

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-2014**

Cross Portfolio

Department of Employment Question No. EM0068_14

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

Stationery

1. How much was spent by each department and agency on the government (Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries) stationery requirements in your portfolio from 7 September 2013 to date?

Answer

As a result of changes made to the Administrative Arrangements Orders on 18 September 2013, the answer to this question is in two parts:

1. For the period 7 September to 17 September 2013 the answer refers to the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations.
2. For the period 18 September to date the answer refers to the Department of Employment.

7 September to 17 September 2013

The Department and its agencies did not incur any expenditure for their Ministers'/Parliamentary Secretary's stationery requirements during the period 7 September to 17 September 2013.

18 September to 4 December 2013

The Department spent a total of \$3640.10 on Ministers' stationery requirements, for the period 18 September to 4 December 2013 as follows:

Senator the Hon. Eric Abetz	\$2323.62
The Hon. Luke Hartsuyker MP	\$1316.48

The Employment portfolio's agencies did not incur any expenditure for their Ministers' stationery requirements.

Stationery includes letterhead, envelopes, business cards, with compliments slips and general office supplies.