category visas granted by Kuala Lumpur since 1 July 2011.	17/10/2011	22	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0192	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Refugee and Humanitarian Program	In relation to the 518 people resettled from Malaysia between 2009 and February 2011, provide a breakdown of their nationalities.	17/10/2011	22	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0193	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	UNHCR Referrals	Has the UNHCR referred any appropriate cases of Afghan refugees offshore for consideration under Australia's refugee resettlement program for 2010-2011 and the year to date, and if so: a) how many; b) how many have been granted visas; c) from which posts.	17/10/2011	27	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0194	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	UNHCR Referrals	Has the UNHCR referred any appropriate cases of Iranians, Sri Lankans and Iraqis offshore for consideration under Australia's refugee resettlement program for 2010-2011 and the year to date, and if so: a) how many; b) how many have been granted visas; c) from which posts.	17/10/2011	27	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0195	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Returns	What percentage of those found not to be refugees in the Pacific Solution were returned to their home country?	17/10/2011	28	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0196	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Returns	Provide a comparison between those returned voluntarily to their home country under the Pacific Solution and compare it to the returns of last three years, since the Pacific Solution was abolished.	17/10/2011	28-29	15/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0197	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Countries of first asylum	Has the Minister ever travelled to any country of first asylum to discuss with those authorities ways to prevent secondary movements?	17/10/2011	30	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0198	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Countries of first asylum	Does the Minister has any plans to travel to any countries of first asylum?	17/10/2011	30	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0199	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Countries of first asylum	Provide the specifics of departmental officials engagement with any countries of first asylum	17/10/2011	30	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0200	2.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Return Pending Visa	Has the Department been able to provide any advice to the Government in relation to the return pending visa that was abolished as part of the abolishment of the Temporary Protection Visa regime?	17/10/2011	31	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0201	2.1	Senator Brandis	Malaysian Arrangement	In relation to the Malaysia arrangement, provide the date on which clause 16 or a provision to the effect of that clause was first inserted into the arrangement?	17/10/2011	59	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0202	2.1	Senator Cash	Return Arrangements	General questions onshore and offshore detention: What is the Department doing in relation to negotiating return arrangements with countries such as Iran and Iraq?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0203	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Malaysia Arrangement	Malaysia Solution: How many Afghan refugees, many who have been in protracted exile for 4-5 years were approached for resettlement? If none, why? What was the process and how were decisions made over who would be approached for Australian resettlement?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0204	2.1	Senator Cash	Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance	Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance: Did the Malaysian Government indicate it would change its laws or ratify any international conventions to specifically provide protection to refugees and asylum seekers sent to Malaysia as a result of the people swap arrangement?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0205	2.1	Senator Cash	Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance	Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance: How many of the promised 4,000 refugees Australia promised to resettle from Malaysia have arrived in Australia?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0206	2.1	Senator Cash	MOU	AFGHAN/UNHCR/Australia MOU: Have any failed asylum seekers taken advantage of the reintegration package? How many? To which countries have they returned? What has been the cost of the reintegration package in the year to date?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0207	2.1	Senator Cash	Humanitarian and Refugee Visas	General: Provide a breakdown of all offshore applications for humanitarian and refugee visas by post, country of origin, nationality, age and gender in 2010-11 and in the year to date.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0208	2.1	Senator Cash	Humanitarian and Refugee Visas	General: Provide a breakdown of all offshore grants for humanitarian and refugee visas by post, country of origin, nationality, age and gender and visa class in 2010-11 and in the year to date?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0209	2.1	Senator Cash	Humanitarian and Refugee Visas	General: In answer to EQON 232, the Department claimed it has previously used the cancellation provisions of the Migration Act to cancel the visas of those protection visa holders who have travelled back to their country from which they claimed persecution. How many visas have been cancelled?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0210	2.1	Senator Cash	PNG	PNG: Following the High Court decision in relation to the Government's Malaysia Agreement, has the Prime Minister or the Minister made any representations to the Government of PNG in relation to a proposed regional processing centre on PNG? If yes, what were they and when were they made?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0211	2.1	Senator Cash	ASIO checks	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many IMAs in the period to date have had ASIO security checks?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0212	2.1	Senator Cash	Negative assessments	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many IMAs in the financial year to date have received negative assessments? What is the status of these people?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0213	2.1	Senator Cash	RSA decisions	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many primary RSA decisions were made within the Government's stated target of 90 days in the period to date?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0214	2.1	Senator Cash	Humanitarian and Refugee Visas	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many humanitarian and refugee visas have been granted out of Indonesia and Malaysia from the caseload of asylum seekers processed by the UNHCR in the 2010-2011 financial year and in the year to date? What nationalities were they?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0215	2.1	Senator Cash	Iranian Arrivals	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many Iranians have arrived by boat since the 1 January 2011? How many arrived in 2010-2011 financial year? Why is this?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0216	2.1	Senator Cash	Number of detainees in detention	Number of detainees in detention: How many asylum seekers who have been refused refugee status, either on primary decision or appeal have voluntarily left Australia in 2010-11 and 2011-12. How many are awaiting removal? On average how long have those awaiting removal been held in detention following their negative decision?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0217	2.1	Senator Cash	Inverbrackie	Inverbrackie: I refer to the answer given to EQON BE11/0657 which said that six clients who had their protection applications assessed, both by the Department and independently and have been found not to be refugees, and that the clients had applied for judicial review of their cases and were awaiting the outcome. What is the current status for these six clients? a) Apart from these six, are there any other asylum seekers at the Inverbrackie facility that have been found not to be refugees after the Department and the Independent Merits Review process declined their application? b) If so, how many? c) Have they applied for judicial review? If so, what is the status of these? d) If they have not applied for judicial review, have they been removed from Australia? If not, why not?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0218	2.1	Senator Cash	Inverbrackie	Inverbrackie: How many asylum seekers at Inverbrackie have been granted protection visas?