

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE12/0267) PROGRAM – 2.1: Refugee and Humanitarian Assistance

Senator Cash (L&CA 77) asked:

Regarding Sri Lankan IMAs claiming protection in Australia, what is the acceptance rate after review?

Answer:

Annual and quarterly figures for Protection visa grant and refusal rates for IMAs and non-IMAs at primary and review stages are published on the DIAC website at:

www.immi.gov.au/media/publications/statistics/asylum/

http://www.immi.gov.au/media/publications/statistics/asylum/_files/asylum-trends-aus-annual-2010-11.pdf