

Senate Economics Legislation Committee
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Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014

22 October to 23 October 2014

Department/ Agency: ASIC

Question: SBT 1722

Topic: Provision of Equipment - Departmental

Reference: Written – 30 October 2014

Senator: LUDWIG

Question:

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

1722. Has electronic equipment (such as iPad, laptop, wireless card, vasco token, blackberry, mobile phone (list type if relevant), thumb drive, video cameras) been provided by the department/agency to departmental staff? If yes provide a list of:
- a) What is provided?
 - b) The purchase cost.
 - c) The ongoing cost.
 - d) A list of any accessories provided for the equipment and the cost of those accessories. (e.g. iPad keyboards, laptop carry bags, additional chargers etc.).
 - e) A breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives each item.

Answer:

1722. Yes. ASIC's policy is to provide electronic equipment to selected staff, based on need and on manager's approval, and in some cases Senior Executive approval. ASIC can provide the following to agency staff, with purchase costs as at end October 2014:

a. Equipment provided	b. Purchase costs	c. Ongoing costs	d) Accessories	e) Received by
Nokia Lumiere 610 mobile phone	\$237	The ongoing costs of these devices vary, depending on level of usage. Data charges are pooled.	n/a	Available to staff with a justified and approved need
iPhone 5C	\$739			
iPhone 6	\$869			
iPad Air	\$725		Keyboard dock: \$100	Available to Executive Level 2 staff and above if justified
Vasco tokens	\$150 for hard tokens; \$140 for soft tokens		n/a	Provided to staff with a justified and approved need to have remote access.
USB Thumb drives	\$150 per encrypted device		n/a	Available to staff with a justified and approved need.

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Wireless cards	\$300 per 4G device		n/a	Available to staff with a justified and approved need.