

**SENATE EMPLOYMENT, WORKPLACE RELATIONS AND EDUCATION
LEGISLATION COMMITTEE**

**2004-2005 BUDGET SENATE ESTIMATES HEARING
31 MAY AND 1 JUNE 2004**

EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS PORTFOLIO

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Corporate

Question Number: W134-05

Question:

Senator Ludwig asked in writing:

How many break-ins were there on Departmental property in 2000-01, 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04? For each incident:

- a) what was the location and the cost of damage associated with each break in?
- b) What was the cost of damage conducted during each break in?
- c) What was the subject of theft in each break in?
- d) What was the cost of any theft associated with each break in?
- e) was anyone charged with the break in (specify if they were employed by the Department)?
- f) was anyone convicted of the break in (specify if they were employed by the Department)?

Answer:

Two.

1. (a) The first incident occurred on 9 February 2003 at the department's National Office in 12 Mort St. (b) The glass panel in one door was damaged. The repair costs were approximately \$100. (c) six (6) laptops were stolen. (d) the book value of the laptops was \$32,000. (e) The matter was reported to the ACT Police but to date no one has been charged, (f) nor convicted.

2. (a) The second occurred on 19 June 2003 in the department's South Australia State Office. (b) Nil damage. (c) Nil items stolen. (d) not applicable. (e) the intruder was apprehended and charged by the South Australia Police. (e) The department has not been advised on the outcome of any criminal proceedings.