Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

Additional Estimates Hearings February 2016

Communications Portfolio

Department of Communications and the Arts

Question No: 183(a)

Program 1.1

Hansard Ref: Written, 19/02/2016

Topic: Commissioned Report

Senator Ludwig, Joe asked:

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

- 1. How many reports (including paid external advice) have been commissioned by the Minister, department or agency?
 - (a) Please provide details of each report including date commissioned, date report handed to Government, date of public release, Terms of Reference and Committee members.
- 2. How much did each report cost/or is estimated to cost? How many departmental or external staff were involved in each report and at what level?
- 3. What is the current status of each report? When is the Government intending to respond to these reports?

Answer:

- 1. No reports have been commissioned by the Minister or the Department since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September 2015.
- 2. N/A
- 3. N/A