

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING : 23 February 2015

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE15/054) - Passenger Movement Charge - Programme 1.1 Border Management (ACBPS)

Senator Leyonhjelm, David (L&CA 93) asked:

Senator LEYONHJELM: Are there any countries, and can you nominate them, that impose a higher passenger movement charge than Australia?

Ms Nyakuengama: I would have to take that on notice.

Answer:

The United Kingdom charges a higher passenger movement charge than Australia in some circumstances due to its departure tax being based on distance travelled, class of travel and aircraft type.