Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE BUDGET ESTIMATES 2014-15

Finance Portfolio

Department/Agency: All **Outcome/Program:** General

Topic: Corporate cars

Senator: Ludwig

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Question:

a) How any cars are owned by each department/agency?

- b) Where is the car/s located?
- c) What is the car/s used for?
- d) What is the cost of each car from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?
- e) How far did each car travel from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?
- f) How many cars are leased by each department/agency?
- g) Where are the cars located?
- h) What are the cars used for?
- i) What is the cost of each car from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?
- j) How far did each car travel from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?

Answer:

Department/ Agency	Response
Finance	 a) Nil. b) N/A. c) N/A. d) N/A. e) N/A. f) As at 31 May 2014, 12 Executive Vehicle Scheme (EVS) vehicles, one ministerial vehicle and 22 pool vehicles were being leased by the Department. In addition, 159 vehicles are leased by the Department for the COMCAR fleet. g) Vehicles leased through the Department's EVS are garaged at the EVS participant's home address. The vehicle provided to our Minister is garaged at Parliament House. The pool vehicle garage locations are as follows: ACT 15 NSW 1 NT 1 QLD 1 SA 1 TAS 1

Department/ Agency	Response
	VIC 1 WA 1 Details of the location of COMCAR's vehicles are as follows- ACT 76
	NSW 29 NT 1 QLD 12 SA 9 TAS 2 VIC 23 WA 7
	 h) Departmental pool vehicles are used for staff /equipment transport and other operational tasks. Vehicles leased by COMCAR provide car-with-driver and related ground transport services. i) Departmental pool vehicles cost \$51,202.66 (GST inclusive). The Minister's
	vehicle costs are provided in QoN F174. EVS vehicle costs are not included in this answer as they are paid from an allowance provided to EVS participants. For COMCAR vehicles, the average cost is \$2,720. j) This requested information is not available for this time period.
	For the period 25 February 2014 to 31 May 2014, COMCAR vehicles travelled an approximate average of 4,700 kms.
Australian Electoral Commission	For the period 25 February to 31 May 2014: a) Nil. b) -e) N/A. f) Fifteen. g) ACT 1 NSW 4 VIC 4 QLD 2 SA 1 WA 1 NT 1 TAS 1 h) Corporate and key operational tasks as required under a shared pool arrangement. i) \$40,615 total for 15 fleet vehicles. j) 31,885 km aggregated total across 15 vehicles.
ComSuper	a) Nil. b) -j) N/A.
Commonwealth Superannuation Corporation	a) Nil. b) -j) N/A.
Future Fund Management Agency	a) Nil. b) - j) N/A.