

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications**  
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**Topic: Tasmanian premises reached**

**Senator Bilyk, Catryna asked:**

**Senator BILYK:** How many premises in Tasmania are expected to be reached by the NBN by the end of 2016?

**Mr Adcock:** I can get the answer for you.

**Senator BILYK:** I am sorry, but I do have a bit of a hearing problem in one ear.

**Mr Adcock:** My apologies. I will speak up. I will get that number. Do you want to know how many Tasmanian premises can expect to have the NBN by the end of FY 2016?

**Senator BILYK:** Yes, to be ready for NBN by the end of 2016.

**Mr Adcock:** Financial year 2016 or calendar year 2016?

**Senator BILYK:** Both would be good. Do you have both?

**Mr Adcock:** I will get both.

**Senator BILYK:** When you say you will get it, are you saying that you will take it on notice or you have someone here that might be able to answer that?

**Mr Adcock:** I will have the answer for you this evening.

**Senator BILYK:** This evening?

**Mr Adcock:** Yes.

**Answer:**

The number of Tasmanian premises planned to be Ready for Service (RFS) is as follows:

Calendar Year 2016 – 235,000.

Financial Year 2016 – 185,000.