

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0376) PROGRAMME – 2.1: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How many people were settled out of Syria in 2012-13?

Answer:

1987 persons located in Syria were granted humanitarian visas in 2012–13.
The majority of these visas were granted to Iraqis.

Note:

1. Data for 2012–13 was extracted from Departmental systems on 30 June 2013.