

Senate Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Additional Estimates

2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: IGT
Question: AET 1934-1939
Topic: Provision of equipment - departmental
Reference: Written - 19 February 2016
Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

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

1934. Has electronic equipment (such as ipad, laptop, wireless card, vasco token, blackberry, mobile phone (list type if relevant), thumb drive, video cameras) been provided by the department/agency to departmental staff? If yes provide a list of:

1935. What has been provided?

1936. The purchase cost.

1937. The ongoing cost.

1938. A list of any accessories provided for the equipment and the cost of those accessories. (e.g. iPad keyboards, laptop carry bags, additional chargers etc).

1939. A breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives each item.

Answer:

1934. **Yes.**

1935. **RSA tokens and USB sticks are available to staff at the SES 1, EL 1/2, APS 5/6 classification levels for use in the field and a laptop is provided to the Risk and Operations Manager (EL1) and Office Manager (APS 6) as part of the agency's Business Continuity Plan. The Inspector-General of Taxation and the Deputy Inspector-General have access to an iPad and iPhone for business requirements so that they may be contactable at any time and/or require remote access to agency resources. iPhones are also available to staff at the SES 1 and EL 1/2 classification levels for use in the field.**

1936. **The costs and maintenance relating to the acquisition of these electronic devices is managed by the Department of Treasury under a service level agreement with the Inspector-General of Taxation.**

1937. **Refer to AET 1936.**

1938. **Nil.**

1939. **Refer to AET 1935.**