

Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: CGC

Question: SBT 2119-2121

Topic: Taxis

Reference: written - 05 November 2015

Senator: Wong, Penny

Question:

Since 1 January 2015:

2119. How much did each department/agency spend on taxis/Uber during the specified period?

- a) provide a breakdown for each business group in each department/agency.
- b) What are the reasons for uber/taxi costs?

2120. How much did the department spend on uber/taxis during the specified period for their minister or minister's office?

2121. Miscount

Answer:

2119. \$2568

- a) The Agency operates as a single “business group”.
- b) The great majority of taxi travel expense was incurred by the interstate Part Time Commission Members travelling between their place of residence, their local airport, Canberra Airport and Commission Offices. Other taxi travel was incurred by staff attending meetings at other departments.

2120. Not applicable