

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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**Topic:** Subscription TV

**Senator:** Senator the Hon Penny Wong

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**Question:**

Please provide details of all current departmental/agency subscription TV services including (a) provider (b) channels and (c) cost since 18 November 2013

**Answer:**

- (a) Foxtel and Department of Parliamentary Services.
- (b) Foxtel Channels include:
  - a. BBC World
  - b. CNN
  - c. Sky News Australia
  - d. Sports
  - e. Essentials

Parliamentary TV includes access to all channels provided by the Parliament House Monitoring system.

- (c) The total Departmental cost for Foxtel from 1 November 2013 through to 30 April 2014 is \$6,026 (GST exclusive).  
The total Departmental cost for Parliamentary TV from 1 November 2013 through to 30 April 2014 is \$3,405 (GST exclusive).