

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2015 - 2016**

Outcome: Agency: ACARA

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ16-000499

Senator Ludwig, Joe provided in writing

ACARA: Printing

Question

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

1. How many documents (include the amount of copies) have been printed?
 - (a) How many of these printed documents were also published online?
2. Has the Department/Agency used external printing services for any print jobs?
 - (a) If so, what companies were used?
 - (b) How were they selected?
 - (c) What was the total cost of this printing by item?

Answer

The Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) has provided the following response for the period 14 September 2015 to 25 February 2016.

1. One document (printed as a government requirement) – *ACARA Annual Report 2014-15* (530 copies)
 - (a) One document - also published online *ACARA Annual Report 2014-15*
2. Yes
 - (a) Paragon Printing
 - (b) Following ACARA procurement process
 - (c) *ACARA Annual Report 2014-15* (530 copies): \$6,535 inc GST, \$12.33 per item.