

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

Additional Estimates 2013 - 2014, 26 February 2014

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OUTCOME: 0 - Whole of Portfolio

Topic: Printing

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: Ludwig Joe

Question:

1. How many documents (include the amount of copies) have been printed from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date?
 - a) How many of these printed documents were also published online?
2. Did the Department/agency use external printing services for any print jobs since 7 September 2013?
 - a) If so, what companies were used?
 - b) How were they selected?
 - c) What was the total cost of this printing?

Answer:

1. and 2.

Information is not readily available regarding the number of documents and printed quantities. To compile this information would be a highly resource intensive process which the Department of Health is not currently in a position to undertake.

The majority of printed publications produced by the Department and Portfolio Agencies are also made available online.

Printing companies are procured from the Department of Human Services interdepartmental procurement agreement.