

Question on notice no. 106

Portfolio question number: 106

2018-19 Budget estimates

**Environment and Communications Committee, Communications and the Arts
Portfolio**

Senator Anne Urquhart: asked the NBN Co. Ltd on 23 May 2018—

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() How many metres of new copper has NBN purchased to date (12 June 2018) ?

Answer —

In answer to Question on Notice 171 from the Senate Estimates hearing in October 2017, nbn reported that 16,600 km of cable had been purchased, primarily to make the connection between node cabinets and pillars. Since that time, an additional 4,478 km has been purchased.