

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications  
Legislation Committee**

Answers to questions on notice  
**Environment and Energy portfolio**

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**Senator Urquhart, Anne asked:**

Senator URQUHART: Are you able to provide us with the details of the total costs of the office since the creation of the office?

Mr Dyer: Again I would need to take advice.

Dr de Brouwer: We will take that on notice.

Mr Archer: Actually, sorry, I do have some. For the financial year 2015-16, we have employee expenses of just under \$217,000 and supplier expenses of just under \$179,000, which gives a total of about \$395,500.

Senator URQUHART: Sorry, what was that broken down into?

Mr Archer: Employee expenses—that is the staffing for the office—and supplier expenses, which is like the travel, office expenses, things like that.

Senator URQUHART: You can provide some more detail of that, and the other one?

Mr Archer: Certainly.

**Answer:**

- Please see response to Question No: 186.