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

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman **Outcome/Program:** Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman **Topic:** Provision of Equipment

Senator: Senator Ryan Question reference number: 114 Type of question: Written Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 30 March 2012 Number of pages: 1

Question:

- 1. 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.
- 2. 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:

- 1. No
- 2. No non-electronic office equipment is provided to staff other than standard office equipment used in the course of their work (eg: chairs and desks).