Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014 - 2015

Department/Agency: CEFC Question: SBT2320-2321 Topic: Taxi Costs

Reference: written - 30 October 2014

Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

- 2320. How much did each department/agency spend on taxis during the specified period?
 - a. Provide a breakdown for each business group in each department/agency.
 - b. What are the reasons for taxi costs?
- 2321. How much did the department spend on taxis during the specified period for their minister or minister's office?

Answer:

2320. \$30,246.52 covering the period 1 June 2014 to 31 October 2014.

a.

Group	Amount
Board#	\$0#
Executive	\$12,988.59
Investments & Portfolio Management Group	\$8,936.47
Legal, Compliance, Risk Management & Governance Group	\$3,241.74
Human Resources, Communications & Corporate Affairs Group	\$2,408.99
Finance, Treasury & Administration Group	\$2,670.73

#Taxis for Board Members are all associated with their attendance at Board meetings. This figure is included at SBT2286 and therefore has been excluded from this analysis in order to avoid duplicative reporting of costs.

b. Taxis are used when it is effective and efficient to do so.

2321. \$Nil.