

Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee

BUDGET ESTIMATES – 5-6 JUNE 2014 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Department of Human Services

Topic: Ministerial staff vehicles

Question reference number: HS 120

Senator: Ludwig

Type of question: Written

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Question:

Have any of the Minister's staff been provided with a motor vehicle under the MoPS Act entitlements since Additional Estimates in February 2014? 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 this entitlement to a motor vehicle.
- h) Have these guidelines changed since Additional Estimates in February 2014? If so, please detail.
- i) Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine how a motor vehicle is to be used that 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 since Additional Estimates in February 2014? If so, please detail.

Answer:

The Special Minister of State will answer on behalf of all agencies.