

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

Agency - Comcare

Department of Employment Question No. EM1482_15

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

Comcare - Corporate cars

"Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014: 1. How many cars are owned by each department/agency? a. Where are the cars located? b. What are the cars used for? c. What is the cost of each car during the specified period? d. How far did each car travel during the specified period? 2. How many cars are leased by each department/agency? a. Where are the cars located? b. What are the cars used for? c. What is the cost of each car during the specified period? d. How far did each car travel during the specified period?"

Answer

1. How many cars are owned by each department/agency?

Two cars are owned by Comcare.

a. Where are the cars located?

The cars are located at 121 Marcus Clarke Street, Canberra ACT 2601.

b. What are the cars used for?

Car 1 is used as a Corporate Car for travelling for business related purposes.
Car 2 is used for the transportation of mail and courier services from Comcare's Records and Mail Center to 121 Marcus Clarke Street.

c. What is the cost of each car during the specified period?

Car 1 is \$595 and Car 2 is \$724.

d. How far did each car travel during the specified period?

Car 1 travelled 716 km and Car 2 travelled 1835 km.

2. How many cars are leased by each department/agency?

Thirteen cars are leased by Comcare.

a. *Where are the cars located?*

- 2 cars are located at 121 Marcus Clarke Street, Canberra ACT 2601
- 2 cars at 477 Pitt Street, Sydney NSW 2000
- 1 car is located at 47 Bolton Street, Newcastle NSW 2300
- 2 cars are located at 410 Queen Street, Brisbane QLD 4000
- 2 cars are located at 1 King William Street, Adelaide SA 5000
- 2 cars are located at 535 Bourke Street, Melbourne VIC 3000
- 2 cars are located at 89 St Georges Terrace, Perth WA 6000

b. *What are the cars used for?*

The cars are the Regional Operations Work Health and Safety Inspectors on call vehicles and are used to travel to site inspections.

c. *What is the cost of each car during the specified period?*

For the period of 1 July 2014 to 31 October 2014 the cost of each vehicle is detailed below:

Office location	Cost of each car
ACT - Canberra	\$4,468.02
	\$4,446.08
NSW - Sydney	\$4,429.21
	\$4,516.39
NSW - Newcastle	\$4,260.82
	\$4,708.91
QLD - Brisbane	\$4,820.22
	\$4,459.16
SA- Adelaide	\$3,724.72
	\$5,626.40
VIC - Melbourne	\$6,409.35
	\$3,715.36
WA- Perth	\$3,713.64

d. *How far did each car travel during the specified period?*

For the period of 1 July 2014 to 31 October 2014 the distance travelled in kilometres by each vehicle is detailed below:

Office location	Travel distance of each car
ACT - Canberra	1,637
	3,876
NSW - Sydney	3,268
	4,549
NSW - Newcastle	4,136
	4,425
QLD - Brisbane	6,198
	3,281

	2,262
VIC - Melbourne	3,753
	4,254
WA- Perth	3,135
	4,961