

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
—Additional Estimates Hearing—February 2014**

Answers to Questions on Notice

Parliamentary departments, Department of Parliamentary Services

Topic: **Departmental upgrades**

Question: **223**

Written **Senator Ludwig**

Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 11 April 2014

1. Since 7 September 2013 has the department/agency engaged in any new refurbishments, upgrades or changes to their building or facilities?
 - a. If so, list these
 - b. If so, list the total cost for these changes
 - c. If so, list the itemised cost for each item of expenditure
 - d. If so, who conducted the works?
 - e. If so, list the process for identifying who would conduct these works
 - f. If so, when are the works expected to be completed?

Answer:

During the period 7 September 2013 to 31 January 2014, DPS did not commission any new refurbishments, upgrades or changes to the building or facilities. A number of capital projects already underway continued.