

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017**

Agency - Australian Building and Construction Commission

Department of Employment Question No. EMSQ17-001568

Senator Bilyk provided in writing.

Question

ABCC - Media monitoring

How much did the ABCC spend on media monitoring during calendar year 2016, expressed as a GST inclusive figure? Can a list of all Contract Notice IDs for the Austender website in relation to media monitoring contracts please be provided?

Answer

In calendar year 2016 the ABCC (and FWBC before it) incurred \$32,549 (incl of GST) for media monitoring.

Refer Austender CN3387639 Meltwater Australia Pty Ltd contract from 1 December 2016 to 30 November 2017 for \$11,000 incl GST. Other media monitoring expenses were not required to be entered on Austender as the individual transactions were under the reporting threshold.