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0219	2.1	Senator Cash	Inverbrackie	Inverbrackie: How many asylum seekers at Inverbrackie are waiting for their initial assessment for refugee status to be processed? How many have had their initial assessment for refugee status declined by the Department? How many, after their initial assessment was declined, have sought a review through the Independent Merits Review process? How many have received a protection visa after the Independent Merits Review process? How many were declined?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0220	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	General	How many asylum seekers have arrived directly by plane in the past 6 months? Were any of these from Syria? Have any people from Syria arrived by plane and flown back home or to a third country?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0221	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Adverse security clearances	Adverse security clearances: What is the Government's plan for genuine refugees (mostly Sri Lankan) who have received adverse security outcomes from ASIO (with no reasons given)? What will happen to them if they will not be permitted to settle in Australia, and if a third resettlement country cannot be found to accept them?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0222	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Adverse security clearances	Adverse security clearances: How many Sri Lankans have failed ASIO security checks and how many are awaiting the results of this process? What is the average waiting time for such checks to be completed? What are the main grounds for denial of a security clearance? What has happened to those who have not passed security clearances?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0223	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Negative Assessments and decisions	Negative Assessments and decisions: How many people in detention have received rejections at the RSA decision from 1 January to 30 June 2011, by nationality? How many people in detention have received rejections at the RSA decision from 1 July to 1 September 2011, by nationality?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0224	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Negative Assessments and decisions	Negative Assessments and decisions: How many people in detention have received negative IMR decisions from 1 January to 30 June 2011, by nationality? How many people in detention have received negative IMR decisions from 1 July to 1 September 2011, by nationality?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0225	2.1	Senator Cash	ASIO Assessments	General questions onshore and offshore detention: Are there any cases in which ASIO has changed its assessment of an IMA having regard for further information or for any other reason? If so, how many and for what reason?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0226	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Syrian Asylum Seekers	How many Syrian asylum seekers are currently in Australian run detention facilities?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0227	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Age assessments	Age assessments: How many age-disputes are there Australia wide and where are they being detained - in what states, in which facilities?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0228	2.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Age assessments	Age assessments: How many age-disputes are there in Immigration Detention?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0229	2.1	Senator Cash	IMA processing times	General questions onshore and offshore detention: What was the average processing time for IMAs during the periods 2008-2009; 2009-2010; 2010-2011 and the year to date?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0230	2.1	Senator Cash	POD Officers	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many Protection Obligations Determination (POD) officers are there?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0231	2.1	Senator Cash	Tamil Tigers	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many known Tamil Tigers have received permanent protection visas? Why?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0232	3.1	Senator Cash	IMA Arrivals	What advice has been given to the Department on the number of boats potentially on their way from Indonesia? a) What is the current estimate b) What were you advised on the 16 or 17 in relation to the number of boats? c) On what are you updated everyday and what was the most recent update you were given?	17/10/2011	64	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0233	3.1	Senator Cash	Leonora	How many of the 72 minors, currently at Leonora, have had their ages verified?	17/10/2011	95	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0234	3.1	Senator Cash	Destruction of documents	In relation to the destruction of documents, in the 2010-11 financial year and the year to date how many IMAs arriving in Australia did so by flying to Indonesia first? How many of those IMAs who arrive by plane from Indonesia subsequently do not have passports to present to Australian authorities?	17/10/2011	116	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0235	3.1	Senator Cash	Arrivals without documentation	How many onshore visa applications have been lodged by people other than IMAs who arrived without visas or documentation in 2010-11 and the year to date?	17/10/2011	116	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0236	3.1	Senator Cash	IMA Crew	How many IMA crew members are in detention currently and at which locations?	17/10/2011	116	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0237	3.1	Senator Cash	Destruction of documents	Destruction of documents: How many air arrivals presented as undocumented at the time of lodgement either: a) at airports, or; b) after immigration clearance in 2010-2011 and the year to date?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0238	3.1	Senator Cash	Destruction of documents	Destruction of documents: Please provide figures for IMAs arriving in Indonesia by air from 2008 to date.	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0239	3.1	Senator Cash	Refusal rates	General questions onshore and offshore detention: What is the refusal rate of primary decisions of IMA protection applications? What is the refusal rate after review? How many have then been challenged in the courts?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0240	3.1	Senator Cash	Negative decisions	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many negative primary and review decisions have been overturned in the courts? What is the final acceptance rate, after administrative and judicial review, of IMAs by country of origin? How does this compare internationally?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0241	3.1	Senator Cash	IMAs	General questions onshore and offshore detention: Have any IMAs or onshore asylum seekers been British citizens? If yes, how many? What has happened to them? From whom were they claiming persecution?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0242	3.1	Senator Cash	IMAs	General questions onshore and offshore detention: Since August 2008 how many illegal boats have arrived directly from countries other than Indonesia? Which country did those boats depart from? Can you provide the Committee with details of when those boats arrived, the composition of passengers and their port of departure and the outcome of their claims.	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0243	3.1	Senator Cash	IMAs	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many IMAs arriving since August 2008 have been granted visas? Of those granted visas please provide a breakdown by nationality, country of origin, age and gender. Of those who arriving during this period how many have been refused visas and returned? How many are in the review process including a breakdown of primary, IPA and court?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0244	3.1	Senator Cash	Visa refusals	Compliance: Have any visas been refused or cancelled as a result of applicants presenting fraudulent documents?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0245	3.1	Senator Cash	Compliance - false documents	Compliance: How many travellers to Australia have presented with false or altered documents? What happens to them? Has anyone been prosecuted for presenting false or fraudulent documents?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0246	3.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: How many times has the Department invoked s91K in relation to the non-provision of documents? If not why not?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0247	3.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: Provide an update on the status of the 47-year-old Cairns man who was charged with 97 offences against the Migration Act 1958 in the relation to the provision of false information in visa applications and was due to appear in the Cairns Magistrates Court on 24 March 2011. Have any of the 120 people that were involved in this fraud had their visas cancelled? If not, why not? Have any been removed from Australia?