

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

National e-Health Transition Authority (NeHTA)

Budget Estimates 2011-12, Supplementary Estimates

**Question: 1**

OUTCOME 10.2: e-Health

Topic: Human Resources

Senator Boyce asked:

**Could you detail the human resources problems that have confronted NEHTA in the last 18 months?**

Answer:

NEHTA has experienced rapid growth as an organisation following the decision to implement the PCEHR in the 2010 federal budget.

NEHTA has had challenges with recruiting qualified and experienced staff in a specialised labour market but work on the COAG and PCEHR programs is on track.

More detail is needed to provide further information for the answer to this question.