QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0034) PROGRAMME – 4.3: Offshore Asylum Seeker Management

Senator Carr (L&CA 76) asked:

Senator KIM CARR: How many women, how many children and how many unaccompanied minors are in immigration detention who are in Australia, who have arrived since 7 September and who have arrived by boat? Mr Bowles: I would have to take that on notice.

Answer:

As at 15 November 2013, there were 65 women, 84 accompanied minors and 23 unaccompanied minors in immigration detention in Australia who arrived illegally by boat since 7 September 2013.

**Future interactions with clients may identify a change to their circumstances such as age.