

## QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

### BUDGET ESTIMATES – 26 – 27 MAY 2014

#### IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

#### (BE14/128) PROGRAMME – 1.2: Visa and Citizenship

Senator Carr (L&CA 90) asked:

Senator KIM CARR: Could you provide me with an update on question on notice A14231, if that is possible? I will take that on notice. Are you expecting any further changes to the family visa streams in addition to those outlined in the budget papers?

*Answer:*

The Family Stream outcome is 58 055 in 2013-14 as at 31 May 2014:

#### 2013-14 Grants as at 31 May 2014

	<b>Jul '13</b>	<b>Aug '13</b>	<b>Sep '13</b>	<b>Oct '13</b>	<b>Nov '13</b>	<b>Dec '13</b>	<b>Jan '14</b>	<b>Feb '14</b>	<b>Mar '14</b>	<b>Apr '14</b>	<b>May '14</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Partner</b>	4860	3604	4110	3972	3849	3286	3739	4567	4692	4060	4831	45 570
<b>Child</b>	482	368	325	340	325	299	295	299	301	315	309	3658
<b>Parent</b>	1458	849	692	730	589	585	542	541	562	747	963	8258
<b>Other Family</b>	200	25	55	104	54	24	13	17	16	18	43	569
												<b>58 055</b>

The size and composition of the 2014-15 Migration Programme, including for family stream visas, was announced as part of the Budget on 13 May 2014.