

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

Budget Estimates – May 2014

ANSWER TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General

Program 1: Support for the Governor-General and Official Activities

Outcome 1: The performance of the Governor-General's role is facilitated through the organisation and management of official duties, management and maintenance of the official household and property and administration of the Australian Honours and Awards system.

Topic: Executive coaching and leadership training

Senator: Ludwig

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Type of Question: Written

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In relation to executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date:

1. Total spending on these services
2. The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification
3. The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
4. The names of all service providers engaged For each service purchased form a provider listed under (4), please provide:
 - a) The name and nature of the service purchased
 - b) Whether the service is one-on-one or group based
 - c) The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification
 - d) The total number of hours involved for all employees (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
 - e) The total amount spent on the service

f) A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package)

5. Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:

a) The location used

b) The number of employees who took part on each occasion (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)

c) The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)

d) Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location

6. In relation to education/executive coaching and/or other leadership training services paid for by the department what agreements are made with employees in regards to continuing employment after training has been completed?

7. For graduate or post graduate study, please breakdown each approved study leave by staffing allocation and degree or program title.

Answer:

1. Nil.
2. N/A.
3. N/A.
4. N/A.
5. N/A.
6. N/A.
7. N/A.