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0248	3.1	Senator Cash	Destruction of documents	Destruction of documents: How many onshore visa applications have been lodged by people (not IMAs) who arrived without visas or documentation in 2010-2011 and the year to date?	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0249	4.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Removals	Has the Department ever been able to remove failed asylum seekers to Iran? If yes, how many, under what circumstances and when did that occur?	17/10/2011	30-31	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0250	4.1	Senator Michaela Cash	Removal Pending Bridging Visa Grants	How many removal pending bridging visa grants have been granted from 2005, provide a breakdown of the years from 2005 to 2009-2010.	17/10/2011	32	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0251	4.1	Senator Cash	IMA Arrivals	How many IMAs have arrived to date this financial year (as at 17 October 2011)?	17/10/2011	63-64	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0252	4.1	Senator Cash	BVE Holders	In relation to the benefits available to BVE 050 holders, under the Asylum Seeker Assistance Scheme, provide a breakdown of the payment structure (by amount received per week) covering formulas for client circumstances e.g. single unaccompanied adult no dependants, etc	17/10/2011	71	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0253	4.1	Senator Cash	Asylum Seeker Assistance Scheme	In relation to the Asylum Seeker Assistance Scheme, what was budgeted for the 2011-12 financial year?	17/10/2011	71	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0254	4.1	Senator Cash	Removal Pending Bridging Visa Grants	In relation to the 34 RPBV (070) holders, how long has each held their visa for?	17/10/2011	76	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0255	4.1	Senator Cash	Work Rights	Upon what basis do you believe that failed asylum seekers will have the ability to hold down a job when they are given work rights, given that the evidence that has been presented at May's estimates shows that 83.5 per cent are still unemployed after five years?	17/10/2011	79	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0256	4.1	Senator Cash	Non-compliance notices	In relation to non-compliance notices, how many related to people who had worked more than 20 hours per week?	17/10/2011	103	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0257	4.1	Senator Cash	Students	Of the non-compliance notices issued (to students), how many were related to people who have not commenced their course or who have not attended their course?	17/10/2011	103	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0258	4.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Provide the business plan related to the compliance program.	17/10/2011	106	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0259	4.1	Senator Cash	Criminal Justice Visas	How many women has the Department provided with criminal justice visas in order to provide evidence? How many have subsequently been given permanent residence in Australia?	17/10/2011	115	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0260	4.1	Senator Cash	s501 Cancellations	In relation to s501 cancellations: a) provide the date each of 12 pieces of advice were provide to the Minister; b) To the extent that you can, identify which cases the advice relates to?	17/10/2011	115	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0261	4.1	Senator Cash	s501 Cancellations	How many people subject to a s501 cancellation remain in the Australia Community?	17/10/2011	116	27/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0262	4.1	Senator Cash	IMAs	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many failed asylum seekers remain in Australia from the IMA cohort by nationality, age, gender and country of origin? Where are they? What will happen to them?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0263	4.1	Senator Cash	IMAs	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many IMAs and onshore asylum seekers have been granted visas even though they were found not to be refugees? What visas were they granted? Why were they granted those visas?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0264	4.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: In reference to IMA crew members, how many have been released from detention and/or a correctional facility as a result of recent court cases?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0265	4.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: What is the current overstay rate of visitors from those overseas posts? How does this compare with the past three years?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0266	4.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: How many unlawful non citizens have been located in 2010-2011, and the year to date as a result of compliance activities?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0267	4.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: In relation to the unlawful non citizens that have been located in 2010-2011, and the year to date as a result of compliance activities, how many have been removed and at what cost? How does this compare with activity in each of the last three years?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0268	4.1	Senator Cash	IMAs	General questions onshore and offshore detention: Since August 2008, how many IMAs have been returned?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0269	4.1	Senator Cash	Bridging Visa E	Bridging Visa E: On page 152 of the Annual Report you say that amendments to the migration regulations which began on July 1 provide "clarity for decision-makers and provide an appropriate period within which to decide Bridging Visa E applications" what are those time frames?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0270	4.1	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: How many departmental case managers are assigned to those in community detention? What is the cost of that?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0271	4.1	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: What is the current status of those crew members detained given the failure of recent court cases to convict them on people smuggling charges? What have those cases cost the Department?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0272	4.1	Senator Cash	Number of detainees in detention	Number of detainees in detention: Of the detainees in the various detention facilities that are asylum seekers transferred from Christmas Island, how many of those have had health, character and security checks?	17/10/2011	Written	27/12/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0273	4.1	Senator Cash	Number of detainees in detention	Number of detainees in detention: How many IMAs who were in detention on 20 May 2011 have been given permanent protection visas? How many have been removed? How many were subject to ASIO clearances?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0274	4.1	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: What was the minimum and maximum "risk rating" of those asylum seekers sent to Jandakot Airport Chalets prior to having had ASIO security assessment?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0275	4.1	Senator Hanson-Young	Age assessments	Age assessments: Have we implemented consular notification protocols to ensure we inform the Indonesian Consulates of any of their nationals (especially children) within our territories?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0276	4.1	Senator Cash	New onshore arrangements	New onshore arrangements: When people are released on bridging visas will they be allowed to live anywhere they can find accommodation or will the Department provide accommodation? If so, where? Has any thought been given to locating those on bridging visas in particular locations? If so, where?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0277	4.1	Senator Cash	New onshore arrangements	New onshore arrangements: Will asylum seekers released on a bridging visa be eligible for rental assistance? Is there a limit on the rent you will be prepared to pay to find accommodation for these people?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0278	4.1	Senator Cash	IMAs	General questions onshore and offshore detention: What is the breakdown by nationality, country of origin, age and gender of IMAs in the 2010-2011 year and the current financial year to date?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0279	4.1	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: How many asylum seekers in community detention have failed their protection claims and been removed? Why not?	17/10/2011	Written	25/01/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0280	4.1	Senator Cash	Independent Protection Assessment	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many people on the Independent Panel Assessment? What are their names and where are they based? What has been the cost to date of the IPA?