

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING: 13 FEBRUARY 2012**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(AE12/0357) Program 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management**

Senator Cash asked:

What is the completion date for construction of the Yongah Hills detention facility?

Answer:

Construction practical completion of the Yongah Hill IDC facility will occur in the next month or two.

After reaching construction practical completion, the facility will require fit out with furniture, fixtures and equipment before clients can be transferred into the facility. Scheduling for this is currently being finalised.