QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE12/0459) PROGRAM – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (L&CA 80) asked:

Provide a breakdown of charter costs for the 12 charter flights between the mainland, Christmas Island and Nauru.

Answer:

As at 31 October 2012, there were 10 charters between Christmas Island and Nauru.

Date	Route		Cost
13/09/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$209 650
17/09/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$253 225
20/09/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$238 775
24/09/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$209 125
04/10/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$572 900
08/10/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$427 120
11/10/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$427 120
14/10/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$206 350
16/10/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$204 525
18/10/12	XCH-DRW-NAURU-DRW		\$255 953
		TOTAL	\$3 004 743