QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 20 OCTOBER 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE14/385) PROGRAMME – 3.5 and 3.6: Illegal Maritime Arrival (IMA) Offshore Management

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

- What was Mr. Kehazaei diagnosed with on Manus Is?
- What tests were ordered to try and identify Mr. Kehazaei's illness?
- What medications were administered to Mr. Kehazaei to treat his symptoms and/or diagnosis?
- Was Mr. Kehazaei diagnosed with the rare bacterial infection chromobacterium violaceum on Manus Is or in Brisbane?
- Were the antibiotics used to treat this infection available to Mr. Kehazaei on Manus Is?
- If yes, did Mr. Kehazaei receive these antibiotics on Manus Is.?
- If not, why not?

Answer:

The department is awaiting the outcomes of the Queensland Coroner's report before making any further comment on the medical treatment provided in this case.