Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO 2011-12 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 5

Question No: 123

Topic: Outside School Hours Care for Teenagers with Disability Program

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Senator Boyce asked:

How many teenagers (aged between 12 and 18) with disability are in the Brisbane region?

How much funding has been made available for this program in the Brisbane region from the 2010 - 2013 allocation?

Answer:

According to the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) 2006 Census of Population and Housing, in 2006 there were 3,192 people aged 12-18 with a severe or profound disability in the Brisbane Statistical Division.

Note: Census counts should not be used as an indicator of the total number of people with disability. The Census does not identify everyone with disability, nor does it include any adjustment for non-response. However, the Census provides data at small geographic levels.

Total funding from the Brisbane region from the 2010-2013 allocation is \$1,739,071.