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Communications Portfolio
Australian Broadcasting Corporation

Question No: 223(b)

Australian Broadcasting Corporation

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Topic: Lobbying register meetings

Senator Ludwig, Joe asked:

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

1. List all interactions between the department/agency with any representative listed on the lobbyist register
2. List the participants in the meeting, the topic of the discussion, who arranged or requested the meeting, the location of the meeting
3. List all interactions between the Minister/parliamentary Secretary and/or their offices with any representative listed on the lobbyist register during the specified period. List the participants in the meeting, the topic of the discussion, who arranged or requested the meeting, the location of the meeting

Answer:

The Lobbying Code of Conduct concerns people employed under *the Public Service Act 1999* or to consultants or contractors of an agency whose staff are employed under this Act. As the ABC's staff are not employed under *the Public Service Act 1999*, the Lobbying Code of Conduct does not apply.