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Question:

1. List the current inventory of computers owned, leased, stored, or able to be accessed by the Ministers office as provided by the department, listing the equipment cost and location and employment classification of the staff member that is allocated the equipment, or if the equipment is currently not being used
2. List the current inventory of computers owned, leased, stored, or able to be accessed by the department, listing the equipment cost and location
3. Please detail the operating systems used by the departments computers, the contractual arrangements for operating software and the on-going costs

Answer:

1. OIGIS does not provide any computers to the Minister's office

2. OIGIS has 12 desktop computers provided by PM&C. OIGIS also uses a number of classified computers but declines to provide information about classified computer systems for security reasons.

3. OIGIS uses Microsoft Office and Internet Explorer on PM&C's unclassified system on licences held by PM&C. OIGIS declines to provide information about classified computer systems.