Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND

INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2010-11 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

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Topic: Homelessness

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Senator Payne asked:

Do you also have the 2009-10 figures for the percentage indicators that you provided in answer to question No. 96? They are the Reconnect figures and the HOME Advice figures.

Answer:

The 2009-10 figures for 'Percentage of clients with an improved level of engagement with family, friends or peers/decreased social isolation' are no longer captured in the same way due to the 2009-10 Reconnect data management review.

An updated indicator addressing improved engagement goals for Reconnect clients in 2009-10 has been included below.

Reconnect	2009-10
Percentage of clients with a positive change	87%
in their overall situation or individual goals	
were met.	
Percentage of clients with an achieved goal	89%
of improvements in family functioning and	
engagement.	
HOME Advice	2009-10
Percentage of client families whose situation	84%
improved somewhat or substantially after	
intervention.	