

**Senate Standing Committee on Economics**

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**Question: SBT 1467-1472**

**Topic: Media Training (PC)**

**Written: Received from Committee – 26 October 2012**

**Senator BUSHBY asked:**

1467. In relation to media training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information for this financial year to date (26 October 2012):

- a. Total spending on these services
- b. The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification
- c. The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
- d. The names of all service providers engaged

1468. For each service purchased from a provider listed under 1467(d), please provide:

- a. The name and nature of the service purchased
- b. Whether the service is one-on-one or group based
- c. The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
- d. The total number of hours involved for all employees (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
- e. The total amount spent on the service
- f. A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package)

1469. Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:

- a. The location used
- b. The number of employees who took part on each occasion
- c. The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
- d. Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location

1470. In relation to media training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information for 2011-12:

- a. Total spending on these services
- b. The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification
- c. The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
- d. The names of all service providers engaged

1471. For each service purchased from a provider listed under 1470(d), please provide:

- a. The name and nature of the service purchased
- b. Whether the service is one-on-one or group based

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- c. The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
  - d. The total number of hours involved for all employees (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
  - e. The total amount spent on the service
  - f. A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package)
1472. Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:
- a. The location used
  - b. The number of employees who took part on each occasion
  - c. The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
  - d. Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location

**Answer:**

1467. a. \$9,295 (ex GST)
- b. All Commissioners and SES
- c. 5 x SES B1, 4 hours  
1 x SES B2, 4 hours  
3 x Commissioners, 4 hours
- d. Media Strategies Pty Ltd
1468. a. Media training
- b. Group based
- c & d. 5 x SES B1, 4 hours  
1 x SES B2, 4 hours  
3 x Commissioners, 4 hours
- e. \$9,925 (ex GST)
- f. Package
1469. Not applicable.
1470. a. \$4,967 (ex GST)
- b. All SES staff and Commissioner
- c. 2 Commissioners
- d. Media & Presentation Training Pty Ltd
1471. a. Media training
- b. Small group
- c. 2 Commissioners
- d. 4 hours
- e. \$4, 967 (ex GST)
- f. Package

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1472. a. Offices of Price Waterhouse Coopers  
b. As above  
c. As above  
d. Nil