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Question

Facilities upgrades

Have the facilities of any of the Department's premises, or the premises of any agencies in the portfolio, been upgraded since 1 March 2017, for example, staff room refurbishments, kitchen refurbishments, bathroom refurbishments, the purchase of any new fridges, coffee machines, or other kitchen equipment?

If so, can a detailed description of the relevant facilities upgrade please be provided together with an itemised list of costs (GST inclusive)? Can any photographs of the upgraded facilities please be provided?

Answer

The Department did not refurbish any staff room, kitchen or bathroom in its office premises since 1 March 2017. The Department did purchase the following replacement appliances due to failed equipment:

10 Mort Street Canberra	3 x Microwaves	\$975.40
19 Stanley St Townsville	1 x Billi Unit (hot/cold water)	\$5658.40
255 Elizabeth St Sydney	1 x Billi unit (hot/cold water)	\$4292.20