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Communications Portfolio

Australian Broadcasting Corporation

Question No: 214

Program No. Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC)

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Topic: Digital radio

Senator Urquhart asked:

I have just got a few questions on digital radio. What services is the ABC providing over digital radio in the five mainland state capitals?

Mr Scott: I will provide you with a comprehensive list.

Answer:

ABC Radio provides digital radio simulcasts of the Corporation's four national analogue radio services: Radio National, ABC Classic FM, triple j, ABC News Radio plus the ABC Local Radio service in the five mainland state capital cities.

In addition, the ABC broadcasts six digital-only radio stations in the five mainland state capital cities: ABC Dig Music, triple j Unearthed, ABC Jazz, ABC Country, Grandstand and the special event station ABC Extra.