SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Portfolio

Question No. 151

Senator Humphries asked the following question at the hearing on 24 May 2012:

Training for Portfolio Minister and Parliamentary Secretaries

- a) For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for.
- b) For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for staff of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for.
- c) For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for designed to better suit the needs of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for, and how many employees attended and their classification.

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

a) None

b)

Financial Year to Date since previous response – 1 March 2012 – 30 April 2012

Training course description	Number of staff attended	Total cost (incl GST)
Australian Government	Office of the Attorney-General – 2 staff members	AGO - \$1,066.71
Solicitor Legal Training		
Program – Introduction to	Office of the Minister for Home Affairs and	MHAJO - \$533.33
Freedom of Information	Justice – 1 staff member	

c) None