

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND**  
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**2013-14 Budget Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number: 5**

**Question No: 68**

**Topic:** Disability Support Pension

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**Senator Fifield** asked:

Additional Estimates QoN 290 provides a monthly breakdown of the number of entrants to the Disability Support Pension from October 2012 to February 2013. Could you provide an update from March 2013 to May 2013.

**Answer:**

The table below provides the number of entrants to the Disability Support Pension for each month between March 2013 and May 2013.

Month	Number
February to March 2013	4,882
March to April 2013	4,548
April to May 2013	5,743