

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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Question: E13-183

OUTCOME: 1 – Population Health

Topic: Health Impacts of Climate Change

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Senator: Di Natale

Question:

I am talking very specifically about health impacts of climate change; is it not covered anywhere that you are aware of? Perhaps just take it on notice.

Answer:

The National Health and Medical Research Council consulted the Department of Industry and the Department of Health and Ageing about any specific programs within the Australian Government for research into the health effects of Climate Change. No specific programs were identified.