

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2013-2014**

Agency - Safe Work Australia

Department of Employment Question No. EM0332_14

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

SWA - Hire cars

- a) How much did each department/agency spend on hire cars from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency.
- b) What are the reasons for hire car costs?

Answer

- a) Expenditure on hire cars for Safe Work Australia from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to 28 February 2014 totalled \$1215.45 and was incurred by the Office of the Chief Executive Officer. This amount is separate from expenditure on taxi fares.
- b) All expenditure for the period was associated with work related travel where the use of a hire car was considered to be more practical or efficient than other forms of transport.