

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: 154

Topic: Shared resources following MoG changes

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Senator Ludwig asked:

- 1) What resources/services does the department share with other departments? Are there plans to cease the sharing of these resources/services?
- 2) What were the costs to the department prior to the Machinery of Government changes for these shared resources?
- 3) What are the estimated costs after the ceasing of shared resource arrangements?

Answer:

- 1) Refer to Additional Estimates 2014 question 153. There are no current plans to cease sharing these resources and services.
- 2) A number of properties have been transferred to the department as a result of the Machinery of Government changes which are now shared with other departments and as such there were no costs to the department prior to the Machinery of Government changes for these facilities.
- 3) See point 1) above.