

**Answer to Question on Notice taken by Dr Chris Martin, for the Tenants' Union of NSW, during the hearing of the Select Committee on Social, Public and Affordable Housing Monday 12 May 2014**

**Question:**

**The Hon. RICK COLLESS:** Figure No. 10 in your submission, I would very much like to see that done by the number of properties and the number of bedrooms provided, rather than just by the lending commitments of investors. Is it possible to do that on notice?

**Answer:**

Unfortunately, this is impossible. Figure 10 in the submission presents data from the Australian Bureau of Statistics' Lending Finance series (catalogue number 5671.0). This series does not give data as to the number of properties financed, nor the number of bedrooms in properties financed.

Reports in the series can be accessed at the following web address:

<http://www.abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/Lookup/5671.0Main+Features1Apr%202014?OpenDocument>