

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

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Communications Portfolio

The Australian Communications and Media Authority

Question No: 176

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Topic: Do Not Call Register costs

Senator Urquhart, Anne asked:

Please provide the total costs of running of the Do Not Call Register for the years 2014-15 & 2015-16

- (a) Please break costs down into those under contract, and those in relation to staff or other direct costs of the ACMA.

Answer:

The total costs of operating the Do Not Call Register for the years 2014-15 and 2015-16 are provided in the following table:

Costs	2014-15 (\$m)	2015-16 (\$m)
Contract fees	\$1.94	\$1.75
Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA) staff costs	\$0.56	\$0.55
Consultants	\$0.01	\$0.01
Other	\$0.03	\$0.03
TOTAL	\$2.54	\$2.34