

**Estimates Committee 2013**  
**Questions Taken On Notice**

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

Date: 18/06/2013

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Subject: Cost breakdown of savings measures

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

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**Question:** **1-7**  
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**Answer:**

Answered On: 10/07/2013



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

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**QUESTION ON NOTICE**

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**FROM:** Ms Delia Lawrie MLA - Leader of the Opposition

**TO:** Ms Kezia Purick MLA - Speaker

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**ANSWER**

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**Output Group: Parliamentary Services**

The cost breakdowns of each of the savings measures achieved as identified in written question 29 are as follows.

- Renegotiation of the security contract to reduce security costs (\$47,000 in 2013-14)
- Cessation of the Territory FM Broadcast of Question Time as the information is available on the internet (\$64,000 in 2013-14)
- Cessation of the hire of Darwin and Alice Springs airport car parking space. Members will now be reimbursed for car parking costs in the airport (cost saving will be dependant on Members' usage of airport carpark)
- Decrease in payment to NT Fleet, as a result of efficiency and savings measures following the implementation of the new Vehicle Policy Framework (\$124,000 in 2013-14)
- The Department reduced the Department fleet by one vehicle representing a reduction of 17% (\$14,000 in 2013-14).