

Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

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Senator Polley asked:

What is the budget expenditure for the maintenance of, and replacement, of Members and Senators PDA's?

Answer:

The total budget expenditure for the trial, implementation and maintenance of Senators and Members Mobile PDA's (MPDA) is \$257,579.60.

Thirty four (34) MPDA devices have been replaced due to either being lost, stolen or outside of warranty at a cost of \$35,764.00.