

Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee
Questions on Notice
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2012-2013, Tuesday 16 October 2012
Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport Portfolio

Q no.	Program/ Division or Agency	Senator	Broad topic	Question	Proof Hansard page & hearing date or Written Q	Date rec'd	Date tabled
1	1.1	WHISH- WILSON	Grant provided to Smart Viticulture	Senator WHISH-WILSON: My question relates to a grant provided to Smart Viticulture under the Tasmanian Forests Intergovernmental Agreement. I asked questions on notice about this, and I received the answers a couple of weeks ago. I just want to go into a little bit more detail about the answers..... The response to the third question was: the project was not put out to tender for consultation, because there was consultation with the industry experts on the need for this. Could you tell me who those industry experts were?	RRA&T 94		
2	1.1	WHISH- WILSON	Grants provided to Smart Viticulture – academics contacted	Senator WHISH-WILSON: Could you perhaps, on notice, give me a list of the academics that you did speak to, presumably at TIAR, part of the University of Tasmania? Also, once again, was Richard Smart part of that organisation? Could you also provide any details of any correspondence you may have had in relation to your conversations with Wine Industry Tasmania.	RRA&T 95		
3	1.1	MACDONALD	Torres Strait Sea Walls	Senator IAN MACDONALD: It is a very reasonable question. There is \$12 million committed. Mr O'Brien has just indicated it is now not conditional, which I am grateful to hear and I am sure the people of the Torres Strait will be too. I want to know will I take this as confirmation or can he refer me to a media release or a letter or a statement or a comment in the parliament by Mr Crean that the \$12 million is now not conditional..... Okay, it is now October so when will the \$12-million worth of essential projects actually start? When can I tell my constituents that they will get some money? Ms Beauchamp: We will have to take that on notice because we will have to rescope now from a \$24-million project to a \$12-	RRA&T 96		

				<p>million project. Our aim was to maximise the Commonwealth investment by still negotiating with the Queensland government to provide \$12 million as well.</p> <p>Senator IAN MACDONALD: You will recall I asked this question last time. It was prefaced by the fact that we spend hundreds of millions of dollars on aid to other countries yet here we have our own citizens, whose villages are about to be washed away, and we cannot find \$24 million from the federal government to do this. You are going to rescope. Do you have any idea how long that will take or will you take that on notice?</p>			
4	1.1	EDWARDS	Affordable Rental Housing Project	<p>Senator EDWARDS: Are you able—because of the short time—to tell me where those hundred dwellings are going to be built, in which of those towns, and the breakup of that?</p> <p>Ms Fleming: I would have to take that on notice.</p>	RRA&T 98		
5	1.1	EDWARDS	Affordable Rental Housing Project – Ratio of funding	<p>Senator EDWARDS: What is the hold-up? This was announced on 11 July, and we are now in the middle of October. It is not far away, I know, but what has been the hold-up?</p> <p>Ms Fleming: Do you mean for that particular project?</p> <p>Senator EDWARDS: Yes. Did anybody find the ratio of funding that the state government is putting into this project?</p> <p>Mr G McCormick: It is a \$26.88 million project, for which the Northern Region Affordable Housing Initiative is looking for a partnership contribution of \$273,000. However, the South Australian government solar program has ceased, and we are in negotiations—</p> <p>CHAIR: Perhaps I can help the officer. Time is ticking away. If you do not have the information there, would you be kind enough to take it on notice? Or, if you come to the answer before we finish this session you may be able to just hand it over.</p>	RRA&T 99		
6	1.1	JOYCE	Higher Ranked Projects	<p>Senator JOYCE: Can you provide a list of all the projects which were ranked higher than the Geelong Football Stadium?</p>	RRA&T 102		
7	1.1	LUDLAM	EKDP Funding	<p>Senator LUDLAM: That is all right; it would be inappropriate for me to ask. Was any part of the package developed and delivered in conjunction with proceeds from Royalties for Regions funding from the state government?</p> <p>Ms Fleming: I would have to take that on notice.</p>	RRA&T 106		

8	1.1	LUDLAM	Wyndham Port Facility Upgrade	<p>Senator LUDLAM: Can you provide a bit more detail on the Wyndham Port facility upgrade. I understand it is about \$10 million—</p> <p>CHAIR: I will have to make that the last question in this area.</p> <p>Senator LUDLAM: Okay. Just what the port is used for, what the Commonwealth contribution was actually used to do.</p> <p>Ms Fleming: The structure and buildings of the Wyndham Port facility, with the cathodic protection system, jetty buildings, drainage and the container park area were all upgraded. I think live cattle go out of that port, and other material. I can take that on notice and give you some additional detail if you would like.</p> <p>Senator LUDLAM: That would be much appreciated.</p>	RRA&T 106		
9	1.1	LUDLAM	EKDP Overview	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why did the Government invest in environmental health measures at Oombulgurri when this community was closed down in 2011? 2. How many Indigenous people have been employed, directly and indirectly, as a result of the Package and in which positions? 3. Was any part of the Package developed and delivered in conjunction with proceeds from Royalties for Regions funding? 4. Precisely how does the Package contribute to ‘promoting resilient communities’? 5. Regarding the Wyndham Port Facility Upgrade (\$10m) - It received as much as the TAFE upgrade, and one fifth of the entire health spending - how was the economic, social and environmental benefit of the upgrade evaluated? 6. To what extent will the port upgrade benefit private mining companies? 7. To what extent will the port upgrade benefit the live animal export? 	Written		
10	1.1	LUDLAM	National Bike Paths	<p>The Dept of Regional Australia administered the \$40m Bike Paths component of the 2009 Jobs Fund, in which 175 projects were approved, and created more than 1130 short term jobs, and nearly 550 long term jobs, 80 work experience positions, and 90 traineeships.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please outline specifically how this Department is responsible for bike infrastructure. 2. This Department administered the \$40m Bike Paths package. How many kilometres in total of bicycle infrastructure were 	Written		

