

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

20-21 November 2013

Question: SBT 721

Topic: Taxi Costs

Written: 25 November 2013

Senators LUDWIG and WONG asked:

721. a) How much did each department/agency spend on taxis from 7 September 2013 to date? Provide a breakdown for each business group in each department/agency.

b) What are the reasons for taxi costs?

Answer:

721. a) \$2,029.

b) The Inspector-General of Taxation has national responsibility and operates out of a single office location. In conducting reviews, fieldwork involves meetings with taxpayers and Australian Taxation Office staff throughout Australia.