

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2013-2014**

Agency - Fair Work Building & Construction

Department of Employment Question No. EM0209_14

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

FWBC - Media Subscriptions

1. What pay TV subscriptions does your department/agency have? a) Please provide a list of what channels and the reason for each channel. b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date? c) What is provided to the Minister or their office? d) What is the cost for this from 7 September 2013 to date? 2. What newspaper subscriptions does your department/agency have? a) Please provide a list of newspaper subscriptions and the reason for each. b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date? c) What is provided to the Minister or their office? d) What is the cost for this from 7 September 2013 to date? 3. What magazine subscriptions does your department/agency have? a) Please provide a list of magazine subscriptions and the reason for each. b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date? c) What is provided to the Minister or their office? d) What is the cost for this from 7 September 2013 to date? 4. What publications does your department/agency purchase? a) Please provide a list of publications purchased by the department and the reason for each. b) What is the cost from 7 September 2013 to date? c) What is provided to the Minister or their office? d) What is the cost for this from 7 September 2013 to date?

Answer

FWBC has the Foxtel Business premium Package, which has cost \$1,711 since 7 September 2013.

Fox 1 Sport	Included in package
Fox 2 Sport	Included in package
Fox 3 Sport	Included in package
Fox Footy	Included in package
ESPN	Included in package
ESPN2	Included in package
Speed	Included in package
Sky News National	Used for media monitoring
Sky News Local	Used for media monitoring
Sky News Business	Used for media Monitoring
Sky News Weather	Included in package
BBC World	Included in package
CNN	Included in package
Bloomberg	Included in package
Fox News	Included in package
CNBC	Included in package

a-Pac	Used for Parliamentary Proceedings
Alajazeera	Included in package
CCTV News	Included in package
National Geographic	Included in package
Nat Geo Wild	Included in package
Discovery	Included in package
Nat GEO People	Included in package
SCI	Included in package
TLC	Included in package
Home health	Included in package
Animal planet	Included in package
A&E	Included in package
Knowledge	Included in package
History	Included in package
Crime Investigation	Included in package
CCTV 9	Included in package
NHK World	Included in package
Max	Included in package
V	Included in package
CMC	Included in package
MTV Music	Included in package
MTV Dance	Included in package
Smooth	Included in package
Nickelodean	Included in package
Nick jr	Included in package
CN	Included in package
Boomerang	Included in package
cBeebies	Included in package
Disney	Included in package
Disney Junior	Included in package
Lifestyle	Included in package
Fox 8	Included in package
SOHO	Included in package
BBC UKTV	Included in package

FWBC has 10 newspapers subscriptions, which has cost \$3,578 since 7 September 2013.

FWBC is subscribed to:

- Australian Financial Review;
- The Age;
- The Australian;
- Herald Sun;
- West Australian;
- The Advertiser;
- Courier Mail;
- Daily Telegraph;
- Sydney Morning Herald; and
- Mercury.

FWBC subscribes to the Harvard Business Review and Construction Industry News magazines. FWBC has not been required to pay for these subscriptions since 7 September 2013.

FWBC purchases three publications for the purpose media monitoring and industry information. These have cost \$8,467 since 7 September 2013 and include:

- Workplace Express;
- Thomson Reuters – Legal; and
- Thomson Reuters – Workforce.