				<p>built under this program?</p> <p>3. On average what was the cost per kilometre for different types of bike path infrastructure built under the package? Please include a list of all projects funded, the type of path built, and the cost per km for each (as a total cost, including matched funding).</p>			
11	1.1	LUDLAM	National Cycling Strategy	<p>The National Cycling Strategy 2005-10 noted that spending across all three spheres of government on cycling infrastructure and facilities, coordination and planning, road safety for cyclists and cycling promotion and education was in the order of \$100m each year, and that this compared to more than \$5 billion being spent on new road infrastructure annually.</p> <p>1. Does this department play any role in advising or lobbying for an annualised fund for bike infrastructure?</p> <p>2. What would an annualised spend of \$80m translate to in terms of jobs in Australian regions?</p>	Written		
12	1.1	LUDLAM	Provision of Bike Paths alongside Highways	<p>1. Is this Department responsible for overseeing the provision of bike paths attached to federally funded roads?</p> <p>2. If not, which Department and specific unit is responsible for ensuring these standards?</p> <p>3. If so,</p> <p>a. What standards does the Department currently apply when bike paths are built on federally funded roads?</p> <p>b. Is the Department familiar with the Austroads minimum standards – the “ Preferred separation of bicycles and motor vehicles” (attached, source: Austroads, 2009)</p> <p>c. Is the Department familiar with the Australian Bicycle Council’s guidelines on “Cycling on Higher Speed Roads - When to Provide for Bicycles on Higher Speed Roads”?</p> <p><i>It states:</i> Best practice <i>All of the international guidelines reviewed recommend that cyclists are separated from high speed traffic, generally by providing an off road path although in some circumstances bicycle lanes are acceptable. These paths should form a complete network so that cyclists are not forced to share space with high speed vehicles.</i> <i>Design guidelines from NSW, Queensland and New Zealand</i></p>	Written		

				<p><i>provide guidance about the preferred type of bicycle facility on urban roads based on the traffic speed and volume. At traffic speeds of 80 km/h and above, a bicycle path separated from the road is almost universally the recommended treatment. On 70 km/h roads with low traffic volumes, and rural roads, sealed shoulders (or bicycle lanes) are also acceptable.</i></p> <p>d. What proportion of bike paths on federally funded roads currently comply with these standards?</p> <p>4. With specific reference to the answers to QON 126 (attached) please list the paths which meet the Austroads and Bicycle Council minimum standards.</p> <p>5. With reference to the attached photos of the Perth-Bunbury Highway which is listed in QON126 as a “separate or segregated bike path”, please confirm whether this indeed is classified as a separate or segregated bike path, according to the federal government.</p>			
13	1.1	NASH	NBN Rollout	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Can you clarify for me there has been only 2 regional centres in NSW that have complete access and able to connect to the NBN - Armidale and Kiama is that correct? 2. Looking at Armidale the NBN there is only 4900 premises that are able to connect to the NBN is that correct? 3. Are there still 9600 premises still to be constructed in Armidale which was due for start on the 31st March has construction started? 4. When will the 9600 premises in Armidale in due for completion? 5. How long has it taken to from start to finish for the 4,900 premises to be completed and able to connect to the NBN? 6. Because the NBN website does not list regional centres in the ASGC – RA map format would the Department be able to provide a breakdown of completed and due to be completed in the following ways inner regional, outer regional, remote and very remote. 7. In NSW there have been two projects in regional NSW that has been half completed and only 2 other projects due for construction starting in March 2012 that being Coffs Harbour and Shell Harbour is that correct? 8. Have Coffs Harbour and Shell Harbour construction started? 9. When will Coffs Harbour and Shell Harbour have access to the NBN? 	Written		

				<p>10. Out of the regional centres that are listed on the NBN website “construction planned to commence from 1st April 2012 to June 2015” how many regional centres other than Coffs Harbour, Shell Harbour, Armidale and Kiama has construction work started on the NBN?</p> <p>11. What has been the total expenditure for the NBN roll out in regional areas and can this expenditure be broken down into states and by the ASGC- RA map?</p>			
14	1.1	MCKENZIE	Regional Structural Assistance Package	<p>1. How is the government identifying which communities will receive support through the Regional Structural Assistance Package?</p> <p>2. When will the government detail when and how the Regional Structural Assistance Package is going to be available to local communities?</p> <p>3. Will the full \$200 million still be available?</p> <p>4. How does this fit with the Government’s freeze on grant funding?</p>	Written		
15	1.1	MACDONALD	Office of Northern Australia	<p>At last estimates the department indicated that the Office of Northern Australia is currently undertaking work with the Department of Resources looking at mining operations across the North, with the CRC looking at remoter economic participation, and with the RDA networks in North Queensland and the Pilbara to develop economic strategies.</p> <p>1. What is the current operation budget for the Office of Northern Australia?</p> <p>2. Where are the current permanent offices?</p> <p>3. What are the administrative costs for maintaining these offices?</p> <p>4. What are the performance measurements currently in place for the Office of Northern Australia? How does the department measure the success/failure of programs?</p> <p>5. Has any of the Office of Northern Australia’s funding been frozen?</p> <p>6. Have any of the programs mentioned at last estimates been discontinued? If so, why?</p>	Written		
16	1.1	EDWARDS	RDA Funding – South Australia	<p>1. With reference to Written Question on Notice 23 (May Budget Estimates 2012), the Department refers to load sharing arrangements regarding core, infrastructure and discretionary</p>	Written		

