Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee Supplementary Estimates – February 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: Provision of equipment (ministerial)

Senator: Ludwig

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- 1. For departments/agencies that provide mobile phones to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what type of mobile phone is provided and the costs.
 - a. Itemise equipment and cost broken down by staff or minister classification
- 2. Is electronic equipment (such as ipad, laptop, wireless card, vasco token, blackberry, mobile phone (list type if relevant), thumb drive) provided to department/agency staff? If yes provide details of what is provided across the department/agency, the purchase cost, the ongoing cost and a breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives each item.

Answer

- 1. N/A
- 2. N/A