

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE12/0544) PROGRAM – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (written) asked:

Homestay solution: How many hosts under the Homestay program have been confirmed and are ready to receive detainees released on bridging visas?

Answer:

This is a matter for the Community Placement Network (CPN) which is an initiative of the Australian Homestay Network. The CPN is not a contracted service provider of the Department of Immigration and Citizenship.