

Senate Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Department/ Agency: Office of the Inspector-General of Taxation

Question: BET 2510

Topic: Office Plants

Reference: Written – 12 June 2014

Senator: Ludwig

Question:

2510. Since Additional Estimates in February, 2014 has the department/agency purchased or leased any new office plants?
- a) If so, list these.
 - b) If so, list the total cost for these items.
 - c) If so, list the itemised cost for each item of expenditure.
 - d) If so, where were these purchased?
 - e) If so, list the process for identifying how they would be purchased.
 - f) If so, what is the current location for these items?

Answer:

2510. Yes.
- a) As part of a cost reduction strategy, artificial plants and artificial flowers were purchased to replace existing live plants and associated services.
 - b) \$3,999.
 - c) Artificial plants and artificial flowers.
 - d) Sydney and Brisbane.
 - e) In accordance with government procurement policy and practice.
 - f) Level 19, 50 Bridge Street, Sydney, NSW 2000.