

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Additional Estimates 24-28 February 2014

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Outcome/Program: 1.1 Prime Minister and Cabinet

Topic: Corporate cars - Indigenous Affairs All Agency

Senator: Senator the Hon Joe Ludwig

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Question:

1. How many cars are owned by each department/agency?
2. Where is the car/s located?
3. What is the car/s used for?
4. What is the cost of each car from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?
5. How far did each car travel from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?
6. How many cars are leased by each department/agency?
7. Where are the cars located?
8. What are the cars used for?
9. What is the cost of each car from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?
10. How far did each car travel from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?

Answer:

Responses for the Indigenous Affairs agencies within the Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio are provided below:

Portfolio Body	Answer
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Aboriginal Hostels Limited	<p>1-5. Nil/Not applicable.</p> <p>6. Aboriginal Hostels Limited leases 60 cars.</p> <p>7. Located:</p> <p>WA – 10</p> <p>NT – 17</p> <p>QLD – 12</p> <p>NSW – 14</p> <p>VIC – 3</p> <p>SA – 4</p> <p>9. Leasing costs:</p> <p>WA \$22,128.66</p> <p>NT \$39,504.81</p> <p>QLD \$25,491.28</p> <p>NSW \$37,290.11</p> <p>VIC \$ 4,527.54</p> <p>SA \$ 6,274.77</p> <p>Total Leasing cost: \$135,217.17</p> <p>10. Kilometres travelled:</p> <p>WA 28,132.35</p> <p>NT 43,718.10</p> <p>QLD 32,216.87</p> <p>NSW 26,693.65</p> <p>VIC 5,807.63</p> <p>SA 9,082.85</p> <p>Total Kilometres travel: 145,651.45km</p>
Anindilyakwa Land Council (ALC)	<p>1. 22.</p> <p>2. 12 at ALC Offices and 10 at Pole 13, Rowell Hwy Alyangula.</p> <p>3. 21 used for general operations, one used for funerals.</p> <p>4. ALC tracks motor vehicle expenditure against activity job codes, rather than per vehicle. Due to the short timeframe the response is required, further dissection work has not been undertaken.</p> <p>Total costs: \$40 658.45</p> <p>5. ALC does not have daily log book requirements (i.e. each time a car is driven) as vehicles are either used 100% for business purposes. The ALC obtains quarterly odometer readings for internal purposes and as such the information able to be provided regarding</p>

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	<p>how far the vehicle has travelled is limited to that between 1 October to 31 December 2013.</p> <p>6-10. Nil/Not applicable</p>
Central Land Council	<p>1. 102</p> <p>2. Located:</p> <p>Alice Springs – 64</p> <p>Tennant Creek – 9</p> <p>Lajamanu – 6</p> <p>Yuendumu – 5</p> <p>Mutitjulu – 2</p> <p>Uluru – 1</p> <p>Angas Downs – 1</p> <p>Harts Range – 2</p> <p>Tjuwanpa – 2</p> <p>Santa Teresa – 2</p> <p>Anmatyerr – 1</p> <p>Docker River – 1</p> <p>Kalkarinji – 2</p> <p>Daguragu – 1</p> <p>Papunya – 2</p> <p>Utopia – 1</p> <p>3. Car usage:</p> <p>Anthropology Unit - 7</p> <p>Camel/feral animal management program – 1</p> <p>CEO's vehicle – 1</p> <p>Chairman's vehicle – 1</p> <p>Community Development – 2</p> <p>Corporate/Administration – 9</p> <p>Indigenous Protection Program – 5</p> <p>Joint land management and NT parks program – 3</p> <p>Land Management Program – 9</p> <p>Legal Department (ALRA) – 3</p> <p>Legal Department (Leasing) – 1</p> <p>Mining associated works – 3</p> <p>Native Title Unit – 7</p> <p>Policy development unit – 1</p> <p>Ranger Program – 24</p> <p>Regional Employment Unit – 5</p> <p>Regional Services Unit – 19</p> <p>Women's cultural – 1</p> <p>4. Total Costs: \$81,227.</p>

