

**Senate Standing Committee on Economics**

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26 February 2014

**Question:** AET 773-774

**Topic:** Workplace assessments

**Written:** 5 March 2014

**Senator LUDWIG asked:**

773. How much has been spent on workplace ergonomic assessments since 7 September 2013?  
a. List each item of expenditure and cost
774. Have any assessments, not related to an existing disability, resulted in changes to workplace equipment or set up?  
a. If so, list each item of expenditure and cost related to those changes

**Answer:**

As at 5 March 2014:

773. \$2,582 (GST incl) for 18 ergonomic assessments.
774. Yes – \$1,675 (GST incl) for 3 x ergonomic chairs; \$1,300 (GST incl) for a sit-to-stand electronic desk; and \$27 (GST incl) for a lower back seat support.