

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 17 OCTOBER 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE11/0304) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network

Senator Abetz (L&CA 86) asked:

Provide a breakdown of the medical staff working at Pontville i.e. doctors, nursing etc including employments arrangements, full-time/ part-time?

Answer:

The Detention Health Service Provider, IHMS, advises that as at 19 December 2011 it employed 21 staff at the Pontville Immigration Detention Centre, including nine primary health care professionals, nine mental health care professionals and three management and administrative staff. These are all full-time employees of IHMS.