QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 24 MAY 2011

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE11/0508) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network

Senator Cash (L&CA 108) asked:

Does the Department of Defence send the department bills for Curtin, Inverbrackie or any other defence related facilities? Or is it only in relation to Scherger?

Answer.

The Department of Defence only sends telephone bills in relation to Scherger. At all other Defence sites the Department is billed directly by the telephone service provider.