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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Senator: McAllister, Jenny

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Question:

Senator McALLISTER: What did it cost to establish the centre when it first opened in the ASIO building?

Ms Ragg: That is a question I will have to take on notice.

Answer:

As previously advised in the response to Senate question on notice number 1147 (refer to Attachment A), the budget to establish the Australian Cyber Security Centre was \$15.06 million, to be provided by the Defence and the Attorney-General's portfolios. The final cost to establish the Australian Cyber Security Centre was \$14.61 million.