QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 19 November 2013

IMMIGRATION AND BORDER PROTECTION PORTFOLIO

(SE13/0171) PROGRAMME – Internal Product

Senator Ludwig (written) asked:

- a) 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?
- b) For departments/agencies that provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what are the ongoing costs from 7 September 2013 to date?
- c) 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.
- d) 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 Department of Immigration and Border Protection (DIBP) provides the offices of the Hon Scott Morrison, Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, the offices of Senator the Hon Michaelia Cash, Assistant Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, and some Departmental staff with mobile phones and electronic equipment.

The details are in the table below.

Device	Cost	Provided to Minister's	Provided to Departmental
Apple iPad	\$588.66 – Purchase Cost \$258.88 – Good Licence \$39 per month for data	The Hon Scott Morrison and 9 staff.	Staff Generally Executive, All Departmental staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.
Laptop (Various)	\$44.53 – Support Cost	The Hon Scott Morrison and 5 staff.	All Departmental staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.
Wireless Card (Various)	\$152.00 – Initial Cost \$39.00 per month for data service	The Hon Scott Morrison and 7 staff.	All Departmental staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.
Citrix Token	\$24.98 per month	The Hon Scott Morrison and 13 staff.	All Departmental staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.

Device	Cost	Provided to Minister's Office	Provided to Departmental Staff
Apple iPhone 4 and Apple iPhone 5	\$726.36 – iPhone 4 Purchase Cost. \$726.36 – iPhone 5 Purchase Cost \$258.88 – Good License \$44 per month for mobile service	The Hon Scott Morrison and 12 staff issued with iPhone 5's.	Generally Executive All Departmental staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.
Thumb Drives (DSD Certified) 2GB 4GB	\$104.80 \$147.27		All Departmental staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement

In addition to the above the Australian Customs and Border Protection Service provide the following:

Device	Cost	Provided to Minister's Office	Provided to Agency Staff
Nokia 925 mobile	\$568.18 – Purchase Cost \$45.45 per month for service	The Hon Scott Morrison, Senator the Hon Michaelia Cash and 1 staff.	All Agency staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.
Tablet (Various)	\$1,324.05 purchase cost \$36.36 per month for data service	The Hon Scott Morrison, Senator the Hon Michaelia Cash and 6 staff	All Agency staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.
4G Wireless Wifi device (Various)	\$300.00 purchase cost \$36.36 per month for data service	The Hon Scott Morrison, Senator the Hon Michaelia Cash and 1 staff	All Agency staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement.
USB Storage Devices (DSD approved)	\$213.12 purchase price		All Agency staff (APS1 – SES) with a business requirement

The total cost from 7 September 2013 to date for the above equipment is:

Department of Immigration and Border Protection: \$28,172 (GST exclusive)

Customs & Border Protection Agency: \$13,197 (GST exclusive)