

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES 2015-16

Finance Portfolio
9 February 2016

Department/Agency: All
Outcome/Program: General
Topic: Hire cars

Senator: Ludwig
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Question:

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September 2015:

1. How much did each department/agency spend on hire cars during the specified period?
Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency.
2. What are the reasons for hire car costs?
3. How much did the department spend on hire cars during the specified period for their minister or minister's office?

Answer:

Department/ Agency	Response																		
Finance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nil. 2. N/A. 3. Nil. 																		
Australian Electoral Commission	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The total agency spend on hire cars for the period 15 September 2015 to 31 January 2016 was \$59,087. A breakdown of the cost for each AEC business group is as follows: <table border="1" style="margin-left: 40px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Business Group</th> <th style="text-align: right;">Amount \$</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>National Office</td> <td style="text-align: right;">54,852</td> </tr> <tr> <td>New South Wales</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1,202</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Queensland</td> <td style="text-align: right;">789</td> </tr> <tr> <td>South Australia</td> <td style="text-align: right;">814</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tasmania</td> <td style="text-align: right;">545</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Victoria</td> <td style="text-align: right;">804</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Western Australia</td> <td style="text-align: right;">81</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td style="text-align: right;">59,087</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> 2. Hire cars have been rented to facilitate AEC core business activities. 3. N/A. 	Business Group	Amount \$	National Office	54,852	New South Wales	1,202	Queensland	789	South Australia	814	Tasmania	545	Victoria	804	Western Australia	81	Total	59,087
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Future Fund Management Agency	<p>For the period from 14 September 2015 to 9 February 2016:</p> <p>1. \$348 was spent by the investment area. 2. Official purposes where other modes of transport were not available or efficient. 3. N/A.</p>										