

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING: 13 FEBRUARY 2012**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(AE12/0040) Program: Internal Product**

Senator Cash asked:

When material is provided by a Departmental Officer in response to a media inquiry is the material required to be of a non-partisan nature? If not, why not?

*Answer:*

Yes.