

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: No Date Given**

**IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO**

**(SE13/0004) PROGRAMME – ACBPS**

Senator Carr (L&CA 20) asked:

Senator KIM CARR: Perhaps I could ask Minister Cash: have you provided Customs with any advice that they are in fact exempted from that memorandum that has been sent to all government agencies, or all public sector agencies? ... Senator KIM CARR: Minister, what is the basis of your understanding? Has there been a decision of government? Senator Cash: My understanding is on the information that has been provided in relation to the coalition's policy statement, but I will take that question on notice for you. Senator CARR: Could you indicate to the committee if a decision has been taken and on what date that decision was taken? Senator CASH: I will take that question on notice.

*Answer:*

No.