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0281	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Serco	What are the anticipated costs associated with Serco in the 2011-2012?	17/10/2011	10	13/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0282	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Serco	Please check whether anyone at Serco including members of senior management ever indicated to the Department that the contract does not currently cover their costs?	17/10/2011	11	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0283	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Advice to Minister, onshore processing, community detention and bridging visas	When, since 2007, has the Department provided advice, including advice on costs, to the Minister in relation to onshore processing, community detention and bridging visas (in relation to onshore processing) and why was this advice was provided.	17/10/2011	14	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0284	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Malaysian Solution	When did the Department provide information to the Government on the costs and implications of being unable to get the Malaysian Solution through Parliament and the new process of onshore processing, and a) when was that information asked for; b) when did that briefing occur; c) how many briefings have there been in relation to the cost implications of the failed Malaysian Solution; d) who attended the briefings that you have referred to.	17/10/2011	14	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0285	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Detention	How many people were to be placed at Crescent Peak and R&R Bungalows?	17/10/2011	18	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0286	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Detention	In terms of the dollar amount outstanding, how much is owing for the two rental properties, Crescent Peak and R&R Bungalows?	17/10/2011	18	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0287	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Detention	Provide a copy of both tenancy agreement for the two properties, Crescent Peak and R&R Bungalows and a) how long were the tenancy agreements signed for; b) what was the period of time it covers; c) when were the tenancy agreements signed.	17/10/2011	18-19	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0288	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Detention	What are the anticipated future costs, and outstanding costs, for refurbishments of Crescent Peak and R&R Bungalows.	17/10/2011	19	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0289	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Detention	In relation to the facilities management contract with JTI Facilities Management, are there any capital costs associated with this contract?	17/10/2011	19	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0290	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Malaysian Arrangement	In relation to the Malaysian Solution, provide exactly the amount of money allocated in the budget for expenditure.	17/10/2011	20	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0291	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Onshore processing	When did the Department provide advice to Government on the cost of moving to bridging visas, community detention and onshore processing as a package of measures for IMAs?	17/10/2011	35	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0292	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Malaysian Arrangement	Provide advice on the budget impacts i.e. the savings, as a result of the failed Malaysian Solution, e.g. transfer arrangements not taking place, Papua New Guinea processing centre no longer required, etc.	17/10/2011	38	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0293	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Detention	Why wasn't an Immigration Detention Statistics Report published for the month of August 2011?	17/10/2011	46	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0294	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Detention	In relation to the Vietnamese minors, when are the 6 clients in Darwin transferring to Port Augusta?	17/10/2011	47	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0295	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Detention	In relation to the 33 minors currently at Port Augusta, provide a breakdown of the age range? a) How many are under the age of 10?	17/10/2011	47	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0296	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Detention	In 12 months time, what is the projected total capacity across the detention network ?	17/10/2011	49	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0297	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Detention	What is the cost comparison between immigration and community detention? If they are not available, provide advice on when they are likely to be?	17/10/2011	51-52	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0298	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Detention	Provide comparative figures for last 12 months for the number of people who have had a mental illness diagnosis, the use of psychotropics medication and anti-depressant medication by detention facilities?	17/10/2011	53	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0299	4.2	Senator Cash	Detention	In relation the construction of the Detention Facility at Yongah Hill WA, provide a list of concerns that Mr and Mrs Edwards has brought to the Departments attention and the response in each circumstance?	17/10/2011	83	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0300	4.2	Senator Abetz	Pontville	In relation to the Pontville Detention Facility announcement, how much notice was given of the announcement and what consultation occurred? (See Peon S1268)	17/10/2011	84	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0301	4.2	Senator Abetz	Pontville	In relation to the Pontville Detention Facility announcement, what consultation occurred prior to the announcement on 5 April 2011? (See PQON S1268)	17/10/2011	84	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0302	4.2	Senator Abetz	Pontville	In relation to the detainees transferred to Pontville, what was the cost of the charter flights?	17/10/2011	86	12/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0303	4.2	Senator Abetz	Pontville	What is the cost to provide health and medical services to detainees at Pontville as agreed under the contract variation with IHMS?	17/10/2011	86	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0304	4.2	Senator Abetz	Pontville	Provide a breakdown of the medical staff working at Pontville i.e. doctors, nursing etc including employments arrangements, fulltime/part-time?	17/10/2011	86	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0305	4.2	Senator Abetz	Pontville	Who was contracted to build the security fence at Pontville? a) Were the contractors and builders flown in for that purpose? b) If so, why in the document that was handed out for information does it say 'Any construction at the site (such as the erection of fencing ...) will provide employment opportunities in the Pontville and Hobart region'?	17/10/2011	87	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0306	4.2	Senator Cash	Leonora	What electronic games or internet sites are available to the unaccompanied minors generally and more specifically at Leonora?	17/10/2011	92	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0307	4.2	Senator Cash	Electronic games	In relation to unaccompanied minors, what electronic games or internet games are accessible from the library?	17/10/2011	92	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0308	4.2	Senator Cash	Electronic games	In relation to unaccompanied minors accessing games and websites, what is the classification of those games and the sites?	17/10/2011	92	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0309	4.2	Senator Cash	Electronic games	Is there a restriction on access to adult sites, games and those with an age classification for unaccompanied minors?	17/10/2011	93	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0310	4.2	Senator Cash	Electronic games	Is the Department aware or has the Department been made aware that unaccompanied minors have access to violent games and internet sites? If so, would that be a breach of the contract with Serco?	17/10/2011	93	10/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0311	4.2	Senator Cash	Serco	What is the Department's policy in relation to Serco having a purchasing policy?	17/10/2011	96	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0312	4.2	Senator Cash	Declarations of cash	General questions onshore and offshore detention: Are IMAs required to declare goods, cash or other items when they are taken into detention? What happens to valuables brought by IMAs to Australia? Has any IMA brought more than \$10,000 in cash into the country? Has the Department ever had to report amounts of cash more than \$10,000? To whom? How often? What is the total amount that has been reported? Where is that cash held? Have any other declared items been reported? What are they?