

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Senator: Senator the Hon Penny Wong

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Question: Please provide details of all current departmental/agency subscription TV services including (a) provider (b) channels and (c) cost since 18 September 2013

Answer: Indigenous Portfolio body responses are provided below:

Portfolio Body	Answer
Aboriginal Hostels Limited	AHL does not pay for subscription TV series. However, staff who live on site can purchase subscription TV services for use in their rooms.
Anindilyakwa Land Council	Nil
Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies	Nil
Central Land Council	Nil
Indigenous Business Australia	Nil
Indigenous Land Corporation	The ILC has no subscription TV services. The ILC's wholly owned subsidiaries Voyages Indigenous Tourism Australia (Voyages) and National Centre of Indigenous Excellence Ltd (NCIE) do have subscription services for use by guests/gym members at Ayers Rock Resort and Home Valley Station, and at NCIE in Redfern NSW.
Outback Stores Pty Ltd	Outback Stores Pty Ltd has 36 Foxtel/Austar services for use in Store Manager remote housing. Channels include Entertainment, Movies & More, ShowTime, History, ABC 1, ACC, Discovery, NITV, National Geographic, SBS1, CI. The total cost for the period 18 September 2013 to 31 October 2013 is \$3,783.
Torres Strait Regional Authority	The TSRA does not subscribe to any subscription TV services.
Wreck Bay Aboriginal Community Council	Nil