Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

2014 - 2015

Department/Agency: Treasury

Question: SBT 129-131

Topic: Ministerial Staff vehicles (non MoPS) Reference: Written - 30 October 2014

Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014:

- 129. Outside of MoPS Act entitlements, have any of the Minister's staff been provided with a motor vehicle? If so:
 - a) What is the make and model?
 - b) How much did it cost?
 - c) When was it provided?
 - d) Was the entire cost met by the department? If not, how was the cost met?
 - e) What, if any, have been the ongoing costs associated with this motor vehicle? Please include costs such as maintenance and fuel.
 - f) Are these costs met by the department? If not, how are these costs met?
- 130. Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine this entitlement to a motor vehicle.
 - a) Have these guidelines changed during the specified period? If so, please detail.
- 131. Please provide a copy of the guidelines that determine how a motor vehicle is to be used that they have been provided with. Please include details such as whether the motor vehicle can be used for personal uses.
 - a) Have these guidelines changed during the specified period? If so, please detail.

Answer:

- 129. No ministerial staff have been provided with a motor vehicle outside of the MoPS Act entitlements.
 - a) N/A
 - b) N/A
 - c) N/A
 - d) N/A
 - e) N/A
 - f) N/A
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