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Question: AET 1036-1038

Topic: Media Subscriptions

Written: Received from Committee – 22 February 2013

Senator BUSHBY asked:

1036. What pay TV subscriptions does your department/agency have?
- Please provide a list of what channels and the reason for each channel.
 - What is the cost for this financial year to date (22 February 2013)?
1037. What newspaper subscriptions does your department/agency have?
- Please provide a list of newspaper subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - What is their cost for this financial year to date (22 February 2013)?
1038. What magazine subscriptions does your department/agency have?
- Please provide a list of magazine subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - What is their cost for this financial year to date (22 February 2013)?

Answer:

1036. The Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) does not subscribe to pay TV.
a. – b. Not applicable.
1037. a. APRA requires a wide range of information sources to fulfil its regulatory mandate. Newspapers used include:
- The Australian Financial Review (Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth, Canberra)
 - The Australian (Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Perth)
 - The Sydney Morning Herald (Sydney)
 - The Daily Telegraph (Sydney)
 - The Courier Mail (Brisbane)
 - The Age (Melbourne)
 - The Herald Sun (Melbourne)
 - The Advertiser (Adelaide)
 - The Canberra Times (Canberra)
- b. The estimated cost of newspaper subscriptions for financial year to 22 February 2013 was \$67,803.

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1038. a. APRA requires a wide range of information sources to fulfil its regulatory mandate. Publications used include the following and a range of other magazines and journals which APRA staff refer to through the library:
- ASFA Action
 - Asia Risk
 - Australian Library Journal (The)
 - Australian Security Magazine
 - Banking Day
 - Best Week Asia Pacific
 - Best Week Europe
 - Best Week US/Canada
 - Best's Review: Insurance Issues and Analysis
 - Business Review Weekly (BRW)
 - Connexus
 - DCM Review (The)
 - Economist (The)
 - Federal Political Briefing
 - Financial Outlook Monthly (Taiwan)
 - Global Risk Regulator
 - Harvard Business Review
 - Incite
 - InFinance
 - Insider Quarterly
 - Insurance News Australia
 - Insurance Risk
 - International Journal of Pension Management
 - Keeping Good Companies Journal
 - Law Society Journal
 - Lawyers Weekly
 - Life & Pension Risk
 - Monthly Financial Statistics Bulletin (Korean)
 - Operational Risk and Regulation
 - Regulatory Week
 - Review (The)
 - Risk
 - SAI Global Superannuation Newsfeed
 - SAI Global Governance Risk & Compliance newsfeed
 - SAI Global Insurance Newsfeed
 - Superfunds
 - Super Review
- b. APRA does not record magazine costs in a way that readily allows answers to be provided to this question.