QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES HEARING: 27 February 2017

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(AE17/118) - Ground transport - Internal Product (DIBP)

Senator Bilyk, Catryna (L&CA) written:

What was the Department's total expenditure on the following categories of ground transport in calendar year 2016 (GST inclusive): (i) Taxi hire; (ii) Limousine hire; (iii) Private hire car; and (iv) Ridesharing services.

Answer:

The Department's total expenditure for Taxi hire, Limousine hire and Private hire car for the calendar year 2016 was \$8.25m.

As the Department captures data at an aggregate level, to provide this information in the categories requested it would require a review of all individual transactions which is considered an unreasonable diversion of resources.