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0313	4.2	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: What is the current budget for the conduct of compliance activities in the Department? How does the budget this year compare with other years?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0314	4.2	Senator Cash	Compliance	Compliance: How many staff are currently performing compliance-related activities in the Department?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0315	4.2	Senator Cash	Detention	Internal: Please provide an update on whether Serco been sanctioned for any of escapes or incidents involving detainees in detention centres? If so, what were the circumstances that required Serco to be sanctioned? What was the sanction applied in each case?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0316	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	New onshore processing announcement	New onshore processing announcement: What support will be given to the Red Cross or other Non Government Organisations in operating community release programs?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0317	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	New onshore processing announcement	New onshore processing announcement: What bridging visas are currently available to asylum seekers - what are the conditions? What will the criteria be for determining conditions?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0318	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	New onshore processing announcement	New onshore processing announcement: Will everyone who is found to be a refugee be given permanent protection?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0319	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Returning failed asylum seekers	Returning failed asylum seekers: In light of Minister Bowen's comments that many host countries will not accept failed asylum seekers back into their countries, what does the Department propose to do with these people?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0320	4.2	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: What is the cost per person per day of the families and unaccompanied minors in community detention?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0321	4.2	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: Have any asylum seekers in community detention absconded? How many? Where are they now?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0322	4.2	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: Has the Department recovered any costs for asylum seekers in community detention who have wilfully damaged property? If so how much? (ref: answer to May EQON BE11/0693)	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0323	4.2	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: In relation to the reports from the Daily Telegraph from October 2011 which reveal that at least 10 people went missing from detention please provide the following: dates and locations where those in question were last accounted for, and dates when they were thought to have "gone missing"; the date when the Department was notified; the date when the Minister was notified; the date when the police were notified.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0324	4.2	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: In relation to the reports from the Daily Telegraph from October 2011 which reveal that at least 10 people went missing from detention, please provide the age of each of those who went missing and whether each of them arrived with an accompanying family member upon arriving in Australia.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0325	4.2	Senator Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: In relation to the reports from the Daily Telegraph from October 2011 which reveal that at least 10 people went missing from detention, was a risk assessment done before the individuals in question were placed in community detention and if so what was the outcome of this risk assessment?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0326	4.2	Senator Michaela Cash	Community Detention	Community Detention: How many people have gone missing from community detention in the past 12 months?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0327	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Community Detention	Community Detention: How many adult male detainees have signed for community detention but are still waiting to go into community?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0328	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Community Detention	Community Detention: Can you provide a breakdown per each centre of those who have signed for community detention but are still waiting?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0329	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Community Detention	Community Detention: How many weeks have people have been waiting since signing for community detention?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0330	4.2	Senator Cash	Serco contract	Serco contract: What is the value of damage caused to the immigration network during 2009-2010; 2010-2011 and 2011-2012 and what amount was claimed by the Government for this damage. What amount was paid to the Government as a result of this damage?	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0331	4.2	Senator Cash	Number of mental health professionals	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many mental health professionals are currently engaged permanently or temporarily at each of the detention facilities on the mainland and Christmas Island? Please provide details. Has this changed and if so by how much since the last update?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0332	4.2	Senator Cash	MOUs	Number of detainees in detention: How much has the Department been charged by State or Territory police services in 2010-2011 and the year to date? How many MOUs exist between the Commonwealth and the States? Which States? Can you provide the Committee with copies of those MOUs?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0333	4.2	Senator Cash	MOUs	Number of detainees in detention: What other MOUs exist between the Commonwealth and State agencies in relation to asylum seekers? Health and community services, for example? Can you provide the Committee with copies of those MOUs?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0334	4.2	Senator Cash	Detention centres and facilities - damage	Detention centres and facilities - people: What has been the total repair bill to damage sustained as a result of unrest and riots by detainees at all of the detention facilities and centres in the 2010-2011 financial year and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown by facility and type of damage	17/10/2011	Written	15/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0335	4.2	Senator Cash	Christmas Island	Christmas Island: Has the Government mandated a population limit, or trigger, for Christmas Island detention centre which would precipitate mainland transfer of asylum seekers? If so, what is that trigger? When was it mandated and how? How was the figure arrived at?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0336	4.2	Senator Cash	Christmas Island	Christmas Island: What has been the cost of operating Christmas Island detention facilities in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0337	4.2	Senator Cash	Christmas Island	Christmas Island: The Public Works Committee raised some concerns about the way in which sludge from the sewerage treatment plant was affecting the groundwater on the Island? Is the Department also concerned about that? Has any work been done to ascertain the extent of the contamination possible? What is the anticipated cost of that going to be? Who is paying for that?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0338	4.2	Senator Cash	Christmas Island	Christmas Island: The Public Works Committee recommends that DIAC review existing medical facility with a view to constructing a fit for purpose medical centre. Will the Department be accepting that recommendation? Has any work commenced on a new medical facility? What is the anticipated cost?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0339	4.2	Senator Cash	Villawood	Villawood: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Villawood, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0340	4.2	Senator Cash	Inverbrackie	Inverbrackie: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Inverbrackie, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs including capital costs. What is the estimated cost of running the Inverbrackie facility, including administrative costs for the 2011-12 financial year? How much has been spent on upgrading the properties at the Inverbrackie facility? Is this work continuing?