				<p>funding arrangements.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Can the Department provide more detail on this? b. What is the division of: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. responsibilities; ii. duties; and iii. funding in these 'sharing arrangements'? 2. The Department were of the view that the reduced South Australian Government funding would only impact on State Government activities. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Is this still the case? b. If not, what has been impacted? c. Has the South Australian Government asked for any additional support either with funding, resources or in-kind contributions from the Australian Government? d. Is the Department aware of any programs/projects that have been scaled down or abandoned due to the South Australian Government funding cuts? If so list them. e. Has the South Australian Government requested additional funding for any RDA activities? If so list the activities and the amounts requested. f. Has the South Australian Government expended all funding on the projects it was allocated for on time? g. If the South Australian Government has not expended all funding on the projects for on time, list the projects that were allocated funding, for which it has not been expended; detail how much funding remains and what it is meant to be spent on. h. What funding has been provided to the South Australian Government for RDA or RDA related activities that has not been expended? Provide an itemised list. 			
17	1.1	EDWARDS	Affordable Housing in Clare	<p>Minister Crean and Senator Gallacher jointly announced \$26.8 million for an affordable rental housing project in Port August, Roxby Downs, Whyalla, Port Pine and Clare with \$5 million from the Federal Government on 3 July 2012.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much of this will be spent in Clare? (and the other towns involved?) 2. How many affordable dwellings will be built in Clare? (and the other towns involved?) 3. Where will they be built in Clare (and in the other towns involved?) 	Written		

				<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. What is the deadline for this project? 5. Who has responsibility for coordinating this project? 6. What are the conditions, if any, attached to the \$5m grant from the Federal Government? 7. What is the South Australian Government contribution? 8. What discussions has the Department had with the South Australian Government on this project? What was discussed? 9. Are there any issues that need to be discussed/resolved with the South Australian Government? If so what are they? 10. Where is the \$5m currently deposited? Which agency/government department has authority over it presently? 11. If it is not the South Australian Government or South Australian agency when will it be transferred to the South Australian Government or agency? 			
18	1.1	EDWARDS	Wakefield Region Water Supply Upgrade	<p>With reference to the allocation of \$10m allocated from the Regional Development Australia Fund to the Wakefield Region Water Supply Upgrade.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Which is the lead Department/agency driving this project? 2. Which department/agency currently has possession of the \$10m allocated to this project? 3. What is the South Australian Government contribution to this project? 4. There is \$20m in partnership funding – where has this funding come from? Private or public? Provide an itemised list of financial contributors. 	Written		
19	1.1 & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Briefings for the Australian Greens and Independents	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have any briefings been provided to the Australian Greens? If yes, please include: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How are briefings requests commissioned? b. What briefings have been undertaken? Provide details and a copy of each briefing. c. Have any briefings request been unable to proceed? If yes, provided details of what the briefings were and why it could not proceed. d. How often and how much time is spent undertaking briefings for the Australian Greens? How many staff are involved and how many hours? Provide a breakdown for each employment classification. 2. Have any briefings been provided to Independents? If yes, 	Written		

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20	1.1 & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Briefings for the Australian Greens and Independents 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Were any briefings provided to the Australian Greens in 2011-12? If yes, please include: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How are briefings requests commissioned? b. What briefings have been undertaken? Provide details and a copy of each briefing (dates and with which Green MP/Senator). c. Have any briefings request been unable to proceed? If yes, provided details of what the briefings were and why it could not proceed. d. How often and how much time is spent undertaking briefings for the Australian Greens? How many staff are involved and how many hours? Provide a breakdown for each employment classification. 2. Have any briefings been provided to Independents in 2011-12? If yes, please include: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How are briefings requests commissioned? b. What briefings have been undertaken? Provide details and a copy of each briefing. c. Have any briefings request been unable to proceed? If yes, provided details of what the briefings were and why it could not proceed. d. How often and how much time is spent undertaking briefings for the Australian Greens? How many staff are involved and how many hours? Provide a breakdown for each employment classification. 	Written		
21	1.1	JOYCE	Regional Australia Institute	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In relation to the policy forum hosted by the Institute on 31st August 2012 to discuss the implications of the latest OECD research for regional policy, can you please answer the 	Written		

				<p>following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Where was it held? 3. Who funded this function? 4. Who funded the travel costs for the experts to attend? 5. What was the total cost of this function? 			
22	1.1	JOYCE	Myregion website	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please outline on a monthly basis since the creation of the website, how many visits it is receiving? 2. Are these independent hits or visits in total? 3. How many staff are currently working on/monitoring the <i>myregion</i> website? 4. Please provide a list of the levels at which these staff are employed? 5. How much has this website cost to date? 6. How much are the ongoing costs for running this website? 7. How much time does each staff member spend on updating this website per month? 	Written		
23	1.1	JOYCE	Community Infrastructure Grants	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please provide an updated list of which projects remain unapproved? 	Written		
24	1.1	JOYCE	RDAF Round 1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please provide an update on the status of Round 1 projects? 2. Have the funding agreements for the 35 projects approved under Round 1 been finalised? 3. If not, why not? 	Written		
25	1.1	JOYCE	RDAF Round 2	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please provide an update on the status of Round 2 projects? 2. Have the funding agreements for the projects approved under Round 2 been finalised? If not, why not? 	Written		
26	1.1	JOYCE	National Disaster Recovery Taskforce and Inspectorate	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much has been spent by the National Disaster Recovery Taskforce to date? 2. Please provide a breakdown of that spending? 3. How many staff are currently employed by the taskforce? 4. How many projects has the Inspectorate assessed to date? What is the total value of these projects? 5. In the Inspectorate's June 2012 report to the Prime Minister, it was suggested that there continue to be a number of risks associated with the progress of reconstruction. Please provide an overview of these risks and provide details as to how the Inspectorate is dealing with these issues? 	Written		

