

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO
2016-2017 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 1.1 Family Tax Benefit

Question No: SQ17-000039

Topic: Family Tax Benefit

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Senator Louise Pratt asked:

How many families currently use an end-of-year supplement to clear a debt?

Answer:

The latest available data shows that in 2013-14, approximately 13 per cent of families used their end-of-year supplements to clear a debt.