Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016

Agency - Comcare

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ16-000364

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

Comcare - Existing Resources Program

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

1. How many projects, work, programs or other tasks has the department started as a consequence of government policies or priorities that are required to be funded 'within existing resources'?

- 2. List each
- 3. List the staffing assigned to each task
- 4. What is the nominal total salary cost of the officers assigned to the project?
- 5. What resources or equipment has been assigned to the project?

Answer

Comcare manages its resources flexibly to meet the Government's priorities. To collect the information on staffing and other resources assigned to each of these undertakings would be an unreasonable diversion of agency resources.