

**Estimates Committee 2015**  
**Questions Taken On Notice**

( 26/05/2015 to 4/06/2015 )

Date: 02/06/2015

Output: Regional Services

Sub Output: Homelands,  
Outstations and  
Town Camps

Subject: Delays in Homelands Extra and Homelands Support Funds

**From:** Mr Gerry McCarthy to Hon Bess Price  
Local Government & Community Services

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**Question:** **7-6**  
How many homeland organisations have had homelands extra and other homelands' support funds delayed by more than three months because of inadequate applications for funding?

**Answer:**  
Answered On: 18/06/2015

# ESTIMATES COMMITTEE

## Question Taken on Notice

**Date:** 2 June 2015 **Output:** 1.3

**Subject:** Homelands Extra Allowance Program 2014/15

**From:** Member for Barkly (McCarthy)

**To:** Minister Price

**Agency:** Local Government and Community Services

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**Number:** 7.6

**Question:** How many homeland organisations have had homelands extra and other homelands' support funds delayed by more than three months because of inadequate applications for funding?

**Answer:** For 2014-15, six applications were received more than three months ago that are still being processed due to incomplete information being provided in the initial application. This represents less than 1 per cent of the 700 applications received in 2014-15.

The outstanding applications were received from two separate service providers. Service providers have advised the reasons for the delay in obtaining the required information include 'homeland residents dealing with post cyclone issues' and 'homeland residents unable to be located'.