QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES - 26 - 27 MAY 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(BE14/296) PROGRAMME – 3.5 and 3.6: Illegal Maritime Arrival (IMA) Offshore Management

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

What is the status of the resettlement arrangements on Manus Island/PNG?

Answer:

As at 31 May 2014, settlement of refugees in Papua New Guinea has not commenced.