QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

(136) Output 1.3: Enforcement of Immigration Law

Senator Nettle asked:

What is the current charge for detention in each detention centre?

Answer:

The gazetted daily maintenance amount for all onshore facilities is \$114.00 (GST exclusive). Christmas Island is charged at \$439.00 (GST exclusive).