

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 22 May 2005**

IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

**(229) Output 1.3: Enforcement of Immigration Law**

Senator Ludwig asked:

Has GSL made allegations against the Department of it breaching any of its own obligations to GSL by demanding GSL detain people who are in fact Australian citizens or permanent residents? If so -

- a. Where possible provide the details of the alleged breach
- b. Detail whether or not the Department agreed that a breach had occurred
- c. Detail whether the allegations were resolved and how?
- d. Detail whether any allegations remain outstanding?

*Answer:*

There is no recorded instance of any such allegation.