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0341	4.2	Senator Cash	Inverbrackie	Inverbrackie: Is there an agreed bushfire response plan with the Country Fire Service for the Inverbrackie facility? What does the plan propose for days rated as catastrophic in the Adelaide Hills? Please provide the Committee with a copy of the bushfire response plan.	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0342	4.2	Senator Cash	Inverbrackie	Inverbrackie: I refer to the answer given to EQON BE11/0666 which states that a Memorandum of Understanding between the South Australian police and the Department "is currently being progressed". What is the current status of this MOU? If it has been finalised, please provide the Committee with a copy. If it has not been finalised, why not? And when do you expect it to be finalised?	17/10/2011	Written	6/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0343	4.2	Senator Cash	Inverbrackie	Inverbrackie: Since last estimates, has there been any security breaches recorded at the Inverbrackie facility? If so, how many, and please provide details of each security breach.	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0344	4.2	Senator Cash	Curtin Detention facility	Curtin Detention facility: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Curtin in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs including capital and repair costs.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0345	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Jandakot, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs including capital and repair costs.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0346	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: I refer to the answer given to Senate Parliamentary Question on Notice 687, asked by Senator Cash, which states: "(6) The Department has signed a contract with Airport Chalet Centre Pty Ltd for the provision of accommodation services at the Jandakot Airport Chalets. The contract is not a lease." Please provide further details of this contract - what services are Airport Chalet Centre Pty Ltd contracted to supply, i.e. meals, accommodation, educational programmes, exercise programmes, etc? What other services are provided to asylum seekers housed at Jandakot Airport Chalets that are NOT provided by Airport Chalet Centre Pty Ltd? Who provides these additional services? At what cost?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0347	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: Does DIAC have exclusive access to Jandakot Airport Chalets for the period of the contract?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0348	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: The Department advised that they did not consult the Department of Infrastructure and Transport prior to entering into this arrangement. Who DID the Department consult before making the decision to transfer asylum seekers, some of whom have not yet been security assessed by ASIO, to the busiest airport in Australia (in terms of aircraft movements)?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0349	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: The Department also advised that there was no community consultation prior to asylum seekers being moved to Jandakot Airport Chalets, as "there are no residential areas nearby". They advised that "nearby commercial activities were contacted". Please provide a copy of the information that was provided to "nearby commercial activities". Did the Department receive any feedback whatsoever from nearby commercial activities as a result of this contact by the Department?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0350	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: Is the Department aware of any feedback that was given to Jandakot Airport Chalets as a result of their premises being no longer available as an accommodation option to aviation students of Jandakot Airport businesses?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0351	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: Please outline the level of security provided at Jandakot Airport Chalets including the security staff to detainee ratios.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0352	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: Please detail how many incidents (critical, serious, etc) have occurred at Jandakot Airport Chalets for each the months of May, June, July August and September 2011	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0353	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: Have any asylum seekers at Jandakot Airport Chalets attempted self harm? If so, how many?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0354	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: What was the breakdown of men, women, and children amongst the 21 asylum seekers housed at Jandakot Airport Chalets as at 15 June 2011?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0355	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: What assurances did the Department receive from the owners of Jandakot Airport Chalets regarding consultation between them and Jandakot Airport Holdings Pty Ltd prior to entering into the contract?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0356	4.2	Senator Cash	Jandakot airport	Jandakot airport: Please provide details of the consultation between DIAC and Heliwest regarding accommodation at Jandakot Airport Chalets. On what date/s and with whom did this consultation occur?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0357	4.2	Senator Cash	Scherger air force base	Scherger air force base: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Scherger, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs including capital and repair costs	17/10/2011	Written	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0358	4.2	Senator Cash	Pontville	Pontville: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Pontville, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs including capital and repair costs.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0359	4.2	Senator Cash	Darwin International Detention Centres	Darwin International Detention Centres: The Northern Territory News on Tuesday 20 September this year reported that three Vietnamese asylum seekers escaped during a church service in Darwin on Sunday 18 September. Which detention centre were the men from? Was Serco responsible for security on the church visit and if so where they subsequently sanctioned? If so, what sanction was imposed?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0360	4.2	Senator Cash	Darwin International Detention Centres	Darwin International Detention Centres: AAP reported on September 14, that up to 20 asylum seekers at Darwin detention centre had climbed into a hole which was dug as part of the building works at the site – to protest against the delay in processing their asylum claims. For how long did this protest continue? What sanctions if any were imposed on the protestors? Did the protest delay works at the site? If so, did the Department have to pay for workers or any other costs associated with the disruption to the project caused by the protestors. The same article also mentions that about 140 asylum seekers were part of ongoing protests at the centre. Is this true? What form did the protest take and when did they cease?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0361	4.2	Senator Cash	Darwin International Detention Centres	Darwin International Detention Centres: In relation to the Darwin detention centre fire and riot on 31 August 2011. Media reports indicated that the riot and fire arose because of a dispute over Ramadan. Is that true? What damage was done to the centre and how much did or will it cost to repair? Was anyone charged in relation to the incident? Was anyone moved to the correctional centre? How many? Where are they now?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0362	4.2	Senator Cash	Darwin International Detention Centres	Darwin International Detention Centres: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities in the Northern Territory by centre, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0363	4.2	Senator Cash	Darwin International Detention Centres	Darwin International Detention Centres: In relation to Wickham Point – what is the annual lease cost of that facility? Has the Department made any payments and what have they been to date? What is the anticipated nominal capacity of that centre? Optimum Capacity and surge capacity? How long has the Department taken out a lease on the centre? At what cost? For how many detainees? Is there an option to extend the lease? Has the Department paid to keep that option? How much?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0364	4.2	Senator Cash	Northam (Yongah Hills)	Northam (Yongah Hills): Is the Department aware of the concerns of Mr John and Mrs Cath Edwards regarding the Northam facility? If yes, what are their concerns? What has been done to rectify their concerns?