

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

Additional Estimates Hearing February 2017

Communications Portfolio

NBN Co Limited

Question No: 199

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Hansard Ref: Written, 14/03/2017

Topic: Media training this financial year

Senator Urquhart, Anne asked:

1. In relation to media training services purchased by each NBN Co, please provide the following information for this financial year to date:
 - (a) Total spending on these services
 - (b) The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification
 - (c) The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
 - (d) The names of all service providers engaged
2. For each service purchased from a provider listed under (1d), please provide:
 - (a) The name and nature of the service purchased
 - (b) Whether the service is one-on-one or group based
 - (c) The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
 - (d) The total number of hours involved for all employees (please provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
 - (e) The total amount spent on the service
 - (f) A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package)
3. Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:
 - (a) The location used
 - (b) The number of employees who took part on each occasion
 - (c) The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)
 - (d) Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location

Answer:

1.
 - (a) \$6,350 as at 29 March 2017.
 - (b) Training is provided as needed
 - (c) 8. nbn staff are not subject to APS classifications.
 - (d) XLB Media and Reputation Australia

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2.

- (a) Media training
- (b) Combination of both
- (c) XLB media: 1; Reputation Australia: 7.
- (d) XLB Media: 3 hours; Reputation Australia: approximately 10 hours.
- (e) XLB Media: \$2,750; Reputation Australia: \$3,600
- (f) Complete package.

3. Not Applicable.