

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Question: BET 522-524

Topic: Media Subscriptions

Written: 17 June 2013

Senator BUSHBY asked:

522. What pay TV subscriptions does your department/agency have?
- Please provide a list of what channels and the reason for each channel.
 - What is the cost for this financial year to date?
523. What newspaper subscriptions does your department/agency have?
- Please provide a list of newspaper subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - What is the cost for this financial year to date?
524. What magazine subscriptions does your department/agency have?
- Please provide a list of magazine subscriptions and the reason for each.
 - What is the cost for this financial year to date?

Answer:

522. ASIC subscribes to the Foxtel Business Information and Sport package to receive stock market updates. This is a bundled subscription that is the cheapest package meeting ASIC's business needs for access to the key news channels.
- The Foxtel Business Information and Sport Package contains the following channels:
BBC World News , Bloomberg, CNBC, CCTV News, Comedy, Comedy2, TVSN Shopping, Expo, Fox Sports 1, Fox Sports 2, Fox Sports 3, Fox Sports Plus, ESPN, ESPN2, Eurosport, Speed, Fox Sport News, Eurosport News, Fuel TV, Main Event, Sky News, Sky Business, Sky Weather, Fox News, CNN, Discovery, Discovery +2, A-Pac. Response 357 above sets out the reason for this package.
 - The cost for PayTV subscriptions year to date (31 May 2013) is \$5,940 (GST exclusive).
523. ASIC subscribes to the following newspapers to keep abreast of current affairs and to monitor financial services advertising:
- The list of national newspaper subscriptions is as follows:
Australian Financial Review
Canberra Times
Centralian Advocate
Courier Mail
Financial Times
Gold Coast Bulletin
Herald Sun

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Katherine Times
Koori Mail
Northern Territory NEWS
Sydney Morning Herald
Tennant Creek Times
Territorian Regional
The Advertiser
The Age
The Australian
The Daily Telegraph
The Examiner
The Mercury
The West Australian
Western Australia Business News

- b. The cost for newspapers subscriptions year to date (31 May 2013) is \$116,265 (GST exclusive).
524. ASIC subscribes to the professional and business print journals and magazines that contain current industry news as well as commentary, case studies, and industry reports.
- a. The following professional and business print journals and magazines provide a forum for ASIC professionals to keep up to date with current issues and developments in the specialised areas of ASIC's responsibility. Magazines subscribed to cover relevant subject areas including: Corporations and Securities Law, Business, Financial Markets, Regulation, Accounting, Consumer Protection, Superannuation.

AFR Smart Investor
Asset
Australia's Mining Monthly
Australian Corporate Lawyer
Australian Insolvency Journal
Australian Property Investor
Business Review Weekly
Business Week
Capital Markets Law Journal
Charter
Choice Magazine
Clarity
Commercial Law Quarterly
Company Director
Connexus: Australian Credit Unions Magazine
Delaware Journal of Corporate Law
Economist
Financial Regulation International
Financial Regulatory Briefing
Government Gazette Notices
Harvard Business Law Review

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In The Black (CPA Australia)
Independent Financial Adviser (IFA)
Institutional Investor
Insurance & Risk Professional
International Financial Law Review
Investment
Jassa (Journal of Applied Finance)
Journal of Financial Crime (Emerald Group)
Journal of Financial Regulation & Compliance (Emerald Group)
Keeping Good Companies
Koori Mail
Law Society of West Australian Brief
Money Magazine
Money Management
New Wealth Creator
Resource Stocks
Securities Regulation & Law Report
Super Review
Superfunds
Training & Development
World Securities Law Report
Your Money Weekly

b. The cost for this financial year to date (31 May 2013) was \$17,429.38 (GST Exclusive).