

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME 0: Whole of Portfolio

Topic: PROVISION OF EQUIPMENT

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Senator: Senator Boyce

Question:

For departments/agencies that provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what are the ongoing costs for this financial year to date? What were the running costs for 2009-10 and 2010-11?

Answer:

Costs for electronic equipment provided to the three Ministers and the Parliamentary Secretary and/or their offices, cannot be separated from the total expended for the Department/Agency. Therefore, to provide the level of detail requested would involve an unreasonable diversion of resources which the Department of Health and Ageing is not currently in a position to undertake.

Total costs are provided in response to Question on Notice E12-158.