QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 27-28 May 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE13/0281) PROGRAM – 1.1: Visa and Migration

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

What are the visa conditions for secondary applicants of the Significant Investor Visa?

Answer:

Secondary holders of the Significant Investor Visa may be subject to Condition 8515, which states: "The holder of the visa must not marry or enter into a de facto relationship before entering Australia". For example, it is applied to dependent children of marriageable age. If the applicant is outside Australia when the visa is granted, the first entry must be made before the date specified by the Minister.