JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON AUSTRALIA'S *Q197* IMMIGRATION DETENTION NETWORK

Question: In consultation with advice from DeHAG at all?

Answer: The Detention Service Provider's (DSP) procedures for managing people at risk of self-

harm are based on the department's Psychological Support Program (PSP) policy. The PSP policy was developed in consultation with the Detention Health Advisory Group

(DeHAG).

The DeHAG was not consulted in relation to the preparation of the DSP's procedures for managing people at risk of self-harm. However, at its 24 November 2011 meeting DeHAG members provided feedback (at the DSP's invitation) on those procedures and

offered to provide further review.