## Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012

## Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

**Department/Agency: Australian Electoral Commission** 

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**Topic: Coastal Voice Community Group Inc.** 

**Senator: Ronaldson** 

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## **Question:**

Senator Ronaldson asked the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) when did the Coastal Voice Community Group Inc. (Coastal Voice) stop operating?

## **Answer:**

As was indicated in the previous response given by the AEC to Senator Ronaldson on this matter and in the information published on the AEC's website at <a href="http://www.aec.gov.au/Parties\_and\_Representatives/compliance/AEC\_Advice/2010-nov-coastal-voice.htm">http://www.aec.gov.au/Parties\_and\_Representatives/compliance/AEC\_Advice/2010-nov-coastal-voice.htm</a>, the evidence available to the AEC is that Coastal Voice was registered by the NSW Office of Fair Trading in May 2006. The AEC has no direct evidence of when Coastal Voice stopped operating. However, the AEC has not been able to identify any activities or publications issued by Coastal Voice after the November 2007 general election.