

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0075) PROGRAMME – 1.1: Visa and Migration

Senator Singh (L&CA 129) asked:

Mr Allen: I have also been advised that we do not have the figure for the average between application and conferral available. We will take that on notice and see if we can get that to you afterwards.

Answer:

The average time from lodgement of an application to conferral of Australia citizenship in 2012-13 was 109 days.