

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 20 OCTOBER 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE14/102) PROGRAMME – Australian Customs and Border Protection Service

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How many inspections of Customs Depot Licence holders have ACBPS officers conducted since May estimates?

a. What actions have been taken as a result of the inspections?

Answer:

From 1 May to 31 December 2014, 895 visits were conducted nationally to depots licensed under section 77G of the Customs Act.

From 1 May to 31 December 2014, 625 breaches of the Customs Act 1901 relating to section 77G depots were detected. As of 13 January 2015, 438 breaches have been treated through education or warning and 94 breaches by infringement notice. The remaining 93 breaches are currently being assessed.