SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Group Corporate

Question No. 109

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 18 November 2013:

Hire cars

- a) How much did the department spend on hire cars from 7 September 2013 to date? Provide a breakdown of each business group in the department.
- b) What are the reasons for hire car costs?

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

Agency	Taxi/Hire Cars costs 1 September 2013 – 30 November 2013
Attorney-	The Department accounts for taxis and car hire jointly and does not
General's	disaggregate the balances
Department	a) Total \$266,992
	Departmental \$163,652
	Executive \$6,229
	CJLS - Civil Justice & Legal Services Group \$22,574
	NSCJ - National Security & Criminal Justice Group \$88,527
	SPCG - Strategic Policy & Coordination Group \$46,322
	Administered \$103,340
	b) Hire cars are used as a means of public transport to enable employees to
	attend meetings or events as required by their work.