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Topic: Media monitoring

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Senator McKenzie asked:

What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etc, provided to the department/agency for this financial year to date?

Which agency or agencies provided these services?

What is the estimated budget to provide these same services for the year 2011-12?

What has been spent providing these services this financial year to date?

Answer:

The total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts, etcetera, provided to the Department for this financial year to date (30 April 2012) was \$229,834 (GST exclusive).

- AAP Pty Ltd provided these services.
- The estimated budget to provide the same services for the year 2011-12 was \$306,445.
- The total spent financial year to date (30 April 2012) is \$229,834 (GST exclusive).