Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee Budget Estimates Hearing – October 2012 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: Corporate Cars

Senator: Ryan

Question reference number: PM128

Type of Question: Written

Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 30 November 2012

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Please update if there have been any changes since Budget Estimates 2012-13 (May 2012):

- How cars are owned by each department/agency?
- Where is the car/s located?
- What is the car/s used for?
- What is the cost of each car for this financial year to date?
- How far did each car travel this financial year to date?

Answer:

The Office currently owns six cars.

Five cars are located at Government House, Canberra, and one is located at Admiralty House, Sydney.

All are used for official duties or general office use except for the Rolls Royce which is only used for ceremonial occasions.

Total running costs for this financial year to date are \$3,483.85. The value of each of the cars as at 30 September 2012 is as per the table below:

Make/Model Asset No	Body Type	Rego	Written down value YTD 30/09/2012	Kilometres driven in YTD 30/09/2012
Rolls Royce (Phantom VI) 07994	Limousine	YZK 640	\$84,333	435
Holden Caprice I 09541	Sedan	YHA33Q	\$10,767	3,394
Holden Calais 09797	Sedan	YHJ73U	\$7,257	2,761
Toyota Tarago 09669	Passenger Van	YGT09A	\$10,622	8,029
Holden Rodeo 08956	Dual Cab	YFN17H	\$0	2,110
Holden Berlina 09542	Station Wagon	BE05XW	\$7,292	607