

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES 2013

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Australian Public Service Commission

Outcome/Program: Cross Portfolio

Topic: Electricity purchasing

Senator: Ludwig

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Question:

- a) What are the details of the department/agency electricity purchasing agreement?
- b) What are the department/agency electricity costs from 7 September 2013 to date?

Answer:

- a) The Australian Public Service Commission (APSC) has not entered into an electricity purchasing agreement.
- b) The APSC's financial management information system cannot accurately report costs for a partial month. The electricity cost for the period from 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013 is estimated to be \$20,118 excluding GST.