Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Industry Portfolio Additional Budget Estimates Hearing 2013-14 27 February 2014

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

TOPIC: Media Subscriptions

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Ludwig

QUESTION No.: AI-40

- 1. What pay TV subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - a) Please provide a list of what channels and the reason for each channel.
 - b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - d) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?
- 2. What newspaper subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - a) Please provide a list of newspaper subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - d) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?
- 3. What magazine subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - a) Please provide a list of magazine subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - d) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?
- 4. What publications does your department/agency purchase?
 - a) Please provide a list of publications purchased by the department and the reason for each.
 - b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - d) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date?

ANSWER

- 1.
- a) Please refer to SI-163.
- b) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. The cost for TV subscriptions for the Department for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014 is \$9,511 (GST exclusive).
- c) Please refer to SI-163.
- d) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. No TV subscriptions were supplied to the Minister or his office for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014.

- 2.
- a) Please refer to SI-163.
- b) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. The cost for newspaper subscriptions for the Department for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014 is \$29,201 (GST exclusive).
- c) Please refer to SI-163.
- d) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. The cost for newspaper subscriptions for the Ministers office for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014 is \$3,611 (GST exclusive).
- 3.
- a) Please refer to SI-163.
- b) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. The cost for magazine subscriptions for the Department for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014 is \$3,260 (GST exclusive).
- c) Please refer to SI-163.
- d) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. No magazine subscriptions were provided to the Minister or his office for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014.
- 4.
- a) Please refer to SI-163.
- b) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. The cost for publication subscriptions for the Department for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014 is \$85,640 (GST exclusive).
- c) Please refer to SI-163.
- d) Please refer to SI-163 for the period 7 September 2013 to 30 November 2013. No publications were provided to the Minister or his office for the period 1 December 2013 to 28 February 2014.

Please note as this information is as at 28 February 2014, it does not include the Anti-Dumping Commission. The Australian Customs and Border Protection Service will report on the Commission where appropriate in their responses to 2013-14 Budget Estimates Questions on Notice.