

Question: 60

Topic: Disability access

Written: 31 October 2014

Senator LUDWIG asked:

Please provide a list of all premises owned, leased or otherwise operated by the department / agency which do not yet comply with the *Disability Discrimination Act* (through The Disability (Access to Premises - Buildings) Standards 2010). For each, please provide:

- a) The year in which it was purchased / leased / rented (and if lease / rental agreement, when it expires).
- b) What plans are in place to make the premises compliant with the act.
- c) When these plans will commence and when they are expected to be complete.
- d) Has the minister or the minister's office been informed of these plans? Please provide a copy of any communication (including but not limited to emails, letters, memos, notes etc.) between the minister's office and the department regarding this issue.
- e) What is the expected cost of making the premises compliant? Please break down the costs.
- f) Have any plans to make any premises compliant been cancelled, put on hold or delayed since 7 September 2013? If yes, please detail, including the reasons for which they were cancelled, put on hold or delayed and how the decision was reached.
- g) Have any complaints been lodged with regard to the premises not being compliant? If yes, please detail.

Answer

This question is not applicable to the department.