

## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING : 22 May 2017**

**IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO**

**(BE17/283) - Citizenship changes – AMEP participants - Programme 2.1:  
Citizenship**

Senator Carr, Kim (L&CA) written:

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b) What provisions are there for those people to attain an IELTS of 6.0 as proposed by the new citizenship test?

what is the Government doing to ensure that they are able to pass the English language requirements for citizenship?

a) How much would this cost? Where is it in the Budget?

*Answer:*

The AMEP is administered by the Department of Education and Training.