

Estimates Committee 2013
Questions Taken On Notice

(18/06/2013 to 27/06/2013)

Date: 18/06/2013

Output:

Sub Output:

Subject: Application of Power, Water, Sewerage Tarrifs

From:Ms Delia Lawrie to Speaker Kezia Purick
Department of the Legislative Assembly

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Question: Have you done any calculations on what the cost for power, water and sewerage would have been if Parliament House was still with PAWA rather than Q Energy and had been subject to the tariff increases?

Answer:

Answered On: 10/07/2013



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Responsible Minister: Speaker
Responsible Agency: Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory

QUESTION ON NOTICE

FROM: Ms Delia Lawrie MLA - Leader of the Opposition

TO: Ms Kezia Purick MLA - Speaker

Question on Notice No 1.1

Have you done any calculations on what the cost for power, water and sewerage would have been if Parliament House was still with PAWA rather than Q Energy and had been subject to the tariff increases?

ANSWER

Output Group: Parliamentary Services
Output: Building Management Services

The Department of the Legislative Assembly purchases water and sewerage through Power and Water Corporation and there is no valid comparison to make.

The Department of the Legislative Assembly purchases electricity over a fixed contract period and the costs are contained within the contract. Price fluctuations which apply to domestic electricity consumers do not apply. The relevant comparison was made in conjunction with the supply of electricity tender process prior to commencement of the contract.