

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

20 November – 21 November 2013

Question: SBT 474-475

Topic: Meeting costs (APRA)

Written: Received from Committee – 25 November 2013

Senator LUDWIG asked:

474. What is the Department/Agency's meeting spend from 7 September 2013 to date*? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events, including any catering and drinks costs.

475. What meeting spend is the Department/Agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.

** to 30 November 2013.*

Answer:

474. The Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) does not record the requested data in a way that would readily allow answers to be provided to these questions. To attempt to provide this level of detail would involve an unreasonable diversion of APRA's resources.

475. APRA does not have a budget for meeting costs.