				<p>6. There remains in some Queensland regions strong competition for labour and materials, particularly from the mining industry and there is a strong risk that this will affect the total cost of the reconstruction. How much is this expected to affect the overall cost of the reconstruction?</p> <p>7. When is the Inspectorate due to meet again?</p> <p>8. Has the inspectorate received any complaints under its Complaints Handling Mechanism?</p> <p>9. Has the inspectorate engaged any external consultants to provide advice? If so, who are they and how much have the contracts been worth?</p> <p>10. Has the Inspectorate investigated any complaints or issues raised by the public?</p> <p>11. If so, what were they?</p> <p>12. Is the Taskforce still due to wrap up at the end of 2012?</p> <p>13. If no, how much is this extension going to affect the budget?</p>			
27	1.1	JOYCE	Murray-Darling Basin	<p>1. Has the government asked local community groups to submit projects in the Murray-Darling for government funding associated with the Murray-Darling Basin Plan?</p> <p>2. If so what is the nature of these projects, economic development, environmental, etc?</p> <p>3. Please provide a list of projects in the Murray-Darling that the government is currently considering?</p> <p>4. When will a decision be made on whether specific projects are funded?</p>	Written		
28	1.2	JOYCE	ACELG Employees	<p>Senator JOYCE: How many people are employed in that?</p> <p>Ms Foster: In the ACELG?</p> <p>Senator JOYCE: Yes.</p> <p>Ms Foster: From memory, I would have to say a handful—it is not a large organisation.</p> <p>Senator JOYCE: Five or six?</p> <p>Ms Foster: I would have to take that on notice to give it to you accurately, but it is of that order.</p>	RRA&T 109		
29	1.2	MCKENZIE	Victorian Local Councils	<p>Senator McKENZIE: Senator Joyce was asking about the Victorian local governments and their superannuation liability this is obviously not within your purview—I accept that—but I am just</p>	RRA&T 112		

				<p>wondering whether you have had any direct representation from any local councils in Victoria.</p> <p>Mr O'Brien: Yes, we have had correspondence that we have dealt with.</p> <p>Senator McKENZIE: Could you on notice advise me who they are and what you have done with their correspondence in terms of your role in advocating for them?</p> <p>Mr O'Brien: Will do.</p>			
30	2.1	BACK	Norfolk Island services	<p>Senator BACK: Without taking more of your time this evening, I would be most interested if you would take on notice a comparator of the sorts of services that Australian citizens would expect on mainland Australia, including Tasmania, and how they would compare or contrast with those same services on Norfolk Island—I am thinking of Medicare, the PBS, family and children's services, law. I do not want to take up your time now, but I would be very interested to see a table from which we could get an understanding of the comparative quality of services that are delivered.</p>	RRA&T 114		
31	2.1	MACDONALD	Current Mining Lease on Christmas Island	<p>Senator IAN MACDONALD: ...Anyhow, were you going to get back to me on the timelines for the forward steps for the application by the phosphate company?</p> <p>Ms Beauchamp: We can do that.</p> <p>Mr Yates: This is to take on notice a question about the work we are doing on the current mining lease?</p> <p>Senator IAN MACDONALD: Yes.</p>	RRA&T 117		
32	3	HUMPHRIES	Bookings for launch of National Cultural Policy	<p>Senator HUMPHRIES: All right. Can I ask: Has the officer made any bookings, travel arrangements for staff, catering venue arrangements to support a policy launch in the next nine weeks?</p>	RRA&T 119		
33	3	COLBECK	Artists in the Tasmanian community	<p>Senator COLBECK: I am coming very close, and I will not take long. There is 19,232 cubic metres contracted and a consistent demand supply of about 16,000 cubic metres. What I am saying is that there is potentially a huge impact on this sector from this process. Have you been asked by the minister, Simon Crean, to look closely at this particular part of the industry, or the demand? It</p>	RRA&T 124		

				<p>potentially has a huge impact on that arts community in Tasmania. So there was a bit of preamble and a fairly simple question..... What instructions have you had from Minister Crean in relation to its direct impact on the arts community? Go to Salamanca and have a look.</p> <p>Ms Foster: We have been asked to look at the impact on the high-value-adding industries, but I do not have any other information beyond that that I can provide tonight.</p> <p>Senator COLBECK: Could you please, on notice, provide us with any information that you have had in relation to what you see as the potential impacts that might come out of the process on that high-value-adding community?</p>			
34	3	EDWARDS	Country Arts SA	<p>Country Arts SA has reported drops between 5 per cent and 10 per cent in attendance numbers at arts shows due to tough economic times.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Has the Department had reports of similar drops elsewhere? What is the Department doing to help boost attendance? Has the Department provided any additional assistance to Country Arts SA? Provide an itemised list of all funding provided to South Australia administered by the Arts portfolio If the Arts portfolio has provided any money to the South Australian Government, provide an itemised list of what the funding was allocated for, when it was allocated and whether it has been spent and if it hasn't been spent, when the Department expects it to be spent. 	Written		
35	3	BRANDIS	Funding of Arts Programs and Initiatives	<p>For each of the following provide the Commonwealth Government funding (or projected funding) for each of the financial years from 2004-05 to 2015-16, providing for each entry, an appropriate budget paper reference.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Contemporary Touring Initiative Festivals Australia Playing Australia Visions of Australia Regional Arts Fund National Collecting Institutions Touring and Outreach Program Community Heritage Grants Program Maintenance of Indigenous Languages and Records / Indigenous Languages Support 	Written		

