

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

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Supplementary Budget Estimates 18-21 October 2010

**Question: PM119**

**Asked By: Senator Abetz**

**Topic: Discretionary Grants**

**Type of Question: Written**

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- a) **Could the Department provide a list of all discretionary grants, including ad hoc and one-off grants since Budget Estimates 2010? Please provide details of the recipients, the intended use of the grants and what locations have benefited from the grants.**

**PM&C**

<b>Recipient</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Value (GST Inclusive)</b>	<b>Approval Date</b>	<b>Grant Funding Location</b>	<b>Post Code</b>
Australiana Fund	To enable the Fund to obtain professional assistance in meeting the objects of the Fund as set out in its Memorandum of Association; and to free up funds for the acquisition of Australian objects for placement or display in accordance with those objects.	\$74,509	28/07/2010	Sydney	2001
Australian National University	To contribute to the establishment of the National Security College, including formation of its organisational structure, staff recruitment, development of the course and research program including academic and professional courses and to assist with renovation and fit-out of interim facilities of the National Security College.	\$1,100,000	1/06/2010	Acton	2601

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Allen & Unwin Pty Ltd	To provide funding for the compilation and publication of a work documenting the history of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.	\$33,550	4/08/2010	Crows Nest	2065
National Australia Day Council	To contribute to the NADC's operating and administrative costs to enable NADC to carry out its activities regarding promoting the meaning of and participation in Australia Day and the Australian of the Year Awards.	\$3,380,000	1/07/2010	Parkes	2600
Commonwealth Business Council	Assistance from the CHOGM 2011 Taskforce for the CBC to run the Commonwealth Business Forum 2011 in Perth, an official parallel event to CHOGM.	\$250,000	15/10/2010	Perth, WA	6100

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Aboriginal Resource and Development Services Inc.	To contribute to salary and operational costs for the ARDS yolngu radio service to Yolngu communities in North-East Arnhem Land and Darwin.	\$668,800	29/09/2010	Nhulunbuy	0821
Ananguku Mimili Maku Arts Corporation	To provide employment to three Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts sector.	\$71,253	27/09/2010	Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara Lands	0872
Aurukun Shire Council	To contribute to operational support for 1 licensed RIBS at the Aurukun Community.	\$16,500	7/10/2010	AURUKUN	4871
Aurukun Shire Council	To translate 1 person off CDEP and into real positions that further support the sustainable development of Indigenous arts and culture.	\$30,800	7/10/2010	AURUKUN	4871
Ausfilm International Incorporated	To promote Australia as a film production destination through marketing Australia's film incentives, locations, film studios and post-production, visual and digital effects service providers to US and other international film makers.	\$1,470,000	1/09/2010	Moore Park, NSW	2021
Australia Business Arts Foundation	To contribute to AbaF's operating and administrative costs to enable AbaF to carry out its activities regarding the promotion and development of Australian culture by encouraging private sector support for the arts	\$1,645,000	1/07/2010	40695	Melbourne

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Australian Children's Television Foundation	To fund the ACTF in the development and production of high quality television programs for children and the creation of innovative, entertaining and educational programs.	\$2,712,000	16/09/2010	Fitzroy	3065
Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies (AIATSIS)	To continue existing activities that support language maintenance and revitalisation programs as well as fill a national coordination role between language organisations, educational and research institutions and government.	\$1,199,000	11/10/2010	Acton	2601
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	To contribute to operational costs to support the Indigenous Broadcasting Course at Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education.	\$154,000	23/09/2010	Batchelor	0845
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	To support the Wadeye Aboriginal Languages Centre to maintain and revive marri and Murrinhpatha languages, and to develop a Marri language on-line dictionary.	\$343,750	23/09/2010	Batchelor	0845
Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education	To research and document the Noongar language in cooperation with Noongar elders and communities and make available language resources digitally and in print.	\$247,500	20/09/2010	Batchelor, NT	0845
Buda:dji Aboriginal Development Association Aboriginal Corporation	To promote and develop the abugay Language of Kuranda.	\$55,000	4/10/2010	KURANDA	4881

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Country Arts	Western Australia Aboriginal Art Hub 1 To develop the Western Australian Art Centre Hub (WAAACH) as an advocacy and resource agency for Aboriginal art centres in WA.	\$90,761	29/09/2010	Perth WA	6000
Country Arts	Western Australia Aboriginal Art Hub 2 To develop the Western Australian Art Centre Hub (WAAACH) as an advocacy and resource agency for Aboriginal art centres in WA.	\$184,239	29/09/2010	Perth WA	6000
Djilpin Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To provide a cultural performance program at the Walking With Spirits Festival held by the Beswick community.	\$71,500	17/09/2010	Beswick	0852
Djilpin Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To contribute to the operational costs for the Ghunmarn Culture Centre.	\$115,500	17/09/2010	Beswick	0852
Djilpin Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To provide employment to 7 Indigenous persons in positions that support Australia's Indigenous arts and culture sectors.	\$290,705	17/09/2010	Beswick	0852
East Gippsland Aboriginal Arts Corporation	To deliver a series of workshops and cultural activities to the wider Gippsland region.	\$88,000	24/09/2010	Bairnsdale, Victoria	3875
Ernabella Arts Inc	To provide employment to four Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts sector.	\$95,004	14/10/2010	Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara Lands	0872
Greater Shepparton City Council	To employ, part time, a Professional Development Co-ordinator, Liaison Officer, and Arts Administration Officer at Gallery Kaiela, Shepparton.	\$66,000	5/10/2010	Shepparton, Victoria	3630

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Iwantja Arts and Crafts Aboriginal Corporation	To provide employment to four Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts sector.	\$95,004	24/09/2010	Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara Lands	0872
J.F Lawrie & C.E Thomas & A.L Thomson & K.A Wallace (The Medics)	To provide funding to The Medics to produce and publicly launch a high quality audio CD of original tracks suitable for broadcasting and commercial release.	\$25,000	24/09/2010	Canberra	2601
Kaltjiti Arts and Crafts Incorporated	To provide employment to seven Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts sector.	\$166,256	24/09/2010	Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara Lands	0872
Kayili Artists Inc	To support the operational costs of the art centre and Patjarr artists in the Patjarr Aboriginal Community, Western Australia.	\$82,500	6/10/2010	Alice Springs, NT	0872
Library Board of Queensland	To collect and transmit traditional stories through animation, publication and online technology.	\$77,000	27/09/2010	South Brisbane, QLD	4101
Library Board of Queensland	To increase the use of Indigenous languages in a range of fields and media, including greater Indigenous community engagement.	\$66,000	27/09/2010	South Brisbane	4101
Mildura Primary School (Department of Education and Early Childhood Development)	To provide community cultural activities for young people participating in the Growing Up Koorie program in Mildura.	\$19,800	21/09/2010	Mildura South, Victoria	3501
Minymaku Aboriginal Corporation	To provide employment to five Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts sector.	\$118,755	27/09/2010	Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara Lands	0872

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NAISDA Pty Ltd	Funding to recruit, train and develop Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Dancers to an elite level to prepare them for careers in the dance and arts industries.	\$1,360,000	18/10/2010	Mt Penang (Gosford)	2250
National Indigenous Radio Service Ltd	NIRS is supported to produce and transmit the National Indigenous News Service to over 120 radio stations nationally.	\$308,000	30/09/2010	Fortitude Valley	4006
National Institute of Circus Arts	Funding to recruit, train and develop artists to an elite level to effectively prepare them for careers in the circus and performing arts industries	\$2,017,000	30/09/2010	Prahan, Victoria	3181
Ngaanyatjarra Media Aboriginal Media	To provide operational support for RIMO service delivery to 12 licensed RIBS: Wingelina, Blackstone (Papulankutja), Cosmo Newberry, Jameson (Mantamaru), Tjukurla, Tjirrkarli, Tjuntjuntjara, Wanarn, Warakurna, Warburton, Patjarr (Karilywara) and Kanpa.	\$1,419,000 (GST inclusive)	8/10/2010	Alice Springs, NT	0872
Ngaanyatjarra Media Aboriginal Media	To support community participation in the Ngaanyatjarra cultural performance and recording project.	\$77,000	8/10/2010	Alice Springs, NT	0872
Ngukurr Art Aboriginal Corporation	To contribute towards the operational costs of the Ngukurr Arts Aboriginal Corporation.	\$105,000	8/10/2010	Ngukurr	0836
Ngukurr Art Aboriginal Corporation	To contribute towards the operational costs of the Ngukurr Arts Aboriginal Corporation.	\$115,500	8/10/2010	Ngukurr	0836

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Ngukurr Art Aboriginal Corporation	To provide employment to 4 Indigenous persons in positions that support Australia's Indigenous arts and culture sectors.	\$115,156	8/10/2010	Ngukurr	0836
Ngukurr Art Aboriginal Corporation	To provide employment to 4 Indigenous persons in positions that support Australia's Indigenous arts and culture sectors.	\$126,672	8/10/2010	Ngukurr	0836
Ninuku Arts Indigenous Corporation	To provide employment to four Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts sector.	\$95,004	30/09/2010	Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara Lands	0872
Northern Peninsula Area Regional Council	To provide employment for 5 Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts and Culture sectors.	\$158,340	16/09/2010	Bamaga	4876
Pormpuraaw Arts and Cultural Centre Inc	To encourage and support artists in the production of contemporary and art and cultural artefacts at Pormpuraaw.	\$82,500	5/10/2010	Pormpuraaw	4871
Queensland Remote Aboriginal Media (Aboriginal Corporation)	To provide coordinated delivery of broadcasting and information to Aboriginal people within the immediate remote and far remote areas of Queensland.	\$310,200	16/09/2010	Cairns North	4870
Queensland Remote Aboriginal Media (Aboriginal Corporation)	To manage broadcasting service that will deliver appropriate Aboriginal and Torres Strait programming to the communities of the Northern Peninsula Area.	\$61,908	16/09/2010	Cairns North	4870



