

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

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Senator Crossin (L&CA 120) asked:

What is the total cost of winding down that temporary centre on Christmas Island? What is the budgeted amount?

Answer:

The Government has yet to decide the future of the existing facility on Christmas Island and as such no specific budget has been appropriated for any work.