

Senate Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Legislation Committee

Senate Budget Estimates, June 2011

Questions on Notice: AusAID

Question No. 32

Senator Trood asked on notice

- a) What are the government (Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries) stationery requirements in your portfolio (i.e. special type of paper, envelopes)?
- b) What are the cost of these items?
- c) Is the Department/portfolio agencies paying for these?

Answer:

- a) DFAT manages the portfolio Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries stationery requirements.
- b) DFAT pays for the portfolio Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries stationery requirements.
- c) DFAT manages the portfolio Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries stationery requirements. AusAID retains its own supply of personalised stationery for the portfolio Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries for the purpose of preparing responses to portfolio-related ministerial correspondence. Since our portfolio ministers and parliamentary secretaries were appointed in September 2010, AusAID has spent \$1142.62 on this stock.