

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING: 9 FEBRUARY 2010

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(104) Program 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Humphries asked:

Is there a cap on spending at the Christmas Island IDC?

Answer:

The Department of Immigration and Citizenship's budget for the Christmas Island IDC is classified as quarantined and can be adjusted as operational needs change.