Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Question: PM 24.

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Topic: Vehicles used for Senior Officials Meeting 1 (SOM1)

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Senator Evans asked: Are you telling me you only had to provide 21 vehicles?

Mr Henderson: No, you are pushing me beyond the detail that I have here. I will just check whether Mr Harper has any detail. If you want a disaggregation of that aggregate figure, I will have to take that on notice.

Answer: The Taskforce provided 35 hire vehicles (driven by COMCAR drivers) through a whole of year contract with Hertz broken down as follows: 22 to member economies, 4 to official observers, 2 to the APEC Secretariat, 1 to the SOM chair, 3 to invited guests and 3 as contingency vehicles.