## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 1 November 2005** 

IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

(317) Output: Refugee Review Tribunal

Senator Bartlett asked:

What is the number of those matters remitted by consent for the 2004-5 financial year, and the previous 5 financial years?

Answer:

During the 2004-05 financial year, in 165 cases the Tribunal decision was remitted by consent.

From 1 July 1999 to June 2004, in 348 cases the Tribunal decision was remitted by consent, as follows:

- From 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000 in 53 cases the Tribunal decision was remitted by consent
- From 1 July 2000 to 30 June 2001 in 105 cases the Tribunal decision was remitted by consent
- From 1 July 2001 to 30 June 2002 in 76 cases the Tribunal decision was remitted by consent
- From 1 July 2002 to 30 June 2003 in 34 cases the Tribunal decision was remitted by consent
- From 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 in 80 cases the Tribunal decision was remitted by consent