Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE BUDGET ESTIMATES 2014

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Australian National Audit Office

Outcome/Program:

Topic: Government advertising

Senator: Ludwig

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Question:

- 1. How much has been spent on government advertising (including job ads) since Additional Estimates in February, 2014?
 - a) List each item of expenditure and cost
 - b) List the approving officer for each item
 - c) Detail the outlets that were paid for the advertising
- 2. What government advertising is planned for the rest of the financial year?
 - a) List the total expected cost
 - b) List each item of expenditure and cost
 - c) List the approving officer for each item
 - d) Detail the outlets that have been or will be paid for the advertising

Answer:

- Q1. The only advertising undertaken by the ANAO related to graduate recruitment. Advertising expenditure for the period 1 February 31 May 2014 was \$3,237. All recruitment activity has been placed through the Media Placement Agency (Adcorp) in line with the Department of Finance Guidelines on Non-Campaign Recruitment Advertising.
- Q2. No recruitment advertising is planned for the remainder of the financial year.