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. National Arts and Crafts Industry Support / Indigenous Visual Arts Industry Support j. Indigenous Culture Support Program k. Indigenous Employment Initiative l. Indigenous Contemporary Music Action Plan m. Breakthrough: Emerging Indigenous Contemporary Musicians Recording Initiative n. Indigenous Art Code o. Maritime Museums of Australia Project Support Scheme p. Artists In residence Initiative q. ArtStart r. Creative Communities s. Get Reading t. The Melba Foundation u. Visual Arts and Craft Strategy v. Australian Academy of Music w. Boosting Music Industry Innovation x. Resale Royalty Scheme y. Prime Minister's Literary Awards z. Broadband Arts Initiative aa. Digital and New Media Writing Grants bb. Major Festivals Initiative cc. National Indigenous Touring Consortium (NITC) dd. Broadband Arts Initiative 			
36	3	BRANDIS	Funding of Training Institutions	<p>For each of the following, provide details as to the Commonwealth Government funding (or projected funding) in each of the financial years from 2004-05 to 2015-16:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Australian Youth Orchestra b. Australian Ballet School c. The Australian National Academy of Music d. Flying Fruit Fly Circus e. NAISDA f. NICA g. NIDA 	Written		
37	3	BRANDIS	Funding of Agencies and National Collecting Institutions	<p>For each of the following, provide details as to the Commonwealth Government funding (or projected funding) in each of the financial years from 2004-05 to 2015-16:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The Australia Council b. ABAF 	Written		

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> c. AFTRS d. Australian National Maritime Museum e. National Archives of Australia f. National Film and Sound Archive g. National Gallery of Australia h. National Library of Australia i. National Museum of Australia j. National Museum of Democracy k. National Portrait Gallery 			
38	3	BRANDIS	Funding of Major Performing Arts	<p>For each of the following, provide details as to the Commonwealth Government funding (or projected funding) for each of the financial years from 2004-05 to 2015-16:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Adelaide Symphony Orchestra b. Australian Brandenburg Orchestra c. Australian Chamber Orchestra d. Bangarra Dance Theatre e. Bell Shakespeare f. Belvoir g. Black Swan State Theatre Company h. Circus Oz i. Malthouse Theatre j. Melbourne Symphony Orchestra k. Melbourne Theatre Company l. Musica Viva Australia m. Opera Australia n. Opera Queensland o. Orchestra Victoria p. Queensland Ballet q. Queensland Symphony Orchestra r. Queensland Theatre Company s. State Opera South Australia t. State Theatre Company of South Australia u. Sydney Dance Company v. Sydney Symphony w. Sydney Theatre Company x. The Australian Ballet y. Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra z. Western Australian Ballet aa. West Australian Opera bb. West Australian Symphony Orchestra 	Written		

39	3	BRANDIS	Funding of Artforms	<p>For each of the following, provide details as to the Commonwealth Government funding (or projected funding) for each of the financial years from 2004-05 to 2015-16:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Opera Orchestras Ballet Theatre Literature Digital and new media Regional touring programs and festivals Indigenous art and culture Libraries National Collecting Institutions 	Written		
40	3	BRANDIS	Electricity Expenses 2011-12	<p>For each of the following, provide the amount that each spent on electricity for the billing period (month or quarter) that ended prior to 30 June 2012:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Australia Council ABAF AFTRS Australian National Maritime Museum National Archives of Australia National Film and Sound Archive National Gallery of Australia National Library of Australia National Museum of Australia National Museum of Democracy National Portrait Gallery 	Written		
41	3	BRANDIS	Electricity Expenses 2012-13	<p>For each of the following, provide the amount that each spent on electricity for last billing period (month or quarter) available:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Australia Council ABAF AFTRS Australian National Maritime Museum National Archives of Australia National Film and Sound Archive National Gallery of Australia National Library of Australia National Museum of Australia National Museum of Democracy 	Written		

				k. National Portrait Gallery			
42	3	BRANDIS	Resale Royalty Scheme	<p>Under the Resale Royalty Scheme:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. in total, since it was introduced, how many royalties have been collected for artists who are not alive? 2. in total, since it was introduced, what is the total value of royalties that have been collected for artists who are not alive? 3. how many royalties have been collected that have not yet been paid to artists? 4. what is the total value of royalties that have been collected that have not yet been paid to artists? 5. how many royalties have been: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. between \$1 and \$25? b. between \$26 and \$50? c. between \$51 and \$100? d. between \$101 and \$500? e. between \$501 and \$1,000? f. between \$1001 and \$2,500? g. between \$2,501 and \$5,000? h. between \$5,001 and \$7,500? i. between \$7,501 and 10,000? j. between \$10,001 and \$20,000? k. between \$20,001 and \$50,000? l. over \$50,001? 6. what is the total value of payments made to CAL? 7. on how many occasions have royalties been paid to the wrong party? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. provide details of each occasion. 8. on how many occasions have royalties been repaid to a purchaser of an artwork? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. provide details of each occasion. 9. On what date does the Office for the Arts predict the Resale Royalty Scheme will have distributed to artists an amount in excess of \$2.2 million. 	Written		
43	3	SCULLION	Program Expenditure	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please indicate whether the programs and measures listed below are still operating in 2012-13. If they are still operating, please provide by program/ measure the current allocation and expenditure year to date (please indicate in respect of any of these programs/measures if information has already been provided): 	Written	Transferred from SEWPAC 2/11/12	

