

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Senator: Senator Brandis

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Question:

1. In relation to the Luxury Car Tax exemption for `public libraries and public art galleries that have been endorsed by the Commissioner of Taxation as deductible gift recipients?, to date:
 - a. On how many occasions as the exemption been applied?
 - b. Which institutions have taken advantage of the exemption?
 - c. To how many vehicles has the exemption applied?
 - d. What is the total value of these exemptions?

Answer:

Arrangements for the luxury car tax are administered by the Department of the Treasury and the Australian Taxation Office (ATO). Further enquiries about granting exemptions from the luxury car tax should be directed to the Treasury or ATO.