QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE12/0352) PROGRAM - 3.1: Border Management

Senator Cash (written) asked:

Can the Department please provide a breakdown by nationality of the number of IMAs who arrived in Malaysia by air for 2011/12, 2010/11, 2009/10?

Answer:

The very detailed information sought is not readily available in consolidated form and it would be a major task to collect and assemble it. The considerable resources required to collate the information cannot be justified.