

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0310) PROGRAMME – 1.1: Visa and Migration

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

What percentage of the total 81,550 primary 457 visa nominations in 2012-13 would be subject to the LMT requirement?

Answer:

Based on the profile of nominations made in 2012-13, the Department of Immigration and Border Protection estimates that approximately 35 per cent of visa nominations would be subject to the labour market testing requirements.