

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 20 OCTOBER 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE14/136) PROGRAMME – Operation Sovereign Borders

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How much money has been spent overall on communications and engagement to disrupt people

Answer:

Since 1 July 2013, a total of \$23.9 million has been spent on offshore and onshore communication and engagement activities to disrupt maritime people smuggling to Australia.