

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING : 27 February 2017

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE17/121) - Immigration Office Upgrade - Number of buildings considered - Internal Product (DIBP)

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA) written:

How many other buildings were considered before the Department agreed on the Canberra Airport location and please provide the analysis done on all other buildings considered and a breakdown of costs and tenant incentives offered by landlords.

Answer:

The buildings being considered as part of the Department's ACT Headquarters proposal were selected as part of a Whole of Government leasing approach to market which included the Department of Immigration and Border Protection, the Department of Defence and the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

The tender evaluation report associated with this process contains the information requested, but is considered Commercial in Confidence. As negotiations with the successful tenderers are still to be finalised it therefore, cannot be provided.