

**Senate Economics Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**Treasury Portfolio**  
Budget Estimates 2014  
3 June to 5 June 2014

**Department/ Agency:** ACNC

**Question:** BET 3313-3316

**Topic:** Media Subscriptions

**Reference:** Written - 12 June 2014

**Senator:** Ludwig

**Question:**

3313. 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 from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?
- c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
- d) What is the cost for this from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?

3314. 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 from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?
- c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
- d) What is the cost for this from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?

3315. 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 from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?
- c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
- d) What is the cost for this from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?

3316. What publications does your department/agency purchase?

- a) Please provide a list of publications purchased by the department and the reason for each.
- b) What is the cost from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?
- c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
- d) What is the cost for this from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date?

**Answer:**

3313. The ACNC doesn't have any pay TV subscriptions.

- a) N/A
- b) N/A
- c) N/A
- d) N/A

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3314. The ACNC has four (4) newspaper subscriptions.

a) The ACNC has the following newspaper subscriptions:

- The Herald Sun
- The Australian Financial Review
- The Australian
- The Age

These subscriptions were requested by the Commissioner to assist the ACNC to track media regarding the ACNC and the charitable/not-for-profit sector.

b) The cost of the newspaper subscriptions from February 2014 until June 2014 is \$803.80.

The Herald Sun: \$11.97 a month over five (5) months is \$59.75

The Australian: \$60.01 a month over five (5) months is \$300.05

The Age: \$444.00 for a six (6) month subscription

The Australian Financial Review subscription was paid for on 23 July 2013 covering a period of 12 months with a cost of \$780.00. This amount isn't included in the above figures.

c) The ACNC has not provided newspaper subscriptions to the Minister or the Minister's office.

d) The cost of the newspaper subscriptions from February 2014 until June 2014 is \$803.80.

3315. The ACNC has two magazine subscriptions.

a) The ACNC has a subscription for Fundraising and Philanthropy Australasia and Third Sector Magazine. The reason for the subscriptions is to ensure that the Executive and the Communication Team can keep abreast of issues and emerging trends in the non-profit sector.

b) The cost for the subscription since the last Additional Estimates in February 2014 is \$109.00.

c) N/A

d) N/A

3316.

a) Please provide a list of publications purchased by the department and the reason for each.

Publication Name
Charities (Consequential Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Act 2013
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013
Australian Charities and Not-for profits Commission (Consequential and Transitional) Act 2012

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Philosophies of Organizational Change
Charities (Consequential Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Act 2013
Charities Act 2013
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012
Risk Management Standard: as/nzs 31000
Strategic Internal Communications: Boosting Corporate Culture, Productivity and Profitability
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Bill 2012Supplementary Explanatory Memorandum
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Bill 2012Supplementary Explanatory Memorandum
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Bill 2012 Revised Explanatory Memorandum
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (Consequential and Transitional) Act 2012
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013
Charities Act 2013
Charities (Consequential Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Act 2013
Best Practices in Planning & Performance Measures
Macquarie Dictionary
Australian Income Tax Legislation 2013; 3 Volume Set
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (Consequential and Transitional) Bill - First Reading
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (Consequential and Transitional) Bill 2012 Explanatory Memorandum
Law of Charity
Control of Government Action: Text, Cases & Commentary
Indigenous Australians and the Law
Hanks' Australian Constitutional Law: Materials and Commentary
Regulation, Litigation and Enforcement
The Tools of Regulation
Principles of Administrative Law Value Pack
Jacob's Law of trusts in Australia

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Trusts Law in Australia – 4th edition
Statutory Interpretation
Concise Australian Legal Dictionary (LexisNexis)
Australian Law Dictionary Print & Online
Non-Profits Governance: Innovative Perspectives and Approaches
Law of Charity
Why Warriors Lie Down and Die
Australian Corporations and Securities Legislation 2013 - Volume 1 and 2
Australian Income Tax Legislation 2013; 3 Volume Set
Measuring the ROI of Knowledge Management
Law of Charity
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (Consequential and Transitional) Act 2012
Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012
The Profits of Charity
Associations and Clubs Law in Australia and New Zealand
Douglas and Jones's Administrative Law
The Law and Practice relating to Charities
History of the Law of Charity 1532-1827
Policy Initiatives Towards the Third Sector in International Perspective (Springer, 2009)
Duties and Responsibilities of Directors and Officers 20th Edition
Duties of Officers and Directors
Enhancing Board Performance
Enterprise Risk Management
Managing Conflicts of Interest NFP Sector

These publications are required to assist the Executive, Legal, Registration, Business Services, Policy and Education and Communications Directorates in performing their roles.

Most of the publications are Legislation based and are required when determining if a charity application can be processed, and the rules and regulations for objections and investigations.

b) The total cost for the publications for the time period February 2014 to 12 June 2014 is \$434.35.

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- c) The ACNC has not provided the Minister or the Minister's office with any publications during this period.
- d) N/A