

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department of Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government

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Question: 109

Topic: Government Stationery Requirements

Asked By: Senator FIFIELD

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- a) What are the government (Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries) stationery requirements in your portfolio (i.e. special type of paper, envelopes)?
- b) What are the cost of these items?
- c) Is the Department/portfolio agencies paying for these?

Answer:

- a) The Minister for Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government, the Hon Simon Crean MP, uses 'Stephen Swiss White' 115 gsm A4 paper and matching envelopes for ministerial correspondence.
- b) One ream of paper (500 sheets) costs \$121.00. Discounts apply to larger orders.

A box of 500 DL size envelopes costs \$443.37. Discounts apply to larger orders.
- c) Yes