

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING : 22 May 2017

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

**(BE17/248) - Temporary skilled shortage visa – unintended consequences -
Programme 2.3: Visas**

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA) written:

Provide the unintended consequences that have emerged following the announcement of the Temporary Skilled Shortage Visa.

Answer:

The announcement of the Temporary Skill Shortage visa has resulted in questions from stakeholders about the impact of the reforms. Issues raised by stakeholders are being considered by the Department of Immigration and Border Protection in the development of policy settings for the Temporary Skill Shortage visa and future occupations list reviews.