SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S PORTFOLIO

Group: 1

Program: Whole-of-Portfolio

Question No. SBE14/149

Senator Ludwig asked the following written question from the 20 November and 11 December 2014 hearings.

- 1. Is the department using or planning to use cloud digital services (e.g. storage, computer software access etc)? If yes:
 - a. What date did/will cloud services be deployed in the department?
 - b. Please provide a list of all cloud services in use or being considered for use.
 - c. How much do these services cost? Please break down by service.
 - d. How much cloud storage (in gigabytes) is available for departmental use? What percentage of the available total is in use?
 - e. How much does this cloud storage cost per month?
 - f. What security arrangements are in place to protect cloud based services and storage?
 - g. Have any security analysts been employed / contracted to advise on the implementation and upkeep of these security arrangements?
 - h. What has been the cost of security for the cloud? Please provide a breakdown.

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

1. To attempt to provide the level of detail requested from the portfolio would involve an unreasonable diversion of resources.