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0365	4.2	Senator Cash	Northam (Yongah Hills)	Northam (Yongah Hills): Provide copies of all correspondence including emails, letters and notes of telephone calls from Mr John and Mrs Cathy Edwards to the Department.	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0366	4.2	Senator Cash	Northam (Yongah Hills)	Northam (Yongah Hills): Provide copies of all correspondence including emails, letters and notes of telephone calls from the Department to Mr John and Mrs Cathy Edwards.	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0367	4.2	Senator Cash	Leonora	Leonora: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Leonora, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs including capital costs.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0368	4.2	Senator Cash	Leonora	Leonora: According to previous estimates, the Department leased the facility at Leonora for \$3.1 million for the period 27 April to 7 November 2010. What is the cost of the lease between November 2010 and the present date? Has the lease been renewed? For how long and at what cost?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0369	4.2	Senator Cash	Alternative Detention Arrangements	Alternative Detention Arrangements: Please provide a list of sites (either new or existing) that are currently being examined as possible immigration detention centres. Have any of these sites been approved?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0370	4.2	Senator Cash	Alternative Detention Arrangements	Alternative Detention Arrangements: What hotels are currently being used as alternative places of detention? What has it cost to run each of those facilities since leases or payments were first made and over what period?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0371	4.2	Senator Cash	Virginia Palms Motel	Virginia Palms Motel: When did the last of the asylum seekers leave Virginia Palms? How long did the Department have a lease? When was the final payment made? How much did the Department pay for the entire lease on Virginia Palms? Was there a payout to the proprietors at the end of the lease? Did the Department break the lease?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0372	4.2	Senator Cash	Broadmeadows	Broadmeadows: What has been the cost of operating the detention facilities at Broadmeadows, in 2010-2011 and the year to date? Please provide a breakdown of those costs including capital costs	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0373	4.2	Senator Cash	Derby Hospital	Derby Hospital: Please advise how many asylum seekers have been treated at the Derby Hospital since the Curtin Detention Centre re-opened; what was each asylum seeker treated for.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0374	4.2	Senator Cash	Derby Hospital	Derby Hospital: How many asylum seekers were transferred from the Derby Hospital to the Broome Hospital? How were they transferred? How many have been transferred to hospitals other than Broome Hospital? How were they transferred?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0375	4.2	Senator Cash	Derby Hospital	Derby Hospital: What has been the cost of treating asylum seekers at the Derby Hospital to date since the Curtin Detention Centre re-opened.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0376	4.2	Senator Cash	Derby Hospital	Derby Hospital: What is the total amount outstanding to Derby Hospital (or WA Country Health Service) as at 20 October 2011 for treatment provided to asylum seekers. Why has this amount not been paid? When will it be paid?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0377	4.2	Senator Cash	Derby Hospital	Derby Hospital: What is the longest time an asylum seeker taken for treatment at the Derby Hospital has had to wait for treatment	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0378	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Christmas Island and mental health	Christmas Island and mental health: Are detainees entitled to independent psychological assessment review?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0379	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Christmas Island and mental health	Christmas Island and mental health: What is the process for obtaining such a review and does it need to be lodged by a lawyer?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0380	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Christmas Island and mental health	Christmas Island and mental health: A breakdown of nationalities at North West Point and Construction Camp?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0381	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Christmas Island and mental health	Christmas Island and mental health: How many incidents of self harm per month since beginning of 2011?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0382	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Christmas Island	Christmas Island and mental health: Is Lilac and Aqua still in use?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0383	4.2	Senator Hanson-Young	Negative Assessments and decisions	Negative Assessments and decisions: Are there Red Cross Humanitarian Observers in all detention centres? What is their role? Have they made reports on conditions in immigration detention centres and, if so, are these publicly available?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012

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SE11/0384	4.2	Senator Cash	IMA Crew	Compliance: How many IMA crew members are in immigration detention and in which locations?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0385	4.2	Senator Cash	IMA Crew	Compliance: What is the cost to the Commonwealth and/or State governments of incarcerating those crew members?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0386	4.2	Senator Cash	Tamil Tigers	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many known members of the Tamil Tigers are currently in immigration detention? Where are they? How many have applied for administrative and/or judicial review of negative decisions?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0387	4.2	Senator Cash	Protection Obligations Determination (POD)	General questions onshore and offshore detention: By nationality and place of detention, how many asylum seekers do not have a Protection Obligations Determination (POD)? How many have an application before the Department but not yet decided? How many yet to lodge an application? How many refused but in the process of review? How many refused and no application for review? How many refused at review and waiting departure?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0388	4.2	Senator Cash	Number of detainees in detention	Number of detainees in detention: As at 17 October 2011, how many detainees are in each of the various immigration detention centres, transit accommodation and community housing on the mainland? What is the nominal, operating and surge capacity of each of those centres. a. Age groups?; b. Gender; c. Country of origin?	17/10/2011	Written	12/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0389	4.2	Senator Cash	Number of detainees in detention	Number of detainees in detention: How many of the detainees in the various detention facilities are asylum seekers transferred from Christmas Island?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0390	4.2	Senator Cash	Detention centres and facilities - people	Detention centres and facilities - people: Please provide updated numbers of people in detention, in each of the centres and facilities, by country of origin, age and gender and indicate how long each has been detained and their status in relation to their application.	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0391	4.2	Senator Cash	Christmas Island	Christmas Island: Is the Department aware of allegations in the media that inexperienced workers, some as young as 17, have been put on the front line of riots and other violence management control situations? Has this been confirmed, if so, what action has been taken? Did the Department receive a sworn affidavit detailing the allegations? When was that received? What action was taken and when, on the information contained in that affidavit?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0392	4.2	Senator Cash	IMA Review	General questions onshore and offshore detention: How many people are awaiting a review decision? What percentage of them have been waiting for more than 3 months?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0393	4.2	Senator Cash	New onshore arrangements	New onshore arrangements: Has the Department approached Real Estate Institute of Western Australia (REIWA) to provide it with a list of all rental accommodation available in each of the states?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0394	4.2	Senator Cash	New onshore arrangements	What are the written criteria required to be satisfied before the Department will enter into a rental agreement to house IMAs released into the community under the Government's new onshore processing policy? What is the policy? Provide a copy.