

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

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Communications Portfolio

Department of Communications and the Arts

Question No: 15

Department of Communications and the Arts

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Topic: Base Station selection process

Senator Urquhart, Anne asked:

What was the process for selecting the base stations that were funded under Round 2 and how did the points system work in conjunction with the sites selected by the telecommunications companies?

Answer:

Full details of the selection process and assessment criteria for the base stations funded under round 2 of the Mobile Black Spot Program are set out in the Mobile Black Spot Program round 2 Guidelines, which are available on the Department's website, www.communications.gov.au/mobile_coverage.