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Ms Madeleine Foley  
Principal Council Officer  
General Purpose Standing Committees  
Legislative Council  
Parliament House  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Dear Ms Foley

Re: Question on Notice

I refer to your letter, dated 31 August 2006, relating to a question taken on notice during the budget estimates hearing on 28 August 2006.

In response to the question asked by the Hon Don Harwin MLC, I am pleased to advise as follows:

Question asked: *Could you outline what the rent is for each ministerial office?*

Response: Ministers have been charged rent for office accommodation at Parliament House since the 1999/2000 financial year. The rent payable by each minister for the 2006/07 financial year is set out on the attachment to this letter. A total of \$825,522.75 will be payable by ministers, and the Director-General of The Cabinet Office, in 2006/07.

Yours sincerely

Meredith Burgmann MLC  
President

**Schedule of Rent Payable for Ministerial Offices Located at Parliament House From 1/7/2006**

Room No.	Occupant	Name	Area Sq Mtrs	Aspect	Annual Rent Payable 2006/2007 Exclud GST	Monthly Rental 2006/2007 Exclud GST
801	Minister for Water Utilities, Minister for Small Business, Minister for Regional Development and Minister for the Illawarra,	The Hon David Campbell	99.53	West	25,786.33	2,148.86
802	Minister for Energy, Minister for Ports and Waterways and Minister Assisting the Treasurer on Business & Economic Reform	The Hon Joseph Tripodi	99.53	West	25,786.33	2,148.86
803	Minister for Gaming and Racing and Minister for the Central Coast	The Hon Grant McBride	99.53	West	25,786.33	2,148.86
805	Premier and Minister for State Development and Minister for Citizenship	The Hon, Morris Iemma	433.2	East	189,560.21	15,796.68
807	Minister for Police	The Hon Carl Scully	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
808	Minister for Natural Resources, Minister for Primary Industries and Minister for Mineral Resources	The Hon Ian Macdonald	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
809	Minister for Justice, Minister for Juvenile Justice, Minister for Emergency Services, Minister for Lands and Minister for Rural Affairs,	The Hon Anthony Kelly	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
810	Minister for Health	The Hon John Hatzistergos	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
811	Minister for Finance, Minister for Commerce, Minister for Industrial Relations, Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services and Vice President of the Executive Council	The Hon J Della Bosca	115.33	East	35,763.66	2,980.31
901	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Minister Assisting the Premier on Citizenship	The Hon Milton Orkopoulos	99.53	West	25,786.33	2,148.86
904	Minister for Housing and Minister Assisting the Minister for Health (Mental Health)	The Hon Cherie Burton	99.53	West	25,786.33	2,148.86
905	Minister for Fair Trading, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister Assisting the Minister for Commerce	The Hon Diane Beamer	99.53	West	25,786.33	2,148.86
907	Deputy Premier and Minister for Transport	The Hon John Watkins	196.35	East	74,963.97	6,247.00
908	Attorney General, Minister for the Environment and Minister for the Arts	The Hon R Debus	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
909	Minister for Local Government	The Hon Kerry Hickey	91.63	East	25,887.12	2,157.26
910	Minister for Tourism and Sport and Recreation, Minister for Women and Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development	The Hon Sandra Nori	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
911	Waterloo, Minister for Science & Medical Research and Minister Assisting the Minister for Health (Cancer)	The Hon Frank Sartor	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
912	Minister for Community Services and Minister for Youth	The Hon Reba Meagher	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
913	Minister for Education and Training	The Hon Carmel Tebbutt	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
914	Minister for Roads	The Hon Eric Roozendaal	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
915	Treasurer, Minister for Infrastructure and Minister for the Hunter	The Hon. Michael Costa	99.53	East	28,119.08	2,343.26
<b>Sub Total Ministerial Suites</b>			<b>2528.52</b>		<b>790,202.82</b>	<b>65,850.27</b>
806	Director-General Cabinet Office		73.00	East	35,319.93	2,943.33
<b>Sub Total Other</b>			<b>73.00</b>		<b>35,319.93</b>	<b>2,943.33</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>2,601.52</b>		<b>825,522.75</b>	<b>68,793.60</b>