

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 11 February 2013**

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

**(AE13/0241) PROGRAM – 1.1: Visa and Migration**

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

How many visa applications have been granted?

*Answer:*

As at 31 January 2013, there have been 7580 Skilled visas granted where an invitation to apply was issued by SkillSelect.