

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**BUDGET ESTIMATES (SUPPLEMENTARY HEARINGS) 2013-2014**

**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio**

**Department/Agency:** Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman

**Outcome/Program:**

Outcome 1. Fair and accountable administrative action by Australian Government agencies by investigating complaints, reviewing administrative action and inspecting statutory compliance by law enforcement agencies.

**Topic:** Executive Coaching and Leadership Training

**Senator:** Senator Ludwig

**Question reference number:** 178

**Type of question:** Written

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**Question:**

- (1) In relation to executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information from 7 September 2013 to date:
  - a. Total spending on these services
  - b. The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification
  - c. 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)
  - d. The names of all service providers engaged.
- (2) For each service purchased from a provider listed under (1d), 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. description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package)
- (3) 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?

**Answer:**

- (1) The Office has not purchased any executive coaching and/or other leadership training services since 7 September 2013 to date.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Not applicable.