

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES 2013**

**PM&C Portfolio**

**Department/Agency:** National Mental Health Commission  
**Outcome/Program:** National Mental Health Commission  
**Topic:** Provision of Equipment

**Senator:** Senator Ryan

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**Question:**

For departments/agencies that provide mobile phones to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what type of mobile phone is provided and the costs?

For departments/agencies that provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what are the ongoing costs for this financial year to date?

Is electronic equipment (such as ipad, laptop, wireless card, vasco token, blackberry, mobile phone (list type if relevant), thumb drive) provided to department/agency staff? If yes provide details of what is provided, the purchase cost, the ongoing cost and a breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives it.

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.

**Answer:**

The National Mental Health Commission does not provide mobile phones or electronic equipment to any Ministers or Parliamentary Secretaries or their offices.

As at 11 February 2013 the following electronic equipment had been provided to Commission staff:

<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Purchase cost \$ per unit</b>	<b>Ongoing cost \$ per unit</b>	<b>Position title and classification</b>
Blackberry	\$509.00	\$64.95per month	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CEO</li> <li>• Deputy CEO, SES Band 2</li> <li>• Director Policy, Strategy &amp; Projects, EL2</li> <li>• Director of Report Card Development,</li> </ul>

			<p>EL2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communications Adviser, EL1</li> <li>• Secretariat – not assigned to an individual – allocated as required by business needs</li> </ul>
iPad	\$832.40	\$39 per month	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CEO</li> <li>• Deputy CEO, SES Band 2</li> <li>• Director Policy, Strategy &amp; Projects, EL2</li> <li>• Communications Adviser, EL1</li> <li>• Secretariat – not assigned to an individual- allocated as required by</li> </ul>
Laptop	\$800	No ongoing cost	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deputy CEO, SES Band 2</li> <li>• Director, Policy, Strategy &amp; Projects, EL2</li> <li>• Secretariat – not assigned to an individual – allocated as required by business needs</li> <li>• Meeting room – not assigned to an individual</li> </ul>
Wireless card	\$249	\$39 per month	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deputy CEO, SES Band 2</li> <li>• Director, Policy, Strategy &amp; Projects, EL2</li> <li>• Secretariat – not assigned to an individual – allocated as required by business needs</li> </ul>
Vasco token	\$275	No ongoing cost	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CEO</li> <li>• Deputy CEO, SES Band 2</li> <li>• Director, Policy, Strategy &amp; Projects, EL2</li> <li>• Director of Report Card Development, EL2</li> <li>• Communications Adviser, EL1</li> <li>• Business Manager, EL1</li> <li>• Policy &amp; Projects Adviser, APS6</li> <li>• Policy &amp; Projects Officer, APS5</li> <li>• Project and Secretariat Officer, APS 5</li> <li>• Media and Communications Officer, APS 4</li> </ul>