

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Additional Estimates

26 February 2014

Question: AET 110

Topic: Hire Costs

Written: 5 March 2014

Senator LUDWIG asked:

110. How much did each department/agency spend on hire cars from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency.

b) What are the reasons for hire car costs?

Answer:

110. Treasury's expenditure on hire car costs from November 2013 to February 2014 is provided in the table below:

Group	2013-14
	November to February \$'000
Macroeconomic Group	-
Fiscal Group	-
Revenue Group	-
Markets Group	-
Corporate	2
Total	2

*Corporate includes Overseas Posts

b) The majority of hire car costs relate to travel in regional areas and at Overseas Posts where travel by taxi is not a cost effective option.