## **Senate Standing Committee on Economics**

## ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Innovation, Industry, Science and Research Portfolio Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearing 2010-11 20 October 2010

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: INNOVATION, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

**TOPIC:** Stationery requirements

**REFERENCE:** Written Question – Senator Colbeck

**QUESTION No.:** SI-51

- 1. What are the government (Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries) stationery requirements in your portfolio (i.e. special type of paper, envelopes)?
- 2. What are the cost of these items? Is the Department/portfolio agencies paying for these?

## **ANSWER**

- 1. Both Minister Carr and Minister Sherry utilise non-standard paper for preparation of replies to correspondence.
- 2. The cost of this item is paid for by the Department. The cost for Minister Carr in the 2009-10 Financial Year was \$760.00 (GST exclusive) and nil in financial year to date. The cost for Minister Sherry for the financial year to date is \$809.00 (GST exclusive).