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Question No: 187(h)

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Hansard Ref: Written, 19/02/2016

Topic: Media subscriptions

Senator Ludwig, Joe asked:

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

1. What pay TV subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - (a) Please provide a list of channels and the reason for each channel.
 - (b) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?
 - (c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - (d) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?
2. What newspaper subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - (a) Please provide a list of newspaper subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - (b) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?
 - (c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - (d) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?
3. What magazine subscriptions does your department/agency have?
 - (a) Please provide a list of magazine subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - (b) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?
 - (c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - (d) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?
4. What publications does your department/agency purchase?
 - (a) Please provide a list of publications purchased by the department and the reason for each.
 - (b) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?
 - (c) What is provided to the Minister or their office?
 - (d) What has been the cost of this package/s during the specified period?

Answer:

1. Foxtel x 2 to assist in teaching/training in the film and television fields
 - (a) Business Premium Package plus Premium Movies
 - (b) \$1,360
 - (c) not applicable
 - (d) not applicable.
- 2.

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- (a) Sydney Morning Herald x 3, The Australian x 2, Australian Financial Review x 1, Daily Telegraph x 1, Sun Herald x 1. Newspapers provided to AFTRS Library for staff, students and the public, and to a limited number of teaching and executive staff to enable them to be informed of current events.
 - (b) \$611
 - (c) not applicable
 - (d) not applicable.
3. see answer to part 4
- 4.
- (a) AFTRS has print subscriptions (some of which are magazines) for the following publications
 - American Cinematographer
 - Animation Journal
 - Animation Magazine
 - Audio Technology
 - Australian Cinematographer
 - AV Magazine
 - Cineaste
 - Cinefex
 - Cinema Technology
 - Costume Designer
 - Empire
 - Filmink
 - Filmmaker
 - Hollywood Reporter
 - ICG : International Cinematographer Guild
 - Inside Film (IF)
 - Lapham's Quarterly
 - Limelight
 - Live Design
 - Metro
 - Mix
 - Screen

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Screen International

Sight and Sound

Stage, Screen & Radio

Television

The Wire

TV Week

Variety

AFTRS also has numerous online subscriptions. AFTRS maintains an educational library. Providing further detail would be an unreasonable diversion of resources.

- (a) \$1,973
- (b) not applicable
- (c) not applicable.