Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

The National E-Health Transition Authority (NEHTA)

Budget Estimates

June 2013

Subject Outcome: E-Health 10.2

Agency: NEHTA

Issue: NEHTA – Standards/Functionality of the PCEHR

Name of Senator: Sue Boyce

QUESTION: 16

Senator Boyce asked:

If so, how many of these incidents are you aware of?

Answer:

NEHTA is aware of one incident. NEHTA is made aware of incidents through the Department of Health and Ageing's Incident Management Framework. NEHTA's Clinical Safety Unit undertakes an assessment as part of the Clinical Safety processes in place.