

TREASURER — PORTFOLIOS — PURCHASING CARDS

338. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the minister representing the Treasurer:

Please list, in tabular form, the 10 most expensive items purchased via credit card/purchasing card by each portfolio agency for the financial years 2019–20 and 2020–21?

**Hon Stephen Dawson replied:**

Government departments and agencies make thousands of purchases, for a range of purposes and matters, each financial year.

To collect this information would require considerable time, which would divert staff away from their normal duties and is not considered to be a reasonable or appropriate use of government resources.