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Topic: Disability Support Pension

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Senator Fifield asked:

Additional Estimates QoN 288 provides a monthly breakdown of the number of Disability Support Pension finalised claims and rejections from October 2013 to February 2013. Could you provide an update from March 2013 to May 2013.

Answer:

The table below provides the number of Disability Support Pension finalised claims and rejections for each four week period between March 2013 and May 2013.

4 weeks ending	Finalised claims	Rejections
8 March 2013	9,935	5,778
5 April 2013	8,150	4,370
3 May 2013	9,981	5,401
31 May 2013	9,693	5,375