

**Economics Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
Industry, Innovation and Science Portfolio  
2016 - 2017 Additional Estimates  
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**DEPARTMENT:** DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND SCIENCE

**TOPIC:** Facilities upgrades

**REFERENCE:** Written Question – Senator Bilyk

**QUESTION No.:** AI-102

Have the facilities of any of the Department's premises been upgraded since 1 October 2016, for example, staff room refurbishments, kitchen refurbishments, bathroom refurbishments, the purchase of any new fridges, coffee machines, or other kitchen equipment?

If so, can a detailed description of the relevant facilities upgrade please be provided together with an itemised list of costs (GST inclusive)? Can any photographs of the upgraded facilities please be provided?

**ANSWER**

Facilities upgrades at departmental premises since 1 October 2016 include:

- Vinyl flooring at a cost of \$19,800.00 (GST inclusive)
- Chairs, tables and stools at a cost of \$78,220.80 (GST inclusive)
- Replacement equipment at a cost of \$17,007.55 (GST inclusive)

This response does not include photographs. To do this an officer would need to walk each floor to take individual photographs of all facilities upgrades. Due to the time this would take the department considers this to be an unreasonable diversion of resources.

N.B. This answer has been updated. Due to an administrative error, the previous answer that was tabled was not the correct version.