## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 22 May 2006** 

## IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

## (68) Output 1.1: Migration and Temporary Entry

Senator Ludwig (L&C 93) asked:

Provide the list of the Regional Certifying Bodies in Queensland.

## Answer:

Regional Certifying Bodies approved by the Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs and specified in Legislative Instrument IMMI 06/010 currently operating in Queensland are:

- QLD Department of State Development, Trade and Innovation;
- Roma Town Council;
- Central Western Queensland Remote Area Planning and Development Board Inc.;
- Commerce Queensland (Rockhampton);
- Mount Isa Chamber of Commerce Inc.;
- Winton Shire Council;
- Gladstone Area Promotion and Development Limited;
- Central Queensland Area Consultative Committee Inc.;
- Cairns Chamber of Commerce Inc.;
- Cape York Peninsula Development Association Inc.;
- Commerce Queensland (Mackay);
- Gulf Savannah Development Inc.; and
- Townsville Enterprise Limited.

Legislative Instrument IMMI 06/010 "Specification of Regional Certifying Bodies and Post Codes Defining Regional Australia for Certain Visas" dated February 2006 is at Attachment A.