

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING : 22 May 2017**

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

**(BE17/203) - Statistics onshore detention - Programme 1.1: Border Enforcement**

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA) written:

Please provide the number of people detained in onshore detention this year

Please outline how many transferees/detainees are currently in onshore detention, including Christmas Island

Please outline how many stateless people remain in onshore detention and how long have they been in detention

*Answer:*

Between 1 January 2017 and 23 May 2017, there were 3,330 people detained in onshore detention.

Statistics on the number of people in detention are available on the Department's website (<https://www.border.gov.au/about/reports-publications/research-statistics/statistics/live-in-australia/immigration-detention>)

Further information is provided in BE17/052. |