

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES – 26 – 27 MAY 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(BE14/267) PROGRAMME – 3.5 and 3.6: Illegal Maritime Arrival (IMA) Offshore Management

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How many detainees will be/have been transferred from Inverbrackie Immigration Detention Centre?

- a. Which detention centred will they/were they transferred to?
- b. How many have been/are going to be released into the community?
- c. How many have been/are going to be voluntarily returned?
- d. How many have been/are going to be involuntarily returned?

Answer:

During the period 1 July 2013 to 30 May 2014, 59 detainees transferred from Inverbrackie Immigration Detention Centre (IDC).

- a. The detention centres transferred to include Adelaide Immigration Transit Accommodation (ITA), Bladin, Construction Camp Alternative Place of Detention (APOD), Darwin Airport Lodge, Lilac Aqua, Maribyrnong IDC, Melbourne ITA, Perth IDC, Perth Immigration Residential Housing (IRH), Pontville APOD, Sydney IRH, Villawood IDC, Wickham Point IDC and Yongah Hill IDC.
- b. There have been 575 detainees from Inverbrackie Immigration Detention Facility released into the community on a Bridging Visa E and 157 placed into Community Detention between 1 July 2013 and 30 May 2014.
- c/d. The department does not record information on removals from specific detention centres in a consolidated manner.