

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 27-28 May 2013

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(BE13/0345) PROGRAM – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Cash (Written) asked:

When did Christmas Island's population first exceed 3,000?

Answer:

According to DIAC operational data the first time Christmas Island's detention population exceeded 3000 was on 2 December 2010.