**Department/Agency: Office of the Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security Outcome/Program:** Outcome 1 **Topic:** Provision of equipment

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**Question:** 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.

For departments/agencies that provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what are the ongoing costs for this financial year to date? What were the running costs for 2009-10 and 2010-11?

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, the purchase cost, the ongoing cost and a breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives it.

Please update if there have been any changes since Budget Estimates 2011-12 (May 2012): Does the department/agency provide their Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices with any electronic equipment? If yes, provide details of what is provided, the cost and to who it is provided.

## Answer:

The agency does not provide mobile phones to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices.

The agency does not provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices.

The following electronic equipment is provided to agency staff as follows:

| Classification | Equipment  | Purchase cost | Ongoing cost             |
|----------------|------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| Agency head    | Blackberry | Nil*          | \$59.95/month plus usage |
|                | Laptop     | Nil*          | \$39.95/month plus usage |
| SES Band 1     | Blackberry | \$672.00      | \$61.99/month plus usage |

\* Resource received free of charge from PM&C

There have been no changes since Budget Estimates 2011-12 (May 2012).