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Question

- 1 How much has been spent on workplace ergonomic assessments since 7 September 2013?
 - a List each item of expenditure and cost.
- 2 Have any assessments, not related to an existing disability, resulted in changes to workplace equipment or set up?
 - a If so, list each item of expenditure and cost related to those changes.

Answer

- 1 For the period 7 September 2013 to 28 February 2014, the Parliamentary Budget Office (PBO) spent \$1,659.91 on workplace ergonomic assessments.
- 2 For the period 7 September 2013 to 28 February 2014, the PBO has spent \$2,247.49 on ergonomic equipment, which is broken down as follows:

Equipment	Number	Cost
Chair	2	\$1,303.64
Software	1	\$70.00
Mouse	2	\$155.20
Document holder	7	\$481.40
Computer accessory	2	\$53.40
Desk accessory	1	\$27.15
Footrest	2	\$57.49
Headset	2	\$99.21