

## QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 11 February 2013**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(AE13/0223) PROGRAM – Internal Product**

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

How much did the Department expect to raise from an increase in the VAC from some visa classes which took effect in January 2013?

*Answer:*

In accordance with the Mid-year Economic and Fiscal Outlook (MYEFO) 2012-13 the estimated increase in revenue from targeted increases to the Visa Application Charge is as follows:

	2012-13 \$'000	2013-14 \$'000	2014-15 \$'000	2015-16 \$'000	TOTAL \$'000
Visa Application Charges - targeted increases	52,240	143,022	156,243	168,957	<b>520,462</b>

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