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Department/Agency: ATO Question: SBT 1942-1943 Topic: Unallocated Equipment

Reference: written - 31 October 2014

Senator: Ludwig

Question:

1942. Please detail how much electrical equipment, phones and computers the department/agency has in storage or unallocated to staff.

1943 Please detail the purchase, storage and ongoing costs associated with equipment, phones and computers in storage or unallocated.

Answer:

1942.

Inventory of phones and computers held in storage by the department or unallocated to staff, as at 31 October 2014						
	Standard Desktop	Standard Monitor	Standard Notebook	Tablet (Data enabled device)	Phones eg Blackberry, iphone	
Store	655	-	-	-	-	
Unallocated/Spares	711	527	-	45	123	

Electrical Equipment in Storage:

Item type	Quantity
Sandwich press	57
Microwaves	48
Data projector	43
Electronic Whiteboards	31
Bar fridge	24
Video camera	0
Tape Recorder unit	3
Fridge/freezer	14
Shredders	25
Paper drills	3
Laminator	6
Fridge	9
Television	17

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Microfilm scanner	3
Bulk printer	1
VCR	4
Smartboard	5
Small printer	4
Voicemail recorder	1
DVD player	11
Microfiche reader	3
PA system	3
Poster printer	1
Polycom phones	1
Portable copier	1

1943. Please see **SBT 1899-1900** for equipment purchase and ongoing costs. The monthly storage cost for the unallocated equipment is \$8,500 (GST exclusive).

Purchase costs for other electrical equipment are estimated at \$399,576 (GST inclusive). Most items are located in ATO sites. Only very few are located in off-site storage, with these storage costs estimated at \$1,107 (GST inclusive) per annum. There are no ongoing costs associated with these items.