QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

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Senator Cash asked:

With reference to the Department's website page dealing with Media Enquires. What is the definition of a media enquiry? Are enquiries from the media required to be logged? If so, how are they logged?

Answer.

The definition of a media enquiry is an approach (whether it be verbal, written or electronic) by a representative (journalist, producer, photographer) of the media asking a question of the department. Media enquiries are not required to be logged.