

Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND SCIENCE

TOPIC: Corporate cars

REFERENCE: Written question – Senator Ludwig

QUESTION No.: AI-49

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

1. How many cars are owned by each department/agency?
2. Where are the cars located?
3. What are the cars used for?
4. What is the cost of each car during the specified period?
5. How far did each car travel during the specified period?
6. How many cars are leased by each department/agency?
7. Where are the cars located?
8. What are the cars used for?
9. What is the cost of each car during the specified period?
10. How far did each car travel during the specified period?

ANSWER

1. The department does not own any cars (passenger vehicles).
- 2-5. Not applicable
6. The Department leases 56 cars (passenger vehicles) as at 31 January 2016.
7. The Department's leased cars are located in each State and Territory in Australia.
8. The Department's fleet consists of 24 pool cars which are used for the collection and delivery of goods and for travel to remote locations. In addition, there are 18 AusIndustry Regional Manager cars and 14 Executive Scheme Vehicles (SES officers).
- 9-10. The total cost of the 56 leased cars from 1 September 2015 to 31 January 2016 was \$287,275. The total kilometres travelled by the leased cars was approximately 452,590 kilometers. To provide this data on an individual passenger car basis would be an unreasonable diversion of departmental resources.