## Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES 2012-13

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

**Department/Agency: Australian National Audit Office Outcome/Program: Topic:** Hire Cars

Senator: Ryan Question reference number: 78 Type of question: Written Date set by the committee for the return of answer: Tuesday, 2 April 2013

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## **Question:**

- a. How much did each department/agency spend on hire cars this financial year to date? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency.
- b. What are the reasons for hire car costs?

## Answer:

- a. The amount spent on car rental services as at January YTD is \$26,441.
- b. The ANAO does not use hire car with driver services (other than taxis). Car rental costs are incurred in the course of audit activities, particularly where work is to be conducted at remote locations.