

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 11 February 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(AE13/0286) PROGRAM – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

In relation to the Government's announcement on 13 October 2011 that asylum seekers will be released into the community on bridging visas, How many were in employment during 2011-12? How many are in employment now?

Answer:

Employment data on BVE holders is not collected.