

Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES - 27 FEBRUARY 2014 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Human Services

Topic: Liquid Assets Waiting Period

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Question:

- a) How many Liquid Assets Waiting Periods were applied in 2012-13?
- b) What was the average waiting period that was applied?

Answer:

- a) In the 2012-13 financial year there were 51,524 Liquid Assets Waiting Periods (LAWP) applied.
- b) The average waiting period applied was 13 weeks.