

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012

Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

Department/Agency: Department of Finance and Deregulation
Outcome/Program: General
Topic: Provision of Equipment

Senator: Ryan

Question reference number: F114

Type of question: Written

Date set by the committee for the return of answer: Friday, 30 March 2012

Number of pages: 1

Question:

- a) Does the department/agency provide their Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices with any electronic equipment? If yes, provide details of what is provided, the cost and to who it is provided.
- b) What other non-electronic office equipment is provided to department/agency staff (paintings, furniture etc....)? Please list what the equipment is, the cost, the classification of the staff receiving the equipment and the reason why.

Answer:

- a) Yes. Refer to Attachment A.
- b) The Department of Finance and Deregulation provides a range of non – electronic office equipment to staff at all classifications. The equipment includes work stations, chairs, filing cabinets, storage containers, waste bins, office supplies etc. To provide the level of detail sought would involve an unreasonable diversion of departmental resources.

Departmental Assets Issued to Ministers & Ministerial Staff

Hardware	Purchase Cost - Outright \$	Ongoing Monthly Cost \$	Provided to:
Ipad (includes SIM)	1,117.95	(Data) 49.00	Ministers Only
Desktop Bundles (includes Monitor, Keyboard and Mice)	N/A	199.00	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, Departmental Liaison Officers (DLOs)
Laptop Bundle (includes Keyboard and Mice)	N/A	221.00	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, DLOs
Additional Monitors	180.00	N/A	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, DLOs
Wireless Cards (includes SIM)	260.00	(Data) 39.00	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, DLOs
Vasco Tokens (for remote access)	120.00	N/A	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, DLOs
Blackberrys* (includes SIM)	730.00	(Data) 39.95	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, DLOs
Mobile Phones (includes SIM)	123.00	5.00	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, DLOs
USB Thumb Drive (4GB)	13.00	N/A	Ministers, Ministerial Staff, DLOs

* 9900 current model (as at 31/1/2012)

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Department/Agency: Australian Electoral Commission

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Answer:

- a) No.
- b) The Australian Electoral Commission provides a range of non – electronic office equipment to staff at all classifications. The equipment includes work stations, chairs, filing cabinets, storage containers, waste bins, office supplies etc. To provide the level of detail sought would involve an unreasonable diversion of agency resources.

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Department/Agency: ComSuper
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Answer:

- a) No.
- b) ComSuper provides a range of non – electronic office equipment to staff at all classifications. The equipment includes work stations, chairs, filing cabinets, storage containers, waste bins, office supplies etc. To provide the level of detail sought would involve an unreasonable diversion of agency resources.

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Department/Agency: Commonwealth Superannuation Corporation

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Answer:

- a) No.
- b) The Commonwealth Superannuation Corporation provides a range of non-electronic office equipment to staff at all classifications. The equipment includes work stations, chairs, storage units, waste bins, office supplies etc. To provide the level of detail sought would involve an unreasonable diversion of agency resources.

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Department/Agency: Future Fund Management Agency

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Answer:

- a) Not applicable.
- b) All staff are provided with the equipment and resources considered necessary for them to undertake their assigned duties. This includes standard non-electronic office equipment. To provide the level of detail sought would involve an unreasonable diversion of agency resources.