

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**  
**2014-15 Supplementary Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** 1

**Question No:** 237

**Topic:** Age Pension

**Hansard Page:** Written

**Senator Moore** asked:

Please provide the most recent projections on the outlays on the Age Pension per month over the forward estimates if current indexation arrangements are changed to indexation by CPI only.

**Answer:**

Projections of income support expenditure, including the Age Pension, are not available on a monthly basis. Projections for Age Pension annual expenditure over forward estimates if current indexation arrangements are changed to indexation by CPI only are available in the Department of Social Services Portfolio Budget Statements 2014-15, p 69.