QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES - 20 OCTOBER 2014

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE14/432) PROGRAMME - 1.2: Visa and Citizenship

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

Provide the number of WHV visas granted in last financial year (2013-14), showing separately first 417 visa, second 417 visa and 462 visa grants.

Provide numbers for the corresponding financial period 2012-2013.

Answer:

The statistics requested are as follows:

Category	FY 2012-13	FY 2013-14
417 visa grants	210 369	183 428
2 nd 417 visa grants	38 862	45 950
Total 417	249 231	229 378
462 visa grants	9 017	10 214
Total WHM	258 248	239 592

These figures are taken from *Working Holiday Maker visa programme report* which is published twice a year on The Department of Immigration and Border Protection's website at http://www.immi.gov.au/pub-res/Pages/statistics/visitor-programme-statistics.aspx