

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 20 OCTOBER 2009**

**IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

**(94) Program 4.1: Visa Compliance and Status Resolution**

Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked:

Since abolishing detention debt, has the number of overstayers located increased?

*Answer:*

With the legislation only coming into effect on 9 November 2009, there is insufficient data available to provide a response.