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0395	4.2	Senator Cash	New onshore arrangements	New onshore arrangements: How does the Government's new onshore processing policy deal for each family situation i.e. single, married, married with or without children, etc? Is it intended that single males be released into the community under the Government's new policy? If so, will the number of single male IMAs be limited to say not more than 10 per dwelling unit?	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0396	5.1	Senator Cash	Settlement Services	In relation to EQON 750 from Budget Estimates, four properties were identified as not being acceptable for the clients. Provide the reasons for this in each case.	17/10/2011	117	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0397	5.1	Senator Cash	Settlement Services	In relation to the analysis provide for EQON 750, exactly how many properties in each state were visited, broken down state by state, totalling 434?	17/10/2011	117	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0398	5.1	Senator Cash	Navitas	Provide a breakdown of the payments under the Navitas HSS Hunter Region contract (total value 5,123,995.94) which commenced on 3 April 2011 and ends of 2 April 2014?	17/10/2011	122	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0399	5.1	Senator Cash	Accommodation	In relation to Question on Notice 718, the 5.1 million for short-term accommodation, how many clients are expected to be serviced out of that money?	17/10/2011	123	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0400	5.1	Senator Cash	NAATI	Provide a breakdown of the standard contribution and the additional top up which comprised the 1.35 million paid to NAATI in 2010-11?	17/10/2011	123	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0401	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	In relation to the AMEP program, provide updated figures in relation to those eligible entrants who have taken up their entitlement and followed it through to completion?	17/10/2011	124	8/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0402	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	Provide details on the how it is planned to measure the outcomes of the new AMEP contract which commenced on 1 July 2011?	17/10/2011	125	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0403	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	Provide an analysis of those ethnicities who take up private tutoring under the AMEP program?	17/10/2011	125	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0404	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	Under the AMEP program, how much additional tutoring can a client have after the 510 hours have expired?	17/10/2011	125	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0405	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	Citizenship and Settlement: The AMEP uses the Certificates in Spoken and Written English (CSWE) curriculum framework. Please provide a copy of the curriculum.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0406	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	Citizenship and Settlement: Please provide a comparison of participant completion rates under Certificates in Spoken and Written English (CSWE) since commencement with completion rates of the same time last year under the previous curriculum	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0407	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	Citizenship and Settlement: Counsellors and Individual Pathway Guides (IPG) - please provide details of the number of people that accessed counsellors and IPG and the total cost by year to date.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0408	5.1	Senator Cash	AMEP	Citizenship and Settlement: How many clients of AMEP utilised Childcare at no cost to the client. Please provide breakdown of the total costs of this and the postcodes where this childcare occurred.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0409	5.1	Senator Cash	Youth classes	Citizenship and Settlement: Youth classes. How many people utilised youth classes to learn English? Please provide a breakdown of numbers of people for this by years 2009, 2010, 2011 YTD, and costs per year and postcode where the client resides.	17/10/2011	Written	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0410	5.1	Senator Cash	Distance learning	Citizenship and Settlement: Distance learning. Please provide the number of clients that utilised distance learning to study English language for the years 2009,2010 and 2011 YTD, their postcode of residence, the cost of distance learning by year, and the completion rates broken down by state of residence and country of origin.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0411	5.1	Senator Cash	Settlement support and welfare supervision for Unaccompanied Humanitarian Minors	Citizenship and Settlement: Please provide details of the total cost of payments for settlement support and welfare supervision for Unaccompanied Humanitarian Minors (UHMs) for the years 2009, 2010 and 2011 YTD and who were these payments made to and what auditing procedures are in place for these agencies?	17/10/2011	Written	13/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0412	5.1	Senator Cash	Settlement support and welfare supervision for Unaccompanied Humanitarian Minors	Citizenship and Settlement: Please detail the lines of responsibility for UHMs after they are in the care of the supervising agency. Who maintains overall responsibility for the safety and welfare of these children?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0413	6.1	Senator Cash	People of Australia Ambassadors	In relation to the People of Australia Ambassadors a) is there an actual budgeted amount for the Ambassadors? b) Will they have certain expenses reimbursed? c) Is there an amount, per ambassador, that they can be reimbursed?	17/10/2011	128	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0414	6.1	Senator Cash	Social cohesion program funding	Under the diversity of social cohesion program funding, what multicultural arts and festivals have been funded to date out of the \$500,000 over four years?	17/10/2011	129	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0415	6.1	Senator Cash	Inquiry into Responsiveness of Australian Government Service to clients	Provide a copy of the Terms of Reference of the inquiry into Responsiveness of Australian Government Service to clients	17/10/2011	130	1/02/2012	9/02/2012
SE11/0416	6.1	Senator Cash	Citizenship test	Citizenship and Settlement: Please provide the number of people who sat for Citizenship Exams in the years 2009/ 2010 & YTD 2011 broken down: a) by the type of test they sat; b) the pass rates for each type of test. (The Standard Test, The Assisted Test, The Course Based test,) and; c) the number of people by their country of origin and pass rates for each.	17/10/2011	Written	10/02/2012	1/03/2012

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SE11/0417	6.1	Senator Cash	Citizenship test	Citizenship and Settlement: Please provide the number of people that have taken citizenship tests in the last 3 years with reference to the time between eligibility to, and actually sitting the citizenship test.	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0418	6.1	Senator Cash	Settlement	What information is given to clients when they enter the settlement services program, through the Department's settlement service providers?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0419	6.1	Senator Cash	Residential Tenancies Legislation	What information is given to clients specifically in relation to their legal rights under the relevant Residential Tenancies legislation?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0420	6.1	Senator Cash	Service Providers	Please provide the Committee with an update as to how service providers are going now that it is six months into the new suite of contracts. Are the service providers meeting your expectations? Are you meeting theirs? Any recommendations for alterations to the contracts?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0421	6.1	Senator Cash	Service Providers	Please update the Committee following the meeting with service providers regarding fair market rent for clients – what was discussed at this meeting? What models were suggested? What was the outcome?	17/10/2011	Written	8/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0422	6.1	Senator Cash	Richmond Review	Please provide the Committee with copies of the Richmond review and the forensic audit undertaken by Protiviti, referred to in the Supplementary Budget Estimates Hansard from Monday 17th October (page 118), when able to.	17/10/2011	118 (Written)	9/02/2012	1/03/2012
SE11/0423	3.1	Senator Eggleston	Passport Services	a) What is the passport status of persons who enter Australia by air then claim refugee status? b) How many of these individuals have forged passports? c) How is the true identity of these individuals determined?	18/10/2011	Written - referral from DFAT 22/11/11	1/02/2012	9/02/2012