

## QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING : 08 February 2016**

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

**(AE16/090) - Corporate Cars - Internal Product (DIBP)**

Senator Ludwig, Joe (L&CA) written:

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

1. How many cars are owned by each department/agency?
  1. Where are the cars located?
  2. What are the cars used for?
  3. What is the cost of each car during the specified period?
  4. How far did each car travel during the specified period?
2. How many cars are leased by each department/agency?
  1. Where are the cars located?
  2. What are the cars used for?
  3. What is the cost of each car during the specified period?
  4. How far did each car travel during the specified period?

*Answer:*

1. The Department of Immigration and Border Protection currently owns 145 vehicles.

- 1.1 The owned vehicles are located at both onshore and offshore locations as follows.

<b>State</b>	<b>No. of Vehicles (08 Feb 2016)</b>
Manus	38
Middle East	3
Nauru	53
NSW	10
NT	1
PNG	1
QLD	14
SA	1
South East Asia	3
TAS	1
VIC	6
WA	14
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>145</b>

- 1.2 The departmentally owned vehicles are used for various operational purposes including compliance and surveillance operations, cargo examination and detention centre facility operations.

1.3 - 4. The owned vehicles are managed by a number of different areas and it would require an unreasonable diversion of resources to source operational costs and kilometres travelled during the specified period.

2. The department currently leases 433 vehicles.

2.1 and 3. The leased vehicles are located at regional and central areas throughout Australia and its surrounding territories including Christmas Island and the Torres Strait Islands. The location and cost of leased vehicles is listed in the table below.

State	No. of Vehicles (08 Feb 2016)	Average Cost per Vehicle per Month	Total Cost of Vehicles Per Month	Total Cost from 14/09/15 to 08/02/16
ACT	21	\$984	\$20,671	\$103,355
NSW	99	\$997	\$98,731	\$493,656
NT	30	\$1,033	\$30,989	\$154,944
SA	25	\$984	\$24,597	\$122,987
VIC	88	\$1,015	\$89,325	\$446,627
TAS	6	\$1,237	\$7,420	\$37,098
QLD Includes 11 Vehicles on Torres Strait Islands	78	\$1,071	\$83,517	\$417,583
WA Includes 20 Vehicles on Christmas Island	86	\$1,133	\$97,418	\$487,089
<b>Totals</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>\$1,045</b>	<b>\$452,668</b>	<b>\$2,263,338</b>

2.2 Staff are required to travel within location and between sites to deliver a wide range of operational activities.

4. The distance travelled by each leased vehicle averages approximately 11,236 kms per vehicle over a twelve month period.