QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE12/0669) PROGRAM – 4.5: Regional Cooperation and Associated Activities

Senator Cash (L&CA 112-113) asked:

What type of contact has the department had with Malaysian officials since the release of the Houston report?

Answer:

It would not be appropriate for the Department to comment on the detail of diplomatic discussions and negotiation with foreign governments.