Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

Additional Estimates Hearings February 2014

Communications Portfolio

Australian Communications and Media Authority

Question No: 52

Program No. Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA)

Hansard Ref: In Writing

Topic: Market Research

Senator Ludwig asked:

List any market research conducted by the Department/Agency since 7 September 2013.

- 1. List the total cost of this research
- 2. List each item of expenditure and cost, broken down by division and program
- 3. Who conducted the research?
- 4. How were they identified?
- 5. Where was the research conducted?
- 6. In what way was the research conducted?
- 7. Were focus groups, round tables or other forms of research tools used?
- 8. How were participants for these focus groups et al selected?

Answer:

- 1. \$71,500.
- 2. The ACMA conducted one market research process. This was undertaken by the Industry Partnerships and Numbering Section, Communication Infrastructure Division.
- 3. Roy Morgan Research Pty Ltd.
- 4. The provider was selected by a competitive procurement process.
- 5. The research was conducted via telephone to the householder..
- 6. The research was conducted via the telephone using a computer aided interview system.
- 7. No.
- 8. The participants were selected at random using the market research provider's single source database.