

Senate Economics Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: AOFM

Question: SBT 1533-1534

Topic: 1533-1534 - Media Monitoring

Reference: written - 30 October 2015

Senator: Wong, Penny

Question:

Since 1 January 2015:

1533. What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the Minister's office during the specified period?

- a) Which agency or agencies provided these services?
- b) What has been spent providing these services during the specified period?
- c) Itemise these expenses.

1534. What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the department/agency during the specified period?

- a) Which agency or agencies provided these services?
- b) What has been spent providing these services during the specified period?
- c) Itemise these expenses

Answer:

1533. Nil.

1534. The AOFM subscribed to various newspapers for media monitoring purposes. For the period 1 January 2015 to 30 October 2015, a total amount of \$9,832 was spent for this purpose.