

## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

### **BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS: 24 MAY 2011**

#### **IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

#### **(BE11/0526) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network**

Senator Cash (L&CA 103) asked:

Have any minors attending local schools from Inverbrackie been suspended from those schools, and if so why? And in terms of how many minors from Inverbrackie attending local schools have been suspended from those schools, and if so why?

*Answer:*

Three minors were suspended from school for five school days for disruptive behaviour. In accordance with South Australian Education Department policy both the minors and the parents were counselled about the reasons for the suspension. A re-entry interview was conducted prior to the minors returning to school.