QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 1 November 2005

IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

(66) Output 1.3: Enforcement of Immigration Law

Senator Crossin asked:

What was the actual cost of the contract with GSL for the last financial year? What is the projected cost for 2005-2006?

Answer:

For financial year 2004-05 the estimated cost was \$76.639 million and the actual cost of the Detention Services Contract was \$75.587 million.

The estimated cost of the Detention Services Contract for financial year 2005-06 is \$76.004 million.