

Senate Community Affairs Committee
ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Social Services Portfolio
2014-15 Budget Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: 1

Question No: 646

Topic: Mobility Allowance

Hansard Page: Written

Senator Brown asked:

Can you provide the latest data on overall costs associated with the Mobility Allowance?

Answer:

The outlays for Mobility Allowance for 2012-13 were published in the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations (DEEWR) Annual Report 2012-13, on page 283.

<http://employment.gov.au/annual-reports>

The initial estimated outlays for Mobility Allowance for 2013-14 were published in the DEEWR Portfolio Budget Statements 2013-14 on page 86.

<http://employment.gov.au/portfolio-budget-statements-2013-14>

As a result of the Administrative Arrangements Order of 18 September 2013, responsibility for Mobility Allowance was transferred to the Department of Social Services (DSS). The estimated outlays for Mobility Allowance for 2013-14 for the period from 18 September 2013 are provided in the DSS Portfolio Budget Estimates Statements 2014-15, on page 73.

<http://www.dss.gov.au/about-the-department/publications-articles/corporate-publications/budget-and-additional-estimates-statements/2014-15-budget/portfolio-budget-statements-2014-15-social-services-115a>