Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND

INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2012-13 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

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Topic: Remote Housing **Hansard Page:** Written

Senator Siewert asked:

How many houses built under SIHIP/NPARIA in the Northern Territory have been placed under tenancy agreements, by community?

Answer:

The Northern Territory Department of Housing has advised that at 30 September 2012, 704 new houses have been completed, of these 693 have tenancy agreements in place.

The following table represents the total new houses built under SIHIP/NPARIH and the total number of tenancy agreements per remote community in the Northern Territory.

Community Name	Houses built under	Houses under tenancy
	SIHIP/NPARIH	agreements
Angurugu	60	59
Alice Springs Town Camps	86	86
Galiwin'ku	90	90
Gunbalunya	62	60
Lajamanu	17	17
Maningrida	110	110
Milyakburra	2	2
Nganmarriyanga	2	2
Ngukurr	59	51
Santa Teresa	3	3
Umbakumba	18	18
Wadeye	105	105
Wurrimiyanga	90	90
TOTAL	704	693

Of the 704 houses built:

- 693 new houses built have tenancy agreements in place
- 8 houses built have not been handed over by the Alliance to the Northern Territory Department of Housing
- 3 clients have been allocated houses and are undergoing Intensive Tenancy Support after which they will sign a tenancy agreement.