Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 22 OCTOBER 2015 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Human Services

Topic: Disability Support Pension – Medical Reviews 2013-14

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Question:

In relation to Disability Support Pension Medical Review, in 2013-14:

- a) How many medical reviews were completed (number and per cent?
- b) How many cancelled (number and per cent)?

Answer:

In relation to Disability Support Pension Medical Reviews in 2013-14:

- a) 3,243 Disability Support Pension Medical Reviews were completed (0.4 per cent of Disability Support Pension population).
- b) 74 customers were cancelled (2.3 per cent of Disability Support Pension Medical Reviews).