

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 17 OCTOBER 2011**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(SE11/0238) Program 3.1: Border Management**

Senator Cash asked:

Please provide figures for IMAs arriving in Indonesia by air from 2008 to date?

*Answer:*

Based on information provided during entry interviews, 5853 IMAs who arrived in Australia between 1 January 2008 and 17 October 2011 stated they had travelled to Indonesia by air prior to arriving in Australia.