Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee — Budget Estimates Hearing—May 2017

Answers to Questions on Notice

Parliamentary departments, Department of Parliamentary Services

Topic: Paid Tour 2016-17

Question: 85

Written: Senator Kitching

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What is the expected number of paid tours offered in the 2016/17 year? What is the expected number of free tours offered in the 2016/17 year?

Answer

Tours are offered on an ongoing basis – both unpaid and paid.

Additional special tours are offered during the year, for example paid tours during Floriade and Enlighten.

We expect an increase in the level of both free and paid tours in 2016-17.

As of 31 May 2017, 1,091 paid tours have been offered for visitors to APH and 1,840 free tours have been offered for visitors to APH.