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	<p>5. Total kilometres travelled: 247,163kms.</p> <p>6. – 10. Nil/Not applicable.</p>
Indigenous Business Australia	<p>1. Four.</p> <p>2. Brisbane, Broome, Melbourne and Sydney.</p> <p>3. Client visits, business development and general business operations.</p> <p>4. Brisbane: \$765 Broome: \$741 Melbourne: \$556 Sydney: \$356</p> <p>5. Brisbane: 5,112km Broome: 2,316km Melbourne: 3,949km Sydney: 2,052km</p> <p>6. Seven.</p> <p>7. Adelaide, Alice Springs, Cairns, Darwin, Grafton, Perth and Wagga Wagga.</p> <p>8. Client visits, business development & general business operations.</p> <p>9. Adelaide: \$3,136 Alice Springs: \$6,521 Cairns: \$2,628 Darwin: \$2,573 Grafton: \$3,200 Perth: \$3,641 Wagga Wagga: \$3,384</p> <p>10. Adelaide: 5,425km Alice Springs: 1,374km Cairns: 2,470km Darwin: 1,980km Grafton: 4,720km Perth: 7,129km Wagga Wagga: 3,101km</p>
Indigenous Land Corporation (ILC)	<p>1. ILC owns five vehicles for use by ILC staff. The ILC also owns vehicles for the operation of each of its commercial businesses. These vehicles are operated by staff employed in the commercial businesses who are not ILC staff.</p> <p>2. Three of the vehicles are located in Alice Springs and two are located in Darwin.</p> <p>3. The five vehicles are for pooled use by ILC and</p>

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	<p>contractors for the Real Jobs and Indigenous Pastoral programs.</p> <p>4. There has been no cost to the ILC during this period. The ILC is responsible only for the insurance, registration and maintenance costs of these vehicles. Fuel costs are carried by the host organisation.</p> <p>5. The distance travelled for each of the vehicles is as follows:</p>		
		<i>Kms travelled – Nov 2013 to 18 Mar 2014</i>	
	1	2,096 km	
	2	10 km	
	3	4,210 km	
	4	4,200 km	
	5	476 km	
	<p>6. The ILC leases six vehicles for use by specific ILC staff.</p> <p>7. Vehicles are located as follows: two in Canberra; three in Brisbane and one in Melbourne</p> <p>8. These six vehicles are leased as part of the Senior Executive employment contract salary packaging benefits.</p> <p>9. The details of cost and distance travelled are represented in the following table:</p>		
		<i>Cost of vehicles from Nov 2013 to 18 Mar 2014</i>	<i>Kms travelled – Nov 2013 to 18 Mar 2014</i>
	1	\$5,180	3,200 kms
	2	\$4,102	5,204 kms
	3	\$3,986	6,737 kms
	4	\$3,343	7,977 kms
	5	\$3,545	8,363 kms
	6	\$3,043	3,514 kms
	Northern Land Council	Current information not available.	

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Outback Stores Pty Ltd	<ol style="list-style-type: none">42.NT, WA, SA at Outback Stores managed stores and Support Office.Store Visits and Stores Operating purposes.\$2,558.15 on an average for each car.Log books have not been received for this period and log books are not maintained for store vehicles.6-10. Nil/Not applicable
Tiwi Land Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none">12Darwin, Milikapiti, Pirlangimpi, Wurrumiyanga.CEO (1), Deputy CEO (1), Natural Resource Management Officer (2), Executive Officers (2), Executive Management Committee (2), Chairman of Tiwi Aboriginal Land Trust (1), Chairman of TLC (1), Land Rangers (1), Sea Rangers (1).Not availableNot availableNilN/AN/AN/AN/A
Torres Strait Regional Authority (TSRA)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">TSRA owns 1 car and a variety of other vehicles such as dual cab utilities and a troop carrier.The car is located on Thursday Island in the Torres Strait.The car is for general office use and is parked in the office car park overnight.Car costs from November 2013 to date were \$246.The car travelled a total of 607km.TSRA leases 1 car.The car is located on Thursday Island in the Torres Strait.The car is for general office use and is parked in the office car park overnight.Car costs from November 2013 to date were \$2,605 including lease costs of \$2,451.The car travelled a total of 834km.

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Wreck Bay Aboriginal Community Council	<p>1.-5. Council does not own any vehicles.</p> <p>6. Council leases 6 vehicles.</p> <p>7. 5 cars at Jervis Bay Village and 1 at Wreck Bay Council Office complex.</p> <p>8. Work related travel for road crew, gardens staff, Building Crew and Cleaning Crew together with administration staff.</p> <p>9. In total for Maintenance, fuel, insurance and running costs in total of approx. \$25,000.00.</p> <p>10. In total approximately 9,000km or 1,500 kilometres per vehicle.</p>
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