

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice
Additional Estimates Hearings February 2014
Communications Portfolio
Special Broadcasting Service

Question No: 298

Program No. Special Broadcasting Service (SBS)

Hansard Ref: In Writing

Topic: Corporate Cars

Senator Ludwig asked:

1. How many cars are owned by each Department/Agency?
2. Where is the car/s located?
3. What is the car/s used for?
4. What is the cost of each car from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?
5. How far did each car travel from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?
6. How many cars are leased by each Department/Agency?
7. Where are the cars located?
8. What are the cars used for?
9. What is the cost of each car from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?
10. How far did each car travel from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?

Answer:

1. Nil.
- 2-5. Not applicable.
6. 16.
7. Sydney – 11; Melbourne – three; Canberra – two.
8. Broadcast operations.
9. Leased cars cost an average of \$71 per day per car. To provide a detailed breakdown for each vehicle would require an unreasonable diversion of resources.
10. Leased cars travel an average of 37km per day per car. To provide a detailed breakdown for each vehicle would require an unreasonable diversion of resources.