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Indigenous Culture b. Return of Indigenous Cultural Property c. Cultural Development Program 			
44	4	HUMPHRIES	Crawford Review Recommendations	<p>Senator HUMPHRIES: If you decide not to do what they recommend and do something different I am happy with that. I just want to know if that is the case or not. That is all I am asking. If a specific recommendation were made, for example, for 5,000 additional new community coaches and officials, and you have done something different with different money, that is fine. I just want to know what it is that you have actually done. That is all I am asking.</p> <p>Senator Lundy: That is just a matter of looking at the Crawford review and then looking at Pathway to Success. We are happy to go through it in detail here, but it is all a matter of public record and it has been on the public record for several years.</p> <p>Senator HUMPHRIES: As I say, I did not think that you had put on the record exactly whether you had implemented these recommendations or not, but perhaps I will put this on notice.</p>	RRA&T 133		
45	4	HUMPHRIES	Debt Forgiveness	In the last five years, has the Commonwealth Government forgiven debts owed to the Commonwealth by any sporting organisation, with the exception of the \$4.0 million debt held by FFA as noted on page 265 of MYEFO? If so, please list each instance where debt has been forgiven, the organisation for which the debt was forgiven, and the amount of the debt forgiven, including any interest forgone.	Written		
46	4	HUMPHRIES	GWS Giants Grant	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Was a funding application received in relation to the \$2 million grant to the GWS Giants AFL club? 2. If so, when was the application received? 3. Was the grant made under a particular Government grants program, or was the grant a one-off payment? 4. According to MYEFO, the \$2 million grant is contingent on contributions from the NSW Government and the AFL. Were those contributions made, as at 1 July 2012? If not, was it appropriate to pay the grant to the GWS Giants in 2011-12 before the contributions from the NSW Government and AFL were received? 	Written		

				5. Did the Office for Sport provide advice in relation to the grant to the GWS Giants? If so, on what date was advice first sought?			
47	4	HUMPHRIES	Major Sporting Events Taskforce	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prior to the allocation of \$2.8 million to the Major Sporting Events Taskforce in MYEFO, what was the annual budget for the taskforce? 2. How many FTE staff positions work in the Taskforce? 3. Please provide the terms of reference for the Major Sporting Events Taskforce? 4. What are the objectives of the Major Sporting Events Taskforce? 5. What are the criteria applied by the Department to determine which sporting events are considered 'major' and therefore provided assistance by the Taskforce? 6. To which sporting events is the Taskforce currently providing advice and/or assistance? 7. Which other Commonwealth and State Government agencies are represented on the Taskforce? 	Written		
48	4	BUSHBY	Bellerive Oval	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Are you aware if any stakeholder privy to the Federal Government's \$15 million contribution to the upgrade of Bellerive Oval also known as Blundstone Arena, (whether Cricket Tasmania, the Tasmanian government, or a Labor Senator or Member) has requested more than that amount? 2. Are you aware of any discussions or negotiations with the AFL for funding? 3. Were there any conditions on the \$15 million provided to Cricket Tasmania? If so, what were they? 4. When do you anticipate the redevelopment will be completed? 	Written		
49	Australia Council	HUMHPRIES	Broadband Arts Initiative	<p>Senator HUMPHRIES: I was curious about the Broadband Arts Initiative. There was a media release on 16 December 2011 where the Australia Council announced a funding pool of \$300,000 for the Broadband Arts Initiative. That announcement was somewhat criticised and even ridiculed in some of the media, as you would be aware. Subsequently the media release itself making this announcement and providing these details has disappeared off the Australia Council's website. Media releases before that date and after that date all appear there but this media release does not. Is</p>	RRA&T 125		

				there any reason why that might be the case?			
50	Australia Council	BRANDIS	Broadband Arts Initiative	<p>Can the Australia Council confirm that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. on 16 December 2011, it released a media release entitled “<i>Artists invited to enrich our future with the NBN</i>”? on 2 February, in response to the media controversy regarding it’s promotion of the NBN, the Australia Council tweeted there has been: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. “...<i>confusion about it in the media</i> http://bit.ly/zDPOpj “; and later b. “...<i>#intsnotaboutpromotingthenbn</i>” 2. the Australia Council’s website: www.australiacouncil.gov.au/news/tag/media_release carries copies of media releases dating back to January 2010. 3. at some time subsequent to 1 February 2012, the media release “<i>Artists invited to enrich our future with the NBN</i>” of December 16 2011 was removed from the Australia Council’s website (www.australiacouncil.gov.au). <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. if so, <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. on what date was it removed? ii. for what reason was it removed? iii. who directed or took the decision that it be removed? iv. was the CEO involved in, or informed of, this decision before it was actioned? 	Written		
51	Australia Council	BRANDIS	Media Releases	<p>Please provide copies of all media releases that have been issued by the Australia Council, that do not appear on the Australia Council’s website (www.australiacouncil.gov.au) as of 16 February 2012, and in each instance provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. the date it was released b. the date it was removed from the Australia Council website (www.australiacouncil.gov.au) c. the reason it was removed, or not published to the website (www.australiacouncil.gov.au). 	Written		
52	Australia Council	BRANDIS	Media Release Protocols	<p>Please detail the procedures and and/or protocols within the Australia Council for the drafting and release of media releases, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. the approval protocols for authorising media releases, and the position titles of officers authorised to approve them; b. if all releases are approved by the CEO; 	Written		

