## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

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

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE11/0535) Program 4.2: Onshore Detention Network

Senator Cash (L&CA 100) asked:

What was the initial cost of the contract for the Northam Detention Centre when it was announced last year by the minister?

Answer.

The budget estimate was \$164.5 million.