

**Question 3: Department of the Senate – Senator Kroger**

**3. Senator Kroger asked about the breakdown of the allocation of newspapers to senators at Parliament House**

It has been longstanding practice to provide newspapers to senators when they are in Parliament House.

This is in addition to the amount of \$4,870 per annum that senators are entitled to spend on publications under the Parliamentary Entitlements Act 1990 which may only be used at the electorate office.

All senators may have three newspapers provided when they are at parliament house. In addition, office-holders may request additional newspapers and magazines. These requests are considered on a case by case basis and have generally been agreed to.