

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications**

**Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice**

**Additional Estimates Hearings June 2014**

**Communications Portfolio**

**Special Broadcasting Service**

**Question No: 365**

**Program No. SBS**

**Hansard Ref: In Writing**

**Topic: SBS Budget**

**Senator Dastyari asked:**

1. Can you provide the WACI indexes applicable to SBS for last year and the year before?
2. Was the figure below CPI?

**Answer:**

1. The WACI that SBS is provided from government is the WCI6 index. The figure for 2013/14 was 1.8%. The figure for 2012/13 was 2.4%
2. Yes, the WCI6 results were below CPI in both years.