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Hon Tjorn Sibma; Hon Matthew Swinbourn

#### ATTORNEY GENERAL — PORTFOLIOS — PURCHASING CARDS

127. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the parliamentary secretary representing the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs:

For each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio, could the Minister please provide information for the financial year 2019–2020, concerning the use of purchasing cards (including debit and credit cards) including:

- (a) how many cards were issued to staff;
- (b) what expenditure and transaction limits applied to the use of those cards;
- (c) the total dollar value of transactions made via those cards;
- (d) the total number of transactions made via those cards; and
- (e) a breakdown of the categories of goods and services purchased via those cards?

### Hon Matthew Swinbourn replied:

## Western Australian Electoral Commission

- (a) 16
- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$20 000 to \$40 000, depending on the employee position and delegation.
- (c) \$148,182.79
- (d) 504
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Agency.

### Department of Justice

- (a) 1,251
- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$5,000 to \$50 000, depending on the employee position and delegation.
- (c) \$22,253,394
- (d) 67,348
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Department.

This information is inclusive of the State Solicitor's Office.

#### Corruption and Crime Commission

- (a) 56
- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$1 to \$25 000, depending on the employee position and delegation.

Note: Four (4) staff are on extended leave and have returned their cards to the Commission. These cards are on hold, hence the \$1 credit limit.

- (c) \$563,530
- (d) 1,778
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Agency.

## **Equal Opportunity Commission**

- (a) 12
- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$1,000 to \$25 000, depending on the employee position and delegation.
- (c) \$211,513.83
- (d) 586
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Agency.

### Legal Aid WA

(a) 81

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- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$1,000 to \$20,000, depending on the employee position and delegation.
- (c) \$923,919
- (d) 5371
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Agency.

## Office of the Information Commissioner / Freedom of Information

- (a) 5
- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$2,000 to \$15,000, depending on the employee position and delegation.
- (c) \$116,021.7
- (d) 397
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Agency.

# Office of the Commissioner for Children and Young People

- (a) 7
- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$1,000 to \$20,000, depending on the employee position and delegation.
- (c) \$97,209.07
- (d) 494
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Agency.

## Office of the Director of Public Prosecution

- (a) 55
- (b) Expenditure and transaction limits range from \$5,000 to \$50,000, depending on the employee position and delegation.
- (c) \$937,725
- (d) 1,511
- (e) This information cannot be provided as this would require an excessive amount of resources from the Agency.