

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND**  
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**2012-13 Budget Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** 6

**Question No:** 145

**Topic:** Alliances

**Hansard Page:** Written

**Senator Cash** asked:

"I refer to the announcement by Minister Ellis on 27 June 2011 of the new funding for some of the National Women's Alliances to undertake certain projects. How are these projects being monitored? Please provide an update on them."

**Answer:**

The projects are monitored through regular progress reports and are due for completion in July 2012. The following two projects have been publicly released:

- Equal Rights Alliance *Settle Petal* website went live on 3 November 2011([www.settlepetal.org.au](http://www.settlepetal.org.au)).
- The Australian Immigrant and Refugee Women's Alliance *In her Shoes* online and print media campaign was launched at the National Women's Alliance's International Women's Day event on 2 March 2012.