

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

**Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-14, 20 November 2013**

**Question: E13-140**

**OUTCOME:** 1 – Population Health

**Topic** Coalition Promises on Dementia

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** Polley

**Question:**

Is the \$200 million dementia initiative announced by the Coalition during the election campaign additional new money or already included in the NHMRC forward estimates?

**Answer:**

The Government's commitment to provide \$200 million over five years for dementia research funding is in addition to the National Health and Medical Research Council's grant allocations over the current forward estimates.