

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications**

**Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice**

**Additional Estimates Hearings February 2014**

**Communications Portfolio**

**Australian Communications and Media Authority**

**Question No: 55**

**Program No. Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA)**

**Hansard Ref: In Writing**

**Topic: Office Plants**

**Senator Ludwig asked:**

Since 7 September 2013 has the Department/Agency purchased or leased any new office plants?

1. If so, list these
2. If so, list the total cost for these items
3. If so, list the itemised cost for each item of expenditure
4. If so, where were these purchased
5. If so, list the process for identifying how they would be purchased
6. If so, what is the current location for these items?

**Answer:**

1. Seven tall plants  
33 medium plants and  
93 small plants
2. \$954.80 from 7 September to 31 January 2014.
3. \$7.18 on average.
4. Plants are not purchased.
5. Plants have not been purchased but hired through an open approach to the market.
6. Red Building, Benjamin Offices, Belconnen ACT.