Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Budget Estimates

4 – 6 June 2013

Question: BET 837-839

Topic: Media Subscriptions

Written: 17 June 2013

Senator BUSHBY asked:

- 837. What pay TV subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - a) Please provide a list of what channels and the reason for each channel.
 - b) What is the cost for this financial year to date?
- 838. What newspaper subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - a) Please provide a list of newspaper subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - b) What is the cost for this financial year to date?
- 839. What magazine subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - a) Please provide a list of magazine subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - b) What is the cost for this financial year to date?

Answer:

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- a) Four subscriptions to Business Information Affairs channels Reason: Media monitoring purposes
- b) Total cost of Pay TV subscriptions in the financial year to date is \$2,844.

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- a) Newspapers include: The Australian, The Weekend Australian, The Sydney Morning Herald, The Financial Review, The Land, The Daily Telegraph, major newspapers for all other capital cities
 - Reason: Article monitoring purposes
- b) Total cost of newspaper subscriptions in the financial year to date is \$45,352

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- a) Magazines include: Business Review Weekly, The Economist, My Business, Choice Reason: Media monitoring purposes
- b) Total cost of magazine subscriptions in the financial year to date is \$1,636