## **Senate Standing Committee on Economics**

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## **Treasury Portfolio**

Supplementary Budget Estimates

20-21 November 2013

**Question: SBE 809-814** 

**Topic:** Advertising (ATO)

Written: 29 November 2013

### **Senator WONG asked:**

809. What is the total cost (GST inclusive) of campaign advertising since 7 September 2013?

- 810. What additional campaign advertising is planned?
- 811. What is the estimated cost (GST inclusive) of planned campaign advertising?
- 812. What is the total cost (GST inclusive) of non-campaign advertising since 7 September 2013?
- 813. What additional non-campaign advertising is planned?
- 814. What is the estimated cost (GST inclusive) of planned non-campaign advertising?

### **Answer:**

809. The ATO has spent \$2,165,567 (GST inclusive) on campaign advertising placement from 7 September to 30 November 2013.

#### 810. & 811.

The ATO has the following campaign advertisement placements totalling \$2,667,240 (GST inclusive) planned from 30 November 2013 onwards.

Additional campaign advertising planned								
Campaign	30.11.13-14	2014–15	2015–16	2016–17	TOTAL			
GST Voluntary Compliance	\$276,280	\$357,500	\$302,500		\$936,280			
Project Wickenby	\$275,000	\$275,000			\$550,000			
Aggressive Tax Planning	\$143,000	\$110,000	\$110,000	\$110,000	\$473,000			
Strengthening Foundations	\$33,220	\$33,550	\$33,880	\$34,210	\$134,860			
Level Playing Field		\$52,800			\$52,800			
Tax Time 2014	\$220,000				\$220,000			
Income Tax Return Integrity (pre-issue compliance)	\$94,600	\$85,800			\$180,400			
Women and super	\$119,900				\$119,900			
TOTAL	\$1,162,000	\$914,650	\$446,380	\$144,210	\$2,667,240			

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812. The ATO has spent \$93,766 (GST inclusive) on non-campaign advertising placement from 7 September to 30 November 2013.

## 813. & 814.

The ATO has the following non-campaign advertisement placement totalling \$108,075 (GST inclusive) planned from 30 November 2013 onwards.

Additional non-campaign advertising planned						
Non-campaign	30.11.13–2014	2014–15	TOTAL			
Graduate Program	\$53,339	\$53,900	\$107,239			
ATO shopfront notices	\$836	-	\$836			
TOTAL	\$54,175	\$53,900	\$108,075			

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