

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

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Senator Rachel Siewert asked:

Community legal centres turn away 160,000 people seeking help every single year. Are you concerned that this number will increase as a result of the cut to core federal funding for community legal centres?

Answer:

The Attorney-General's Department is responsible for funding of community legal centres.