QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 11 February 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(AE13/0390) PROGRAM – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

What is the current operational and contingency capacity at Darwin? Has capacity been exceeded in 2012-13? If so, when and for how long?

Answer:

As at cob 11 February 2013:

	Operational capacity	Contingency capacity
Berrimah House APOD	16	16
DAL Stage 3 APOD	150	150
Darwin APOD (Airport Lodge)	435	435
Northern IDC	456	554
Wickham Point IDC	500	1500

The contingency capacity was not exceeded in 2012-13.