

## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING : 26 May 2015**

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

**(BE15/094) - Compliance - Student Visa - Programme 1.3: Compliance and Detention**

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA 82) asked:

Senator KIM CARR: How many compliance actions have you initiated in the student visa area?

Mr Wilden: I would have to refer to my compliance colleagues on that.

Mr Outram: I will come back to you on that.

*Answer:*

Numerous compliance actions in the student visa area have been initiated in the period of 1 July 2014 to 31 March 2015, however, the exact number is not available as data is only recorded in relation to the number of persons identified to be overstaying their visa or in breach of their visa conditions.

For that subset of compliance activity in the period of 1 July 2014 to 31 March 2015 there were 3,057 locations for overstaying a student visa or following cancellation of their student visa for breach of associated conditions.