

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

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

**IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

**(97) Program 4.3: Offshore asylum seeker management**

Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked:

Please update what are the capacities in the various facilities on the Christmas Island Detention Centre?

*Answer:*

Current capacities:

<b>Current Capacity</b>	<b>Contingency Accommodation Capacity</b>
Immigration Detention Centre (IDC) (North West Point)	1088
Phosphate Hill – B Compound	48
Construction Camp	200
Duplex Accommodation	44*
<b>Total</b>	<b>1380</b>

**Note:**

\* Actual capacity depends on family composition.