

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio**

**Department of Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government**

**Budget Estimates 25 May 2011**

**Question: 92**

**Topic: Media Monitoring**

**Asked By: Senator FIFIELD**

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- a) What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the Department and its agencies in FYTD?
- b) Which agency or agencies provided these services?

**Answer:**

- a) To May 2011, the total cost of media monitoring services was \$387,571.34. This includes services provided to the Department and the Minister's Office.
- b) Media Monitors Pty Ltd