

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Committee:**  
**Answers to written Questions on Notice Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013–14**  
**Parliamentary Departments Portfolio**  
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**Department:** Parliamentary Budget Office

**Topic:** Media monitoring

**Senator:** Senator Ludwig

**Question reference number:** 81

**Type of question:** Written

**Question**

**What is the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the Minister's office from 7 September 2013 to date?**

- a. Which agency or agencies provided these services?**
- b. What is the estimated budget to provide these services for the year 2013–14?**
- c. What has been spent providing these services from 7 September 2013 to date?**

**Answer**

Not applicable.