Question on Notice No. 615 Asked on 10 May 2011

MS Bates asked the Minister for Government Services, Building Industry and Information and Communication Technology (MR FINN)-

QUESTION:

With reference to the vehicles owned by QFleet –

Will the Minister advise (a) the total number of vehicles owned by QFleet, (b) the total number of vehicles leased to government departments, including separation into long-term and short-term leases (reported separately by department) and (c) the monthly totals of the number of vehicles that have been rented by QFleet for the last 12 months (reported separately by departments)?

ANSWER:

- (a) The total number of vehicles owned by QFleet as of 30 April 2011 is 13 928.
- (b) The tables below detail the fleet size for each agency for long term leases and short term hires as at 30 April 2011.

Department	Long Term Leases
Department of Communities	1418
Department of Community Safety	1007
Department of Education and Training	1279
Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation	959
Department of Environment and Resource Management	932
Department of Infrastructure and Planning	42
Department of Justice and Attorney General	500
Department of the Premier and Cabinet	99
Department of Public Works	1031
Department of Transport and Main Roads	1630
Queensland Health	3829
Queensland Treasury	33
Total	12759*

^{*} There is a variance between the totals of the "QFleet Owned" and "Leased to Government Departments". The QFleet Owned total includes those vehicles either being repaired or waiting for sale (630 as at 30 April 2011) and those vehicles on lease to QFleet's untied client base (539 as at 30 April 2011).

An "untied client" is an organisation that is not mandated to lease vehicles through QFleet, but that has sought to do so and has met an established set of criteria, such as evidence of recurrent federal, state or local government funding sufficient to service the intended lease/s.

It should be noted that the total number of vehicles owned by QFleet does note reflect the total number of vehicles in the Queensland Government Fleet. The Queensland Police Service and Emergency Services, Department of Community Safety are not tied to QFleet for fleet management services (long term leases). The Queensland Police Service currently has no long term leases with QFleet.

Department	Short Term Hires
Department of Communities	84
Department of Community Safety	2
Department of Education and Training	14
Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation	1
Department of Environment and Resource Management	0
Department of Infrastructure and Planning	0
Department of Justice and Attorney General	1
Department of the Premier and Cabinet	4
Department of Public Works	35
Department of Transport and Main Roads	33
Queensland Health	19
Queensland Police Service*	1
Queensland Treasury	0
Total **	194

^{**} The short term hire figures provided do not include AVIS vehicles – the figures provided are in relation to QFleet owned vehicles only.

Short term hire vehicles are managed by QFleet. The 194 vehicles that make up the total for the short term hire are included in the 1031 vehicles listed as long term leases for the Department of Public Works.

(c) QFleet operates a Short Term Hire facility using a pool of QFleet owned vehicles across the state. These vehicles are used for agency short term requirements. The table below details the number of vehicles hired by agencies from QFleet between May 2010 and April 2011.

In December 2010 the QFleet Hire fleet increased in response to the Queensland Government's recovery effort in the wake of the Queensland Floods and Cyclone Yasi.

Donartment	2010								2011				
Department	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Total
Department of Communities	5	4	2	1	3	1	1	9	103	129	105	84	447
Department of Community Safety	1	1	3	3	2	1	1	1	47	52	12	2	126
Department of Education and Training	14	15	13	16	15	24	23	15	13	28	15	14	205
Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	2	1	1	16
Department of Environment and Resource Management	0	0	0	1	3	2	2	0	0	4	2	0	14
Department of Infrastructure and Planning	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Department of Justice and Attorney General	2	2	2	2	3	4	2	2	2	2	1	1	25
Department of the Premier and Cabinet	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4	3	4	18
Department of Public Works	34	19	21	19	34	37	32	24	41	67	63	35	426
Department of Transport and Main Roads	34	38	34	37	37	37	35	22	23	34	35	33	399
Queensland Health	22	24	23	24	23	21	22	21	29	28	22	19	278
Queensland Police Service	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	21	2	1	42
Queensland Treasury	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grand Total	114	104	99	104	121	128	119	95	286	371	261	194	1996