

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

Additional Estimates Spill-over Hearing March 2017

Communications Portfolio

NBN Co Limited

Question No: 346

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Topic: Fibre-to-the-curb – Regional Australia towns

Senator Urquhart, Anne asked:

Senator URQUHART: Which towns in regional Australia are getting fibre to the curb?

Mr Morrow: Again, a little bit fluid on where it is. We mentioned before that it was up to 700,000. I expect that number to be higher as we wrap up this year's corporate plan and get the approval—

Senator URQUHART: Which towns, though? Do you have that?

Mr Morrow: We have some that we are targeting. We will take that on notice and get you that data.

Senator URQUHART: Can you also provide a list of the towns and the number of premises in nonurban Australia that are getting fibre to the curb?

Mr Morrow: Yes. Within a margin of change that will exist.

Senator URQUHART: I am sure you will write that as your disclosure.

Mr Morrow: Yes, we will caveat that.

Answer:

As at 7 April 2017, nbn estimates that approximately 230,000 FTTC premises will be in non-metro areas. The table below shows the towns where fibre to the curb is planned. Note that the deployment plan is refined on a daily basis. It is also important to understand that nbn will likely be delivering a mix of technologies in these areas. Individual premises can see what technology they are likely to receive by checking their address on the nbn website.

FTTC premises in non-metro areas (outside capitals)	
State	FSA Name
NSW	Alstonville
	Ballina
	Barham-Koondrook
	Bega
	Bellingen
	Bendalong
	Bermagui
	Berry
	Bingara
	Boggabri
	Braidwood

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	Broken Hill
	Casino
	Coolamon
	Cootamundra
	Crescent Head
	Currarong
	Deniliquin
	Dorrigo
	Douglas Park
	Finley
	Glen Innes
	Greenwell Point
	Gunnedah
	Guyra
	Howlong
	Inverell
	Kingscliff
	Koorringal
	Kurrajong
	Kurri Kurri
	Lake Cathie
	Lithgow
	Maclean
	Manilla
	Medowie
	Merimbula
	Moruya
	Mossey Point
	Mullumbimby
	Narooma
	Narrabri
	Nords Wharf
	North Arm Cove
	Nyngan
	Orchard Hill
	Otford
	Portland
	Robertson
	South West Rocks
	Tea Gardens

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	Temora
	Tenterfield
	Tocumwal
	Toronto
	Tuross Heads
	Uralla
	Walcha
	Walgett
	Wallerawang
	Warialda
	Wee Waa
	Werris Creek
	Wilberforce
	Woolgoolga
	Yamba
	Dural
QLD	Agnes Water
	Allora
	Ashmore
	Avoca
	Beerwah
	Biloela
	Boonah
	Boyne Island
	Burrum Heads
	Calliope
	Capella
	Clifton
	Crows Nest
	Dunwich
	Esk
	Gayndah
	Gladstone
	Goondiwindi
	Inglewood
	Kilcoy
	Kingaroy
	Kooralbyn
	Landsborough
	Longreach

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	Maleny
	Mareeba
	Maryborough
	Miles
	Mooloolah Valley
	Mossman
	Mount Tamborine
	Moura
	Mundubbera
	Murgon
	Nanango
	North Gooburrum
	Pialba
	Point Lookout
	Rainbow Beach
	River Heads
	Russell-Macleay Islands
	Samford
	Southport
	St George
	Stanthorpe
	Sunshine Coast Caloundra
	Surfers Paradise
	Tin Can Bay
	Warwick
	Winton
	Woodford
	Woodgate
	Woongarra
	Yandina
SA	Lenswood
VIC	Alexandra
	Ararat
	Beaufort
	Beechworth
	Belmont
	Benalla
	Bright
	Casterton

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	Cobram
	Corryong
	Eaglehawk
	Edenhope
	Epsom
	Euroa
	Geelong
	Heathcote
	Koroit
	Lara
	Mansfield
	Melton
	Mildura
	Moolap
	Myrtleford
	Nagambie
	Nhill
	Ouyen
	Paynesville
	Sebastopol
	St Arnaud
	Stawell
	Tallangatta
	Tatura
	Warracknabeal
	Wendouree
	Yarrawonga-Mulwala
	Yea
WA	Baldivis
	Carnarvon
	Denham
	Ellenbrook
	Exmouth
	Kambalda West
	Kellerberrin
	Merredin
	Mundijong
	Secret Harbour
	Yunderup
TAS	Queenstown

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	Rosebery
	Zeehan