Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice Additional Estimates Hearings February 2016 Communications Portfolio Australian Broadcasting Corporation

Question No: 48

Australian Broadcasting Corporation Hansard Ref: Written, 12/02/2016

Topic: Presence outside capital cities

Senator Abetz, Eric asked:

1. In how many places (please provide a list) does the ABC have a physical presence outside of capital cities?

Answer:

The ABC Regional has offices in:

Cairns	Port Macquarie	Bendigo	Esperance
Townsville	Tamworth	Ballarat	Kalgoorlie
Mount Isa	Dubbo	Warrnambool	Albany
Mackay	Muswellbrook	Horsham	Bunbury
Longreach	Newcastle	Mildura	Geraldton
Rockhampton	Orange	Burnie	Karratha
Bundaberg	Wollongong	Launceston	Broome
Sunshine Coast	Wagga	Renmark	Kununurra
Toowoomba	Bega	Broken Hill	Katherine
Gold Coast	Wodonga	Mount Gambier	Alice Springs
Lismore	Shepparton	Port Pirie	
Coffs Harbour	Sale	Port Lincoln	

As well as the 46 ABC Regional division offices, the Radio division maintains an office in Gosford and there are home based news reporters located in Port Augusta and Nowra.

In total the ABC has a presence in 49 locations outside of the capital cities.