Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace Relations

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Question

Receipt of youth allowance while on temporary absence from Australia

Senator CASH: How many persons received youth allowance (other) in 2012-13 while on temporary absence from Australia, not exceeding 13 weeks? Ms Taylor: We would need to take that on notice. That would need to be DHS data, so we will get that.

Answer

In the 2012-2013 financial year to 31 March 2013, a total of 91 recipients of Youth Allowance (other) received the payment while on a temporary absence from Australia not exceeding 13 weeks.