

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice
Supplementary Budget Estimates Hearings November 2014
Communications Portfolio
Special Broadcasting Service

Question No: 539

Program No. Special Broadcasting Service

Hansard Ref: Hansard In writing

Topic: Taxi costs

Senator Ludwig asked:

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

1. How much did each department/agency spend on taxis during the specified period? Provide a breakdown for each business group in each department/agency.
2. What are the reasons for taxi costs?
3. How much did the department spend on taxis during the specified period for their minister or minister's office?

Answer

1. Total: \$583,682. Audio and Language Content - \$27,763; Corporate - \$47,893; Marketing - \$27,335; News and Current Affairs - \$186,334; NITV - \$70,664; Sales - \$59,418; Content Sales Distribution - \$8,734; Technology and Distribution - \$24,127; Subscription TV - \$25,907; Television Content - \$89,840; Online - \$15,669.
2. Work related travel.
3. N/A