

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**  
**2015-16 Additional Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programmes      Question No: SQ16-000071**

**Topic: Ministerial Motor Vehicle**

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**Senator Joe Ludwig asked:**

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

1. Has the minister been provided with or had access to a motor vehicle? If so:
  - a. What is the make and model?
  - b. How much did it cost?
  - c. When was it provided?
  - d. Was the entire cost met by the department? If not, how was the cost met?
  - e. What, if any, have been the ongoing costs associated with this motor vehicle? Please include costs such as maintenance and fuel.
  - f. Are these costs met by the department? If not, how are these costs met?
  - g. Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine if a minister is entitled to a motor vehicle.
  - h. Have these guidelines changed during the specified period of time? If so, please detail.
  - i. Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine how a minister is to use a motor vehicle they have been provided with. Please include details such as whether the motor vehicle can be used for personal uses.
  - j. Have these guidelines changed during the specified period of time? If so, please detail.

**Answer:**

1. No.
  - (a-f) N/A.
  - (g-j) Refer to response to Question on Notice No 129, 2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings.