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ITR 1	Tourism Australia	O'Brien	Page 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—Is it possible to get a breakdown of the staffing levels—the number per level—for those under the EBA? Mr Hopwood—It is approximately 100—I can give you that. Senator O'BRIEN—And which salary level they fit into. Mr Hopwood—By banding? Senator O'BRIEN—Yes. Mr Hopwood—I cannot give it to you now but I can take it on notice.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 2	DITR/Tourism Australia	O'Brien	Page 8 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—Is there a breakdown within the division that matches activity? You have given us a range of activities the division is engaged on. Is there a breakdown within the division that sorts people within those areas of work activity? Ms Murphy—There is. We have sections in the division that focus on particular aspects of work. Each section has a notional staffing level, but it is fairly fluid depending on where the demands are. I can provide you with a breakdown. I do not think I	Answer received 7/4/05

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				have it section by section, but I can certainly provide that on notice. Senator O'BRIEN—I would appreciate perhaps even graphically a description of how the division is structured, with some understanding of the staffing allocation within that structure. Ms Murphy—Certainly.	
ITR 3	Tourism Australia	O'Brien	Page 11 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—Can you give me some sort of breakdown of the cost of that domestic activity that we have just been describing—on notice? Mr Morrison—Are you asking about the public relations cost of us communicating to the industry about what we are doing? Senator O'BRIEN—I am looking for that as a component of your work. Obviously it is an important component and I am trying to understand within your overall budget how much of the budget it takes up. Mr Morrison—We could attempt to put a figure on that, if I understand the question correctly. Senator O'BRIEN—I am not going to hold you to precise dollars and cents, but some sort of reasonably indicative figure would be useful. I am not asking you to do a precise costing by hour of everyone's time, but if you could give us an indicative figure that would be useful. Without	Answer received 7/4/05

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				wanting to hold you to absolute precision, if you could give a figure that would be a good guide to what is being spent, that would be good. Mr Morrison—I would be happy to provide tha	
ITR 4	DITR/Tourism Australia	O'Brien	Pages 14-15 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—How has the budget for research changed with the move to Tourism Australia? Mr Hopwood—With the white paper initiative, \$3.9 million, or just under \$4 million, a year has been added to the former BTR budget. Senator O'BRIEN—How much of that has gone to the outsourced work and how much remains in house? Ms Murphy—I am happy to provide a broad overview of the budget breakdown for the white paper research and statistics budget as a whole. Senator O'BRIEN—I am happy for you to provide that on notice. I think we have a limited amount of time. Ms Murphy—Okay	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 5	DITR/Tourism Australia	O'Brien	Page 18 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—On Tourism Australia's web site there is reference to the issue of Ecotourism Australia and Green Globe certification. How many products and organisations in Australia have ecotourism accreditation and Green Globe	Answer received 7/4/05

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				certification? You will probably need to take that on	
				notice.	
				Mr Morrison —I will probably need to refer it to	
				the department also.	
				Senator O'BRIEN —I thought it was on Tourism	
				Australia's web site, but they may have done the	
				statistics.	
				Mr Morrison —It is an information provision. I will	
				refer to my departmental colleagues.	
				Ms Murphy —We would have to take that question	
				on notice, too.	
				Senator O'BRIEN—Okay.	
ITR 6	DITR/Tourism	O'Brien	Page 19	Senator O'BRIEN—Has a charter for the body	Answer
	Australia		16/2/05	been formally established?	received
				Ms Murphy —The body has a constitution.	7/4/05
				Senator O'BRIEN —Is that publicly available?	
				Ms Murphy —I would have to take that on notice.	
				Senator O'BRIEN —And can we have a copy if it	
				is not?	
				Ms Murphy—Yes.	
ITR 7	DITR/Tourism	O'Brien	Pages 19-20	Ms Murphy—In 2003-04 the department spent in	Answer
	Australia		16/2/05	the order of \$1.8 million on white paper related	received
				initiatives. I can break those down if you wish.	7/4/05
				Senator O'BRIEN—Perhaps you could do that on	
				notice.	
				Ms Murphy —Yes. From July 2004 to the end of	

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				December 2004 around \$3.1 million has been spent on white paper implementation. Senator O'BRIEN—How much is expected to be spent for the remainder of the financial year? Ms Murphy—I will have to take that on notice. I would expect it to be more than \$3 million for the remainder of the financial year.	
ITR 8	DITR/Tourism Australia	O'Brien	Pages 19-20 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—Are we able to get similar figures from Tourism Australia? Mr Morrison—As at the end of December, \$7.2 million had been spent on white paper initiatives. I should stress that that includes things like our international marketing and additional funds that were provided for those specific markets. The balance of \$37 million out of the white paper funding for those activities will be spent from January to June. Senator O'BRIEN—Is there any way I can find out what ATC spent prior to TA's creation? Perhaps the department could take that on notice. Someone must know. They were involved at some point prior to the establishment of Tourism Australia, weren't they? Ms Murphy—Previously they had some role there, yes. Mr Paterson—Given the change in legal status, I will take the question on notice from the	Answer received 7/4/05

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				department's perspective. We will work with TA to present you with the information for the previous financial year from ATC's perspective. Senator O'BRIEN—Thank you.	
ITR 9	DITR	O'Brien	Page 22 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—In the May estimates, I asked questions about the establishment of the aviation forum. At that time, I was told that the time line for its establishment had not been achieved but that Minister Anderson had agreed to establish the body and there had been a discussion with the Department of Transport and Regional Services to agree to likely terms of reference and modus operandi for the new body. It was hoped that it would be in place by last July. Is it? Ms Murphy—It is in place. It first met on 2 December last year. Senator O'BRIEN—Who are the members? Ms Murphy—It is currently co-chaired by this department and the Department of Transport and Regional Services. There are a lot of members. I am happy to provide you with the list on notice, if you would prefer. It is a long list. Senator O'BRIEN—That would be good. What are the terms of reference? You can provide that on notice if it is easier. Ms Murphy—I will provide that on notice too.	Answer received 7/4/05

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ITR 10-12	DITR	Lundy	Page 25 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY—Are those eligibility criteria something that the department would have signed off on or approved as part of the incubator's application for public funding? Mr Rymer—The department does not sign off on these, but they have to be consistent with the contractual arrangements that we have with the incubator. Senator LUNDY—So would those criteria have been made available to the department prior to this incident? Mr Rymer—I am not sure about that. Senator LUNDY—Can you take it on notice as to when you were made aware of the incubator's tenant criteria eligibility guidelines?	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 10-12	DITR	Lundy	Pages 25-26 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY—Are there any other commercial tenants or non-incubatee tenants within the Ballarat incubator? Mr Peel—There are two: the Australian Industry Group and the local Area Consultative Committee are accommodated in the building. I do not know precisely what rent they are paying. Senator LUNDY—Can you take that on notice.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 10-12	DITR	Lundy	Page 26 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY —So why was he not able to advise you who he was charging \$10 and \$12 a metre?	Answer received 7/4/05

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				Mr Peel—We did not ask him. Senator LUNDY—Can I suggest that you do and provide those answers to the committee.	
ITR 13-15	DITR	Lundy	Page 27 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY—Do you know whether board approval is required for tenants? Mr Peel—No. Senator LUNDY—You do not know, or it is not? Mr Peel—I do not know. Senator LUNDY—Can you take that on notice.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 13-15	DITR	Lundy	Page 29 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY—Can you provide the committee with all of the reports or compliance checks that have been performed by the department on the Ballarat small business incubator since its establishment in October 2001? Mr Peel—We will take that on notice.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 13-15	DITR	Lundy	Page 29 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY—Can you point me to any documentation the industry department may have which makes it clear that tenants other than small businesses fitting that description can be invited as tenants? Mr Peel—I can check that out for you. I will take it on notice. Senator LUNDY—I can tell you that my research has not shown up anything. That is why I asked that question. Mr Peel—Subject to checking, I doubt whether it is	Answer received 7/4/05

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				explicit. It is probably more that, if they cannot get other tenants, then it is quite appropriate that they fill vacant space with alternatives to ensure their viability. Senator LUNDY—So the criteria does not describe an alternative other than an eligible small business? Mr Peel—It would talk about them as commercial tenants, I would think. Senator LUNDY—You think it refers to commercial tenants? Mr Peel—I think so. But as I said I will have to check	
ITR 16-17	DITR	Lundy	Pages 30-31 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY—I am talking generally. We do not know what other incubators are charging. Mr Peel—They would charge commercial rates to non-incubation tenants to augment their income for the vacant space. Senator LUNDY—How do you know that? Mr Peel—That is a practice they undertake. We would have to go and check every single incubator and every single tenant to be absolutely sure. Senator LUNDY—I think that might be a good idea, so could you take that on notice. I would like you to provide all the details of all the tenants in all the incubators and their rent. Senator LUNDY—Can you take on notice dating	Answer received 7/4/05

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ITR 18	DITR	Campbell	Pages 34-35	back to the year 2000 each of the small business incubators and their funding allocations, identifying if they were in increments, which is what we have seen with the Ballarat incubator. Mr Peel—So you want a list of all the incubators and details of their individual funding arrangements? Senator LUNDY—Yes and, as I said previously, I want to know the tenants, the duration of the tenancies and their rent. Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—Is it possible,	Answer
11110	DITK	Campoen	16/2/05	Mr McCarthy, to have a list of all the parties that are consulted made available to the committee? Mr McCarthy—Absolutely. We already have a list of submissions that we can provide to you, and we will be collecting the names of interested parties that turn up at the public consultations as we go through those, so by the time they are completed we will be able to provide you with a complete list. Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—I would appreciate it if you could make those available to us. Mr McCarthy—That is fine.	received 7/4/05
ITR 19	DITR	Campbell	Page 42 16/2/05	Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—Has the department been involved in the preparation of the Prime Minister's visit to China in April? Mr Miley—Not in any—I would have to check; I	Answer received 7/4/05

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				am not sure	
ITR 20	DITR	Lundy	Page 45 16/2/05	Senator LUNDY—In terms of previous free trade agreements, for example with the US and Thailand, were feasibility studies conducted into those agreements? Mr Miley—For Thailand, yes, but I do not think so for the United States. I would have to check that.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 21	DITR	Campbell	Page 53 16/2/05	Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—But there is a restriction, is there? Mr Hartwell—As I said, there is a geographic restriction and there are some restrictions in terms of it being made available to a competitor. We will provide you with some more precise details on that. Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—Thank you. Do you have any legal advice as to just what is the status of that licence? Mr Hartwell—Yes. Certainly, as a part of these negotiations, we have used the services of the Australian Government Solicitor in negotiating the arrangements that I referred to earlier—that is, in a sense, getting back some of the money that had been held in escrow as part of the arrangements that were originally announced. I do not have that legal advice with me, but we will go back and check it and provide the information that you might seek.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 22-23	DITR	O'Brien	Page 61	Senator O'BRIEN —Do they have a time by which	Answer

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			16/2/05	they need to commercialise the project? Mr Hartwell—The gas reserves that apply to the Gorgon joint venture are covered by a number of leases. I cannot precisely tell you all the time lines on those, but we could certainly provide you with that information. Senator O'BRIEN—I would appreciate it if you could do that	received 7/4/05
ITR 22-23	DITR	O'Brien	Page 61 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—So there have been no variations of those terms. Mr Hartwell—I would have to take that on notice, but I am not aware at this point that there have been any significant variations.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 24-25	NOPSA	O'Brien	Page 64 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—What is its staffing level? Mr Hartwell—I cannot answer that precisely. That is one we will have to take on notice.	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 24-25	NOPSA	O'Brien	Page 65 16/2/05	Senator O'BRIEN—Can you provide us with a list of facilities covered under the NOPSA regime? Mr Hartwell—We can do that	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 26	NOPSA	O'Brien	Page 65 16/2/05	Mr Hartwell—NOPSA intends to work collaboratively with those organisations as appropriate. At the moment NOPSA is in the process of drawing up memorandums of understanding with those agencies so that their roles and responsibilities are precisely defined and so that, when you may get blurring, they have a	Answer received 7/4/05

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ITR 27-28	DITR	Harradine	Page 69	working arrangement. Senator O'BRIEN—Would we expect that to be completed shortly? Mr Hartwell—I would need to take some advice on this, but I think most of those memorandums of understanding have already been completed. Senator O'BRIEN—Are they publicly available? Could the committee be supplied with copies of those? Mr Hartwell—I would need to take that on advice. Obviously, there are two parties involved, so if they were to be made public it would not only be NOPSA who would have to approve it but the other party as well. Senator HARRADINE—Could I have a copy of	Answer
			16/2/05	all of the address? Could the committee have the notes for the address? Ms Hartland—I do not know whether there were actual notes, and part of this presentation—as I think was also said in the answers to you on the questions on notice—was also presented in tandem with a number of people. So I think that some of this presentation was also presented by other people. Senator HARRADINE—I noted that. Ms Hartland—We can go back and see whether there are notes to go with it. I think we have already	received 7/4/05

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				said that, in terms of the part of the presentation that Craig gave, there were no notes attached to it, so he spoke to the PowerPoint presentation without them.	
ITR 27-28	DITR	Harradine	Pages 71-72 16/2/05	Senator HARRADINE—Could you provide the committee with the source upon which Mr Cormick made those statements? Ms Hartland—Yes, Senator, we can provide the background to that. Senator HARRADINE—So you will provide me with the details of all the sources in respect of all the statements that were made by Mr Cormick in his presentation? Ms Hartland—Yes, we can do that Senator HARRADINE—Could the officers provide the committee with the basis and the particular sources of all that is in this particular program? Ms Hartland—Yes, I think we have already agreed that we can do that Senator HARRADINE—Could you provide us with a copy of what survey groups you are talking about— Ms Hartland—Certainly, and numbers and who carried that out et cetera—yes.	Answer received 7/4/05

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				Senator HARRADINE—and how they were run	
				and so on.	
				Ms Hartland —Yes, we can do that.	
ITR 29	DITR	Harradine	Pages 71-72	Senator HARRADINE—Were the American	Answer
			16/2/05	embryonic stem cells found to be problematic?	received
				Ms Hartland—I will have to take that on notice,	7/4/05
				because I am not sure what you are referring to	
				there.	
ITR 30	DITR	Campbell	Pages 79-80	Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—I suggest to	Answer
			16/2/05	you that those figures are correct. Does the	received
				department have the costs of distribution in other	7/4/05
				industries, on average, and how this figure sits in	
				comparison with other industries?	
				Mr Paterson—Not that I am aware of, and I do not	
				think you would be able to draw any meaningful	
				conclusion from any such set of numbers.	
				Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—I think you	
				could draw a very significant conclusion about the	
				level of overservicing by pharmacies. Can I ask you	
				to take that on notice?	
				Mr Paterson —I do not know what you are asking	
				us to take on notice. Do we have the numbers? The	
				answer is no.	
				Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—I am asking	
				you to take on notice any analyses of the costs of	
				distribution in other industries.	

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ITR 31	DITR	Campbell	Page 80	Mr Paterson—If my assumption is correct and the answer remains no? Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—If your assumption is correct and the answer remains no, then there will be no response. Mr Paterson—Correct. Senator GEORGE CAMPBELL—What	Answer
			16/2/05	percentage would they represent of the groups that were consulted? Mr Peel—I do not think we have any figures on that	received 7/4/05
ITR 32	DITR	Campbell	N/A - Written Question on Notice	1. With the introduction of Backing Australia's Ability 2 the Department has announced that it will extend and enhance AusIndustry's Regional Office Network. What form will this extension and enhancement take?	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 33	DITR	Campbell	N/A - Written Question on Notice	Page 19 of the Department's Annual report claims that the Department has attracted 62 new investments valued at \$7.8 Billion and potentially creating or safeguarding 5,859 jobs and generating \$840 million in export earnings. Can you list these investments for us and where these jobs have been safeguarded?	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 34	DITR	Campbell	N/A - Written Question on Notice	At the June 2004 estimates hearings officers of the Department mentioned that the ABS was in the process of undertaking an innovation survey and	Answer received 7/4/05

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				that the Department was working closely with the Productivity Commission to look more closely at the links between R&D and economic growth in Australia. Are these projects now complete?	
ITR 35-36	DITR	Campbell	N/A - Written Question on Notice	1. On page 55 of the 2003-04 DITR Annual Report it mentions that the Department has undertaken a consultation process to enhance COMET, including increasing reach to regional areas and research institutions. Has this consultation process been completed? Can we see a copy of any this COMET evaluation? What came out of the process?	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 35-36	DITR	Campbell	N/A - Written Question on Notice	2. In 2003-04 assisted 286 customers. In 2002-03 the program assisted 406 customers. Why the huge drop off in customers assisted?	Answer received 7/4/05
ITR 37 ITR 38 ITR 39-40 ITR 41-42 ITR 43	DITR	Campbell	N/A - Written Question on Notice	Innovation Access Program: 1. What is the current status of the Department's range of Action Agendas? 2. What initiatives stemming from Action Agendas are currently utilising Innovation Access Program funding? 3. Which elements of the Innovation Access Program have been subsumed into the Commercial Ready program and which elements haven't?	Answer received 7/4/05

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				4. What was the result of the evaluation of the	
				intelligent manufacturing systems component of the Innovation Access Program? Can we see a copy of the evaluation?	
				5. Did Departmental officers put a proposal to the Minister in 2004 seeking \$56.7 million over a four-year period to support 10 industry wide innovation projects because they were concerned at the axing of the Innovation Access Program?	
				6. Have industry associations expressed concerns to the Department at the axing of the Innovation Access Program? What consultation with industry bodies took place before the decision was made to axe the Innovation Access Program?	
				7. What Departmental programs are now available to finance projects resulting from Action Agendas?	
ITR 44-46 ITR47	DITR	Campbell	N/A - Written Question on Notice	Industry Cooperative Innovation Program (ICIP):	Answer received
				1. What is the difference between the ICIP and the Innovation Access Program?	7/4/05
				2. Will funds be shifted from any other	

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				Departmental program to finance the ICIP? 3. The ICIP discussion paper indicates that this program will be worth \$25 million over six years. Is this still correct? 4. What will be the staffing arrangements for ICIP?	
ITR 48 ITR 49-51 ITR 52 ITR 53 ITR 54	DITR	O'Brien	N/A - Written Question on Notice	 Tourism Australia came into being on July 2004. Can you provide details for the committee on: The budget for the organisation – and its breakdown between operational spending and internal costs The staff levels, by level, geographic location and function How this compares with its predecessor (the Australian Tourist Commission) Has the Department done any assessment on the impact of the APEC meeting on the Australian tourism industry? Has any assessment been undertaken as to the likely impact on the Australian tourism industry as a result of the Commonwealth Games? Has the Department or Tourism Australian been 	Answer received 7/4/05

