

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee  
—Additional Estimates Hearing—February 2016**

**Answers to Questions on Notice**

**Parliamentary departments, Department of Parliamentary Services**

Topic: **Vending machines**

Question: **229**

Written: **Senator Ludwig**

**Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 1 April 2016**

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

1. Has the department/agency purchased or leased or taken under contract any vending machine facilities?
  - a. If so, list these
  - b. If so, list the total cost for these items
  - c. If so, list the itemised cost for each item of expenditure
  - d. If so, where were these purchased
  - e. If so, list the process for identifying how they would be purchased
  - f. If so, what is the current location for these items?
  - g. If so, what is the current usage for each of these items?

**Answer**

1. No. Vending machines are managed throughout the building by the parliamentary catering contractor.