Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Additional Estimates 2013-14, February 2014

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of National Assessments

Outcome/Program: 1 **Topic:** Media Monitoring

Senator: Senator Ludwig

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Question:

- 1. 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 has been spent providing these services from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - c. Itemise these expenses.

ONA Response:

- a. N/A
- b. Nil
- c. N/A

Question:

- 2. What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the department/agency from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - a. Which agency or agencies provided these services?
 - b. What has been spent providing these services from 7 September 2013 to date?
 - c. Itemise these expenses.

ONA Response:

- a. Australian Associated Press Pty Ltd (AAP)
- b. Total spend from 7 September 2013 to 28 February 2014 is \$18,140.78
- c. \$18,140.78