

Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
 Industry Portfolio
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

TOPIC: Provision of equipment - departmental

REFERENCE: Written Questions – Senator Ludwig

QUESTION No.: SI-192

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

1. 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:
 - a) What has been provided?
 - b) The purchase cost.
 - c) The ongoing cost.
 - d) 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).
 - e) A breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives each item.

ANSWER

As at 31 October 2014, the Department provides the following items to departmental staff:

Equipment Provided	Purchase cost (GST exclusive)	Ongoing cost	Staff details
Tablets			
iPad	\$648	\$29 per month (2 year plan)	A small number of iPads have been issued to Senior Executives
Laptops			
Dell Latitude 7440	\$1030	Nil	Staff with a business requirement to work remotely may be issued with a laptop
Wireless			
Telstra Mobile Wifi 4G)	\$152	\$29 per month	Data cards are available to SES officers and other staff with a business requirement

USB Drives			
LOK-IT USB Flash Drive	\$131-\$150	Nil	Available to all staff with a business requirement on request
Smartphones			
iPhones (4s and 5s)	\$700-\$800	Voice = \$5 per month Data = \$30 per month	Devices are provided to SES and other staff with an approved business requirement
Mobile Phones			
Various models	\$200-\$500 (approx.) Handset costs varies according to model	\$5 per month	Each Division determines the entitlement of departmental mobile phones to staff
Accessories			
Replacement mobile chargers	\$50 (approx.)	Nil	Available to staff who have been allocated with a mobile device.