

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2010-2011, 20 October 2010

Question: E10-215

OUTCOME 0: Whole of Portfolio

Topic: MEDIA SUBSCRIPTIONS

Written Question on Notice

Senator Fierravanti-Wells asked:

- a) Does your department or agencies within your portfolio subscribe to pay TV (for example Foxtel)? If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what channels.
- b) Does your department or agencies within your portfolio subscribe to newspapers? If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what newspapers.
- c) Does your department or agencies within your portfolio subscribe to magazines? If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what magazines.

Answer:

- a) Yes. Detail as follows:

REASON WHY	MONTHLY COST	WHAT CHANNELS
To obtain information about professional best and current practice, trends, innovations and community, commentator, expert and stakeholder views of issues relevant to the department and its policies, programs and professional practice.	\$1,077.45	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• BBC• SKY• CNN• Weather• Trans Biz-TV Digital (Senate, House of Representatives, Parliamentary Committees)• Free to Air

b) Yes. Detail as follows:

REASON WHY	MONTHLY COST	WHAT NEWSPAPERS
To obtain information about professional best and current practice, trends, innovations and community, commentator, expert and stakeholder views of issues relevant to the department and its policies, programs and professional practice.	\$5,443.88	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advertiser • Age • Alice Springs Times • Australian • Burnie Advocate • Canberra Times • Centralian Advocate • Courier Mail • Daily Telegraph • Financial Review • Herald Sun • Hobart Mercury • Koori Mail • Land • Launceston Examiner • National Indigenous Times • North West Telegraph • NT News • Sun Herald • Sydney Morning Herald • The Advertiser • Torres News • West Australian

c) Yes. Detail as follows:

REASON WHY	MONTHLY COST	WHAT MAGAZINES
To obtain information about professional best and current practice, trends, innovations and community, commentator, expert and stakeholder views of issues relevant to the department and its policies, programs and professional practice.	\$3,077.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atomic • Australasian Science • Australian Ageing Agenda • Australian Defence Monthly • Australian Doctor • Australian Institute of Company Directors (AICD) • Australian Personal Computer • Australian Security Magazine • Business Review Weekly • Campus Review • Choice • CIO • Debate • Drinks Trade

		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Economist• Elektor• Geriaction• Harvard Business Review• Hospital & Agedcare• Hospitals and Health Care• In the Black• INsite• Link Disability• Management Today• Medical Observer• MIS Financial Review• National Liquor News• New Scientist• Nursing Older People• Nursing Review• Parity• PC User• Physiology• Quality News• Risk Management• Rural Supplement to Australian Doctor• Science• Silicon Chip• Spectator• Sterilization in Australia• Time• Visual Studio• Water• Water21• Well at Work• Wellbeing• WME• 6Minutes
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