

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 17 OCTOBER 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE11/0282) Program 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (L&CA 11) asked:

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.

Answer:

DIAC has no record of anyone at Serco, including members of senior management, who has indicated that the Contract with Serco does not currently cover their costs.