Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

2011-12 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: Cross Question No: 85

Topic: Taxi Costs

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Senator McKenzie asked:

How much did each department/agency spend on taxis this financial year to date? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency.

Answer:

For the period 1 July 2011 to 31 January 2012, FaHCSIA's expenditure on Taxis was \$474,407.65 (GST inclusive). This information was obtained from the General Ledger in the Department's Financial Management System.

Due to structural reorganisations and movements within groups of the Department throughout this period it is not possible to provide an accurate breakdown by business group without significant diversion of Departmental resources.