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Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice
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Question No: 489

Program No. TUSMA

Hansard Ref: In Writing

Topic: Hire cars

Senator LUDWIG asked:

1. How much did each Department/Agency spend on hire cars from 25 February 2014 to date?
Provide a breakdown of each business group in each Department/Agency.
2. What are the reasons for hire car costs?

Answer:

1. TUSMA is a small agency and has spent less than \$500 (GST exclusive) on hire cars from 25 February 2014 to 31 May 2014, with use by the Business Operations Group.
2. The use of hire cars will be assessed on a needs basis and is subject to the same value for money considerations as is all other travel undertaken by agency employees.