

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0318) PROGRAMME – 1.1: Visa and Migration

Senator Carr (Written) asked:

How many Department staff are there in the unit responsible for the administration of the employer sanctions legislation (Migration Amendment (Reform of Employer Sanctions) Act 2013)?

Answer:

All compliance officers play a role in administering the Employer Sanctions Legislation through their ongoing work in raising awareness with employers and, where necessary, issuing Illegal Worker Warning Notices. There are eight officers whose roles are directly related to the administration of the legislation, working in two units.