QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 15 October 2012

IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO

(SE12/0672) PROGRAM – 4.5: Regional Cooperation and Associated Activities

Senator Cash (L&CA 113) asked:

Does the Minister know whether or not the Malaysian government has indicated that they will agree to implementing binding legal arrangements, as required by the High Court decision?

Answer:

It would not be appropriate for the Department to comment on the detail of diplomatic discussions and negotiation with foreign governments.