Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programs Question No: 131

Topic: Ministerial Staff Vehicles

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Senator Ludwig asked:

- 1. Have any of the Minister's staff been provided with a motor vehicle under the MoPS Act entitlements? If so:
- a. What is the make and model?
- b. How much did it cost?
- c. When was it provided?
- d. Was the entire cost met by the department? If not, how was the cost met?
- e. What, if any, have been the ongoing costs associated with this motor vehicle? Please include costs such as maintenance and fuel.
- f. Are these costs met by the department? If not, how are these costs met?
- g. Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine this entitlement to a motor vehicle
- h. Have these guidelines changed since September 7, 2013? If so, please detail.
- i. Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine how a motor vehicle is to be used that they have been provided with. Please include details such as whether the motor vehicle can be used for personal uses.
- j. Have these guidelines changed since September 7, 2013? If so, please detail.

Answer:

No, the Department has not provided a motor vehicle to any Minister's staff under the MoPS Act entitlements.