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Queensland Remote Aboriginal Media (Aboriginal Corporation)	To support local Indigenous community radio broadcasting in Napranum including the development and transmission of programs.	\$17,908	16/09/2010	Cairns North	4870
Queensland Remote Aboriginal Media (Aboriginal Corporation)	To translate 1 person off CDEP and into real positions that further support the sustainable development of Indigenous arts and culture.	\$30,800	16/09/2010	Cairns North	4870
Skinny Fish Music	To support the Galiwin'ku Cultural Health Festival extension and mentoring program.	\$33,000	1/10/2010	Stuart Park	0820
The Australian Indigenous Communications Association	To provide advocacy and support a peak body in Indigenous Communications to support members in achieving outcomes.	\$385,000	16/09/2010	Ainslie	2602
The Song Room	To engage at risk Indigenous youth in the Barkly region, NT, in a community music program.	\$33,000	13/10/2010	Barkly Region, Northern Territories (including Canteen Creek, Tennant Creek, Epenarra, Mungkarta, Ali Curung, Newcastle Waters, Elliot, Stirling, Neutral Junction and Murray Downs)	Across Barkly Region, NT
The Torch Project	To deliver the Torch Bearer Leadership and Training Program (2010-2012) and support arts-based projects in partnership communities.	\$247,500	28/09/2010	State-wide - Victoria	All Victoria

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The Torch Project	To coordinate and deliver a cultural showcase at the Victorian Aboriginal Youth Sport & Recreation Co-op Ltd annual sporting carnival.	\$69,300	28/09/2010	State-wide - Victoria	All Victoria
The Torch Project	To support a state-wide Indigenous Arts Officer to work with Victoria's Indigenous communities & Corrections Victoria on an Indigenous vocational arts program.	\$89,100	28/09/2010	State-wide - Victoria	All Victoria
The Trustee for Outback Communities Authority	To utilise arts and crafts activities to facilitate cross cultural exchange of knowledge between two distinct Aboriginal communities in South Australia	\$49,500	6/10/2010	Port Augusta	5700
Tiwi Art Network Aboriginal Corporation	To contribute towards the operational costs for the Tiwi Art Network.	\$93,500	1/10/2010	Parap	0804
Top End Aboriginal Bush Broadcasting Association (Aboriginal Corporation)	Provide operational support for Remote Indigenous Media Organisation service delivery to 27 licensed Remote Indigenous Broadcasting Services in the Top End NT: Angurugu, Barunga, Beswick, Borroloola, Bulman, Daguragu, Daly River (Naiyu), Galiwinku, Gapuwiyak, Gunbalanya (Oenpelli), Hodgson Downs (Minyerri), Maningrida, Milikapiti, Milingimbi, Minjilang, Nguiu, Ngukurr, Numbulwar, Palumpa, Peppimenarti, Pirlangimpi, Ramingining, Umbakumba, Wadeye, Waruwi, Yirkala and Yarralin and Angurugu Remote Indigenous Broadcasting Service upgrade.	\$712,050	24/09/2010	Darwin	0811

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Vibe Australia	To hold the Deadlys awards ceremony in Sydney, promoting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture by showcasing talented individuals in various fields	\$16,500	18/10/2010	Darlinghurst	2010
Waringarri Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To engage new and young artists to participate in arts, dance and cultural activities in the Kununurra region.	\$11,000	17/09/2010	Kununurra, WA	6743
Waringarri Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To contribute to the establishment of an art centre at Kalumburu, East Kimberley.	\$55,000	17/09/2010	Kununurra, WA	6743
Waringarri Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To provide employment to 8 Indigenous people in positions supporting Australia's Indigenous Arts and Culture sectors.	\$797,764	17/09/2010	Kununurra	6743
Wilcannia Central School	To research, record and collate materials of the Paakantyi-Barkindji language	\$66,000	27/09/2010	Wilcannia	2836
Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council	To contribute funding towards the arts coordinator costs for the Yarrabah Art Centre.	\$55,000	16/09/2010	Yarrabah	4871

**b) Has the Department complied with interim requirements relating to the publication of discretionary grants?**

In all but 21 instances, the Department complied with interim requirements relating to the publication of discretionary grants within seven days (Other PM&C 1, Arts 20).