				<p>c. if releases quoting the CEO are approved by the CEO;</p> <p>d. if drafts are routinely provided to the Office for the Arts or the Minister's Office prior to their release;</p>			
53	Australia Council	BRANDIS	Media Releases – Content	<p>On how many occasions has the Australia Council issued media releases that include direct quotes from the Federal Minister for the Arts in:</p> <p>a. 2012 (to date)</p> <p>b. 2011</p> <p>c. 2010</p> <p>d. 2009</p> <p>e. 2008</p>	Written		
54	Australia Council	BRANDIS	Artery	<p>In how many articles has <i>Artery</i> included photographs or quotes from the Federal Minister for the Arts in:</p> <p>a. 2012 (to date)</p> <p>b. 2011</p> <p>c. 2010</p> <p>d. 2009</p> <p>e. 2008</p>	Written		
55	Australia Council	BRANDIS	Twitter	<p>How many twitter accounts does the Australia Council operate or utilise, for each providing:</p> <p>a. It's name, its function and its particular focus;</p> <p>b. on many occasions in each calendar year from 2008 to 2012, each account has re-tweeted, or referred in tweets to:</p> <p>i. "SimonCrean_MP";</p> <p>ii. "artsculturegov"; and</p> <p>iii. the NBN</p>	Written		
56	National Gallery of Australia	MILNE	Toulouse-Lautrec Exhibition	<p>Senator MILNE: As a result of the shortfall between what was granted and the cost of the efficiency dividend, last time we were here the National Gallery said its priority was still new technology, digitising the collection and enhancing the visitor experience. You have got the Toulouse-Lautrec exhibition coming up as the big exhibition at the end of the year. Can you explain to me what you are doing in terms of new technology and enhancing the visitor experience to maximise the benefit of this big exhibition coming up?</p>	RRA&T 126		

				<p>Mr Froud: The director is absent and obviously he sends his apologists to the committee. The aspiration in terms of using new and emerging technology is certainly something that we have had in mind and are actively progressing. I suppose most of the effort is going towards the permanent collection, digitising the collection and making them more accessible, but we are also looking at how we can use new technologies with our exhibitions program as well. The specific information regarding the Toulouse-Lautrec exhibition, I will happily take on notice and provide what specifically is being intended for that exhibition.</p>			
57	National Gallery of Australia	HUMPHRIES	Items sold to National Gallery	<p>Senator HUMPHRIES: Mr Froud, with respect to that issue I raised before, there are I understand 21 items which Mr Kapoor sold to the National Gallery, and Mr Kapoor has of course since been arrested on an international warrant for trading in stolen artefacts. Could you provide to the committee on notice details of those 21 items, particularly the name of the item, the country of origin, a description and how much was paid for each of those items.</p> <p>Mr Froud: We will happily take on notice that request.</p>	RRA&T 126		
58	National Gallery of Australia	HUMPHRIES	Purchase of <i>Shiva Lord of the Dance Sculpture</i>	<p>Senator HUMPHRIES: How much to the gallery pay for <i>Shiva Lord of the Dance</i> sculpture....So you implied there was no public money in the purchase of this sculpture?</p> <p>Mr Froud: There may have been some, but there was also private money involved.</p> <p>Senator HUMPHRIES: Can we know how much public money was in the sculpture's purchase?</p> <p>Mr Froud: I would have to take that on notice. I do not have that at hand.</p>	RRA&T 126		
59	Screen Australia	MILNE	Progress of Australian Children's films	<p>Senator MILNE: Given the time frame—and I apologise, because it is embarrassing—would you mind taking on notice my question about what Australian children's films are in progress. You said you knew of some, so if you could take that on notice I would appreciate that.</p>	RRA&T 128		

60	Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority	HUMPHRIES	Budget Cuts	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What impact will the Government's cuts to the Illicit Drugs in Sport program in the 2012-13 budget and MYEFO have on ASADA's capacity to detect and deter drug use offenses? 2. Will any staff positions be made redundant as a result of the abovementioned budget cuts? If so, how many FTE positions? 	Written		
61	Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority	HUMPHRIES	Drug Testing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many blood tests were carried out on cyclists by ASADA in each of 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, and 2011-12? 2. How many urine tests were carried out on cyclists by ASADA in each of 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, and 2011-12? 3. How many blood tests were carried out on rugby league players by ASADA in each of 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, and 2011-12? 4. How many blood tests were carried out on AFL players by ASADA in each of 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, and 2011-12? 5. How many blood tests were carried out on rugby union players by ASADA in each of 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, and 2011-12? 6. How many blood tests were carried out on football (soccer) players by ASADA in each of 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, and 2011-12? 7. How many athletes on the Australian team for the London Olympics were tested for doping offences by ASADA during or immediately before or after the Games? 	Written		
62	Australian Sports Commission	ABETZ	Use of <i>Body Politics</i>	<p>Senator ABETZ: Have you ever used the firm called Body Politics?</p> <p>Mr Hollingsworth: I would have to take that question on notice.</p>	RRA&T 130		
63	Australian Sports Commission	ABETZ	Team Building Costs	<p>Senator ABETZ: Has the ASC paid for any trips for so-called team building or so-called forward planning in the last couple of years?</p> <p>Mr Hollingsworth: Again, I would have to take the question on notice.</p> <p>Senator ABETZ: If you could do that for me. Could we be provided with details of the number of attendees and all expenditures incurred in relation to each of these trips?</p>	RRA&T 130		

