QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0285) PROGRAM – Internal Product

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

Has the Minister, or his office, ordered new crockery and cutlery for the ministerial suite? • If so, how was it funded, how was the cost met, and which budget did the funding come from? • What is the approval process for this sort of purchase?

Answer:

The Department of Immigration & Border Protection (DIBP) has not expended any funds on behalf of the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection for new crockery or cutlery.