

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING : 22 May 2017**

**IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO**

**(BE17/012) - ACT Headquarters building project - Internal Product (DIBP)**

Senator Ketter, Chris (L&CA 43) asked:

Senator KETTER: So there are no interstate relocations occurring as a result of the head office project?

Mr Pezzullo: I think it is a recomposition of our ACT workforce, but Mr Wright will correct me if that is not correct.

Mr Wright: Not that I am aware of but—

Mr Pezzullo: Is anyone coming in from interstate or is anyone being sent out?

Mr Wright: No. I believe it is all just ACT workforce.

Mr Pezzullo: We will absolutely confirm that, but it is a reprofiling and a recomposition of the workforce scattered amongst 12 buildings, recomposing that workforce into four buildings.

There might be some moves between, say, Belconnen and the airport, or Civic, which is our other large precinct, and the airport or Belconnen, but it is a zero-sum game. If that is not entirely accurate, we will come back to you.

*Answer:*

There will be no interstate relocations of staff associated with the ACT Headquarters Project.