

## QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING : 27 February 2017**

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

**(AE17/172) - IMA Offshore Management - Transferees status - Programme 1.5:  
IMA Offshore Management**

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA) written:

Of the total number of transferees, how many have been found to be:

- Refugees
- Are still being processed and
- Denied refugee status

*Answer:*

### **Nauru**

As at 27 February 2017;

- The total number of transferees determined to be refugees by the Government of Nauru was 1014<sup>1</sup>.
- The total number of transferees still being processed was 456<sup>2</sup>.
- No transferee has been determined not to be a refugee. All transferees still have avenues within the refugee status determination process; as such none are classified as failed asylum seekers.

### **Papua New Guinea**

As at 27 February 2017;

- The total number of transferees determined to be refugees was 707.
- The total number of transferees still being processed was 81<sup>3</sup>.
- The total number of transferees determined to be failed asylum seekers was 224.

Note<sup>1</sup>: Figure excludes 30 babies born to refugee parents.

Note<sup>2</sup>: Figure includes 47 babies born to transferee parents.

Note<sup>3</sup>: Figures exclude transferees who departed or deceased prior to being processed, as such are no longer subject to further processing.