

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Senator: Ludwig

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Question:

How many mobile and data communications contracts have been allocated to Mr Lloyd? For each, please provide:

1. Company contracted to provide the service.
2. Cost of the service.
3. The dates the contracts began and when they end.

Answer:

1. The Commission has a single data communication service for Mr Lloyd. This is a mobile broadband service from Telstra to provide connectivity for his iPad. This is a continuation of a service that was put in place for the previous Commissioner. The service costs \$35 ex-GST per month through Whole of Government arrangements. The plan has a minimum contract period of 12 months but this service has been in place longer than 12 months.
2. The Commission does not provide a phone plan for Mr Lloyd's telephone handset. He elected to utilise his private service on this handset.