

## **Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee**

### **SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES – 23-24 OCTOBER 2014 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

#### **Department of Human Services**

**Topic:** Ministerial Staff Vehicles (non-MoPS)

**Question reference number:** HS 65

**Senator:** Ludwig

**Type of question:** Written

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#### **Question:**

Since Budget Estimates in June 2014:

- a) Outside of MoPS Act entitlements, have any of the Minister's staff been provided with a motor vehicle? If so:
  - 1) What is the make and model?
  - 2) How much did it cost?
  - 3) When was it provided?
  - 4) Was the entire cost met by the department? If not, how was the cost met?
  - 5) What, if any, have been the ongoing costs associated with this motor vehicle? Please include costs such as maintenance and fuel.
  - 6) Are these costs met by the department? If not, how are these costs met?
  - 7) Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine this entitlement to a motor vehicle.
  - 8) Have these guidelines changed during the specified period? If so, please detail.
  - 9) 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.
  - 10) Have these guidelines changed during the specified period? If so, please detail.

#### **Answer:**

The Department of Human Services has not provided a motor vehicle to ministerial staff.