

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING:**

**IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

**(4) Program Internal Product**

Senator Humphries (L&C 11) asked:

How has the travel budget been affected since the budget was brought down in May?

*Answer:*

The Department of Immigration and Citizenship's total travel expenditure in 2008-09 was \$24.6 million. Travel expenditure to 31 December 2009 for the 2009-10 financial year was \$13.5 million.