

**Senate Finance & Public Administration Committee:**  
**Answers to written Questions on Notice Supplementary Budget Estimates 2012-13**  
**Parliamentary Departments Portfolio**

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**Department:** Parliamentary Budget Office

**Topic:** Provision of equipment

**Senator:** Senator Scott Ryan

**Question reference number:** 135

**Type of question:** Written

**Question**

- a. For departments/agencies that provide mobile phones to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what type of mobile phone is provided, the cost and what were the ongoing costs for 2011-12.
- b. For departments/agencies that provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what type of electronic equipment was provided, the cost and what were the ongoing costs for 2011-12.
- c. Is electronic equipment (such as ipad, laptop, wireless card, vasco token, blackberry, mobile phone (list type if relevant), thumb drive) was provided to department/agency staff for 2011-12, provide details of what was provided, the purchase cost, the ongoing cost and a breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives it.

**Answer**

- a. Not applicable.
- b. Not applicable.
- c. Not applicable.