

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
—Additional Estimates Hearing—February 2012**

Answers to Questions on Notice

Parliamentary departments, Department of Parliamentary Services

Topic: **Taxi costs**

Question: **79**

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1. How much did each department/agency spend on taxis in 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency.
2. How much did each department/agency spend on taxis this financial year to date? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency.

Answer

The responses to questions 1 and 2 on taxi costs are summarised in the table below.

Taxi costs

Branch	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12 to 29 Feb	Total
Executive	-	1,024	545	818	411	2,798
Research Branch	1,304	1,482	1,441	1,360	723	6,310
Information Access Branch	485	444	404	323	131	1,787
Building Services Branch	6,527	2,212	1,608	3,428	3,734	17,509
Content Management Branch	25,250	47,716	31,206	25,319	22,019	151,510
Projects Branch	1,247	1,122	1,714	1,932	1,319	7,334
Corporate Services Branch	269	534	275	101	233	1,412
Total	35,082	54,534	37,193	33,281	28,570	188,660