

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Additional Estimates

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Question: AET 933-934

Topic: Grants (ATO)

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Senator BUSHBY asked:

933. Could the department/agency provide a list of all grants, including ad hoc and one-off grants for this financial year to date? Please provide details of the recipients, the amount, the intended use of the grants and what locations have benefited from the grants.
- a. Have all grant agreement details been published on its website within the required timeframe? If not, provide details.
934. Provide a list of grants that your department/agency administers that had uncommitted grants funding reduced as per the statement by the Finance Minister on 22 October 2012 (see http://www.financeminister.gov.au/media/2012/mr_2102012.html).
- a. How much was funding reduced for each grant?

Answer:

933. The ATO publishes all discretionary grants and sponsorships on the ATO website (search for 'Discretionary grants and sponsorships'). This information can be accessed via the following link: http://atogovau/corporate/content.aspx?doc=/content/00234287.htm&pc=001/001/009/004&mn_u=39514&mfp=001&st=&cy=1
- a. The ATO complies with the *Commonwealth Grant Guidelines* when compiling data and publishing information relating to discretionary grants.
934. The ATO has no grants that had uncommitted grant funding reduced.