

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING : 27 February 2017**

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

**(AE17/167) - Compliance and Detention - Dry Cells - Investigations - Programme  
1.3: Compliance and Detention**

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA) written:

What investigations did the Minister direct, and the Department undertake, into the use of dry cell treatment on detainees and did such practices cease on receipt of the legal advice, or did they continue following advice.

*Answer:*

The Minister did not direct investigations into the use of dry cell treatment on detainees.