

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 21 FEBRUARY 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(32) Program: Internal Product

Senator Cash asked:

What has the department budgeted for legal fees in 2010-2011 following the November 2010 High Court decision re: plaintiffs M61 and M69?

Answer:

The department plans to fund any additional legal costs in 2010-11 from within DIAC's existing budget appropriations.