

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Budget Estimates

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Question No: BET 177

Topic: Media Subscriptions

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Senator Bushby asked:

1. If your department or agencies within your portfolio subscribe to pay TV (for example Foxtel) please advise the cost to date this financial year.
2. If your department or agencies within your portfolio subscribe to newspapers please advise the cost to date this financial year.
3. If your department or agencies within your portfolio subscribe to magazines please advise the cost to date this financial year.

Answer:

1. The Treasury subscribes to six news channels from Foxtel. The cost to date for the financial year 2010-11 is \$18,920.
2. The cost of newspaper subscriptions to date for the financial year 2010-11 is \$25,892.
3. The cost of magazine subscriptions to date for the financial year 2010-11 is \$6,555.