

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

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26 February 2014

Question: AET 658

Topic: Media Monitoring (PC)

Written: 5 March 2014

Senator LUDWIG asked:

658. What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etc. provided to the department/agency from 7 September 2013 to date?
- a) Which agency or agencies provided these services?
 - b) What has been spent providing these services from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - c) Itemise these expenses

Answer:

658. As at 28 February 2014:
- a) AAP and iSentia.
 - b) \$48,691 (ex GST).
 - c) The Commission does not record data in a way that would readily allow the expenses to be itemised.