

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE

Question No. 288

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 24 February 2014:

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

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

1. No AFP equipment is able to be accessed by the Minister's office.
2. To attempt to provide this level of detail would involve an unreasonable diversion of agency resources,
3. To attempt to provide this level of detail would involve an unreasonable diversion of departmental resources.