

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Resources, Energy and Tourism Portfolio

Additional Estimates

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Question: AR15

Topic: Tourism Industry

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Senator Ronaldson asked:

20. Potential Tourism Research Australia Project Income

Would Tourism Research Australia benefit from being allowed to generate some of its own income through undertaking projects for private interests (providing that its core project deliverables were completed first)?

Answer:

Tourism Research Australia is focussed on its key objective to provide sound economic advice to government and industry in support of the sustainable development of the tourism industry. This includes statistics, research and analysis to support industry development, policy development and marketing for the Australian tourism industry.