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No.				given a budget supplement to capture the flow-on benefits from these events? 5. What tourism projects were announced by the Government during the course of the election campaign? At what cost? What programs will these projects be funded out of? 6. Is the Department undertaking any activities in relation to skills development in the tourism sector? Does the Department undertake any skills surveys in the industry? Does a skills shortage exist in the industry, as it does in other industries? If, so in what occupations and locations? 7. What ministerial councils and other consultative	
ITR 55 and ITR 60	DITR, Geoscience Australia,	Carr	N/A - Written Question on Notice	committees (including officials meetings) exist in the tourism sector? When did these groups last meet? Can you provide dates for planned meetings of these groups for this year? Please provide a table listing details of all consultancies for the 2003/04 financial year, for the department and all associated agencies. Please	Answer received 7/4/05
	IP Australia, and Tourism Australia (ITR60)			 include the following: The costs for all completed consultancies, both budgeted and actual; The costs for ongoing consultancies, both 	

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				budgeted and for the current financial year;	
				• The total costs for all consultancies, both the	
				amount expended in the current financial	
				year, and the total budgeted value of all	
				consultancies running in the current financial	
				year;	
				• The nature and purpose of the consultancy;	
				 The method by which the contract was let; 	
				• The name and details of the company and/or	
				individual who is carrying out, or carried	
				out, the contract.	
ITR56	Tourism	O'Brien	Page 6	Senator O'BRIEN —Can you tell me where its	Answer
	Australia		16/2/05	staff are located and how many staff are in each	received
				area?	12/5/05
				Mr Hopwood—Do you want me to go through	
				every country overseas or shall I just call Asia?	
				Senator O'BRIEN —I would prefer the countries.	
				Mr Hopwood —I will have to come back to you in	
				relation to the specific countries	
ITR57	Tourism	O'Brien	Page 10	Senator O'BRIEN —Who has the advertising	Answer
	Australia		16/2/05	contract for Australia at the moment?	received
				Mr Morrison—George Patterson Bates.	12/5/05
				Senator O'BRIEN —What about the overseas	
				work?	
				Mr Morrison—We have a range of agencies	
				around the world.	

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				Senator O'BRIEN—Could you supply that on	
				notice.	
				Mr Morrison—We can, yes.	
ITR58	Tourism	O'Brien	Page 12	Senator O'BRIEN —So what did shooting the	Answer
	Australia		16/2/05	different images and reproducing the ads cost the	received
				organisation?	12/5/05
				Mr Morrison —In response to the question from the	
				previous estimates, I understand a total figure for	
				the entire campaign was \$2.8 million. That was	
				advised in the written response to the question. That	
				is the total cost of the campaign's creative	
				production.	
				Senator O'BRIEN —I am asking about the extra	
				work.	
				Mr Morrison—I can get you the figure, but the	
				vast majority was done in the original filming,	
				which predominantly accounted for the \$2.8 million	
				Senator O'BRIEN —I am given to understand that	
				there was an offer from the New South Wales	
				minister, Sandra Nori, to share costs of some	
				advertising imagery between Tourism Australia and	
				the New South Wales government. Could you	
				outline for the committee what correspondence and	
				discussions took place with the New South Wales	
I				government minister or department in relation to	
				sharing the costs of producing imagery?	

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				Mr Morrison—I am happy to table any	
				correspondence that we have as a follow-up.	
ITR59	DITR	Lundy	Pages 30-31	Senator LUNDY—Would you know of that	Answer
			16/2/05	number how many were not incubatory companies	received
				and how many were commercial tenants?	12/5/05
				Mr Peel —We would have to take that on notice.	
				Senator LUNDY —Do you have figures on the	
				occupancy rate of small businesses within the	
				incubators?	
				Mr Peel —We would have to take that on notice.	
				We do not have that here.	
				Senator LUNDY —If you could take that on notice	
				as well as the occupancy rate for each incubator—so	
				break it down. I have a series of questions which	
				you will need to take on notice. Could you include	
				in the data how long each tenant has been in the	
				incubator—specifically if any federal government or	
				quasi-government agencies or any bodies receiving	
				federal government funding are tenants in any of	
				these incubators—and of course their rent, for	
				which I have asked for everything. Thank you	