## **Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications**

## **Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice**

# **Budget Estimates Hearings May 2015**

### **Communications Portfolio**

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**Topic: Norwest Business Park receiving Fibre to the Premises** 

### **Senator Urquhart asked:**

On 13 May 2015, the Minister for Communications announced that Norwest Business Park will be receiving Fibre to the Premises (FTTP).

- a. Why does the NBN Co 18 Month rollout plan, released in April 2015, not show this?
- b. When will fibre be ready for service (RFS) for Norwest Business Park?

#### **Answer:**

- a. The plan released in April 2015 shows the Fibre Serving Area (FSA) of 2CAS which includes the Norwest Business Park. The technology for this FSA is described as "Multi-Technology Mix" which may include FTTP where selected based on the business rules applied.
- b. The Service Area Modules (SAMs) in the FSA are planned to achieve RFS in the first half of calendar year 2017.