

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee**
Answers to questions on notice
Environment portfolio

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Hearing: Additional Estimates
Outcome: Corporate
Programme: Corporate Strategies Division (CSD)
Topic: Electronic Equipment
Hansard Page: N/A
Question Date: 19 February 2016
Question Type: Written

Senator Ludwig asked:

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

1. Other than phones, ipads or computers – please list the electronic equipment provided to the Minister’s office.
 - a) List the items
 - b) List the items location or normal location
 - c) List if the item is in the possession of the office or an individual staff member of minister, if with an individual list their employment classification level
 - d) List the total cost of the items
 - e) List an itemised cost breakdown of these items
 - f) List the date they were provided to the office
 - g) Note if the items were requested by the office or proactively provided by the department

Answer:

- a) The following items were purchased by the Department and provided to Minister Hunt’s office:
 - i) Bravia 43 W800C FHD LED television - \$1,152 (GST exc)
 - ii) Samsung 32FHD LED television - \$585 (GST exc)
 - iii) Mitsubishi 420 litre refrigerator - \$597 (GST exc)
- b) The above items are located in Minister’s office in Parliament House.
- c) Refer to part (b)
- d) Refer to part (a)
- e) Refer to part (a)
- f) The items listed in part (a) were provided to Minister’s office on 13 January 2016.
- g) The above items were replacements for ageing equipment in the office. The Minister’s office reported performance issues with the refrigerator and televisions.