

**Economics Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
Industry, Innovation, Science, Research and Tertiary Education Portfolio  
Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearing 2012-13  
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**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:** DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION, SCIENCE, RESEARCH AND TERTIARY EDUCATION

**TOPIC:** Training for Portfolio Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries

**REFERENCE:** Written Question –Senator Bushby

**QUESTION No.:** SI-178

1. For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for.
2. For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for staff of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for.
3. For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for designed to better suit the needs of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for, and how many employees attended and their classification.

**ANSWER**

1. The Department has not paid for any training for Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries for the 2012-13 Financial Year (as at 31 October 2012).
2. The Department has not paid for any training for staff of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries for the 2012-13 Financial Year (as at 31 October 2012).
3. Nil.