Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Budget Estimates 2014

3 June to 5 June 2014

Department/ Agency: Australian Competition and Consumer Commission Question: BET 1427 Topic: Taxi costs Reference: Written - 12 June 2014 Senator: Ludwig

Question:

- 1427. How much did each department/agency spend on taxis from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date? Provide a breakdown for each business group in each department/agency.
 - a) What is the reasons for taxi costs?

Answer:

1427. For the period 1 March 2014 to 31 May 2014, \$41,427.60 was spent on taxis.

The costs are broken down into the following business groups:

Business Area	Spend (\$)
Corporate Services Division	4,581.91
Enforcement & Compliance	12,498.06
Executive /Commissioners	13,118.00
Legal Group	1,099.49
Mergers & Adjudication	2,558.69

a) Taxis are used by management and staff for transportation to and from business meetings and events.