

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0323) PROGRAMME – 4.2: Onshore Detention Network

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How many onshore detention centres are there currently? • How many are operational? • What is the capacity and surge capacity of each?

Answer:

As at 19 November 2013, there were **23** onshore detention facilities which were operational. This includes Immigration Detention Centres, Alternative Places of Detention, Immigration Residential Housing and Immigration Transit Accommodation.

See the table on the Department of Immigration and Border Protection's website at: <http://www.immi.gov.au/About/Pages/immigration-detention-facilities.aspx> for operational capacity and contingency capacity.