## **QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

## SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

## IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

## (SE12/0250) PROGRAM – 1.1: Visa and Migration

Senator Cash (written) asked:

SkillSelect: Does an invitation to apply falls within the provisions of Subdivisions A, AA, AB and AC of Division 3 of Part 2?

Answer:

The Minister's power to issue invitations derives from regulations made under sections 45 and 46 of the *Migration Act 1958*. Those sections are located in Subdivision AA of Division 3 of Part 2 of the Act.