

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Budget Estimates 26 May-6 June 2014

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Outcome/Program: 1.1 Prime Minister and Cabinet

Topic: Cost of Machinery of Government changes

Senator: Senator the Hon Penny Wong

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Question:

Is \$1.5 million the total cost of machinery of government changes in this portfolio since 18 September 2013?

Answer:

The expenditure incurred by the Department for the period 18 September 2013 to 31 May 2014 on Machinery of Government changes was \$1.6 million (GST exclusive).