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Topic: NBN rollout in north-west and westcoast communities in Tasmania

Senator Urquhart asked:

I just want to run through some other north-west and west coast communities in Tasmania that were due to receive the full fibre NBN rollout under Labor. Can you give me an update on when the rollout is scheduled for the following towns, what technology will be used and when will the rollout start and finish?

Mr Adcock: I will tell you in advance I will take them all on notice because I do not have each individual geography here in front of me at this point in time.

Senator Urquhart: I will go through the towns so that you have them and you know what I am after. They are Ulverstone, Penguin, Sulphur Creek, Haybridge, Queenstown, Railton, Rosebery, Westbury, Wynyard and Zeehan.

Answer:

Place	Technology	Preliminary Design Planned Start	1st Serving Area Module (SAM) Forecast Ready for Service (RFS)
Ulverstone	FTTX	Q3 2015	Q1 2017
Penguin	FTTX	Q3 2015	Q1 2017
Sulphur Creek	FTTX	Q3 2015	Q1 2017
Heybridge	Planning still underway		
Queenstown	Planning still underway		
Railton	FTTX	Q4 2015	Q2 2017
Rosebery	Planning still underway		
Westbury	FTTX	Q2 2015	Q3 2016
Wynyard	FTTX	Q3 2015	Q2 2017
Zeehan	Planning still underway		