QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 25 May 2015

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(BE15/175) - Resettlement Nauru - Programme 2.4: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance

Senator Hanson-Young, Sarah (L&CA) written:

• Have any offers been made to asylum seekers to expedite processing of their claims if they accept resettlement in Nauru?"

Answer:

The refugee status determination process in Nauru is managed and administered by the Government of Nauru. The Department is not aware of any offers of any kind to expedite an asylum seeker's protection claim if they accept resettlement in Cambodia.