64	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Pathways to Success – Sport and Education Strategy	<p>The following questions relate to the Government’s policy document “<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>”, which can be found on the ASC website at: http://www.ausport.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0011/368597/Australian_Sport_the_pathway_to_success.pdf</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the Government developed a Sport and Education strategy, as promised on page 2 of “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”? 2. If so, is the strategy consistent with the Government’s decision to reduce funding for the Active After School Communities program in the 2012-13 Budget, relative to previous years? 	Written		
65	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Funding Agreements with NSOs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Does the ASC now require increased an focus on participation as part of funding agreements with NSO’s, as promised on page 2 of “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”? 2. What are the tangible outcomes expected of NSO’s with respect to the “increased focus on participation outcomes” referred to in “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”? How are these outcomes being measured? 3. With one very minor exception, every National Sporting Organisation received the same participation-related grant in 2012-13 that it did in 2011-12. Did every NSO achieve its participation targets in 2011-12? If so, should the targets be more ambitious? If not, why was funding not reduced to the underperforming NSOs? 4. How many direct grants to community clubs have been disbursed, as promised on page 2 of “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”? What is the total value of the grants? Please provide a list of grant recipients, the value of each grant, and the purpose of each grant. 	Written		
66	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Assistance to coaches	<p>What new funding, training, support, and mentoring programs have been introduced to assist coaches as promised on page 2 of “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”?</p>	Written		
67	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Additional coaching and officiating training opportunities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the Sports Commission provided 45,000 additional coaching and officiating training opportunities since the release of “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”? If so, what was the nature of the training opportunities provided? If not, when will the 45,000 target be reached? 2. What is the total value of subsidies available to help with costs 	Written		

				for training 5000 new community coaches and officials, as noted on page 2 of “ <i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i> ”? How many coaches and officials have accessed the subsidies?			
68	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Talent ID Programs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the talent ID program been doubled, as promised on page 2 of “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>” 2. Where is the additional talent being sought? 3. Has the ASC employed additional talent scouts? 	Written		
69	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Sporting Role Models	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”, and Government commits to introducing a new program to enable our current and retired athletes to use their position as sporting role models to give back to the community or assist the development of aspiring sports men and women. Has this program been implemented? 2. If so, what is this program called? 3. How many former athletes are engaged with the program? 4. What is the cost of the program? 5. What is the nature of the activities undertaken through the program? 	Written		
70	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Role of Volunteers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”, and Government commits to recognising the critical role of volunteers to our entire sports system and introducing measures to support, subsidise and reward their efforts. 2. What measures have been introduced to support sport-related volunteers? 3. What measures have been introduced to subsidise sport-related volunteering activities? What is the total value of these subsidies provided in the 2011-12 financial year? 4. What measures have been introduced to reward sport-related volunteers? 	Written		
71	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Funding to retain high performance coaches	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much additional funding has been delivered to retain high performance coaches, as noted on page 2 of “<i>Australian Sport: the pathway to success</i>”? 	Written		
72	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Costs relating to London Olympics	<p>What was the total of all expenses incurred by the ASC directly related to the London Olympics, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Flights (please provide the total number of round trip flights to 	Written		

				<p>London paid for by the Sports Commission, including a breakdown of first class, business class, premium economy, and economy flights, and any other Olympics-related flights including Australian domestic flights and flights within Europe.)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Accommodation (please provide the total cost of accommodation paid by the Sports Commission for athletes, coaches, officials, supporters, family, etc) 3. Transfers and Transportation costs. (Please provide the total cost of all transfers and transport paid for by the Sports Commission, including airport transfers and public transport passes.) 4. Expenses and Allowances (Please provide the total cost of all expenses not included in the above three categories, including meal allowances, luggage allowances, clothing and laundry allowances, communications costs, and any other expenses incurred by the Sports Commission directly relating to the London Olympics). 			
73	Australian Sports Commission	HUMPHRIES	Costs relating to London Paralympics	<p>What was the total of all expenses incurred by the ASC directly related to the London Paralympics, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Flights (please provide the total number of round trip flights to London paid for by the Sports Commission, including a breakdown of first class, business class, premium economy, and economy flights, and any other Paralympics-related flights including Australian domestic flights and flights within Europe.) 2. Accommodation (please provide the total cost of accommodation paid by the Sports Commission for athletes, coaches, officials, supporters, family, etc) 3. Transfers and Transportation costs. (Please provide the total cost of all transfers and transport paid for by the Sports Commission, including airport transfers and public transport passes.) 4. Expenses and Allowances (Please provide the total cost of all expenses not included in the above three categories, including meal allowances, luggage allowances, clothing and laundry allowances, communications costs, and any other expenses incurred by the Sports Commission directly relating to the London Paralympics.) 	Written		

74	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Meeting of SRMC	<p>With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p.11) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.1:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Were all Ministers present at the SRMC meeting during which the Framework was agreed on? 2. Was COAG involved in developing the Framework (i.e. did the SRMC decide to involve COAG)? If so, what role did COAG play in the development of the Framework? 3. Was the framework endorsed by the Council of Australian Governments? 4. Has the SRMC met on any other occasions since the agreement was signed to discuss the Framework? 5. Are regular meetings of the SRMC set in place in order to discuss the progress of all governments in working within the Framework? 	Written		
75	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Release of Framework	<p>With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p.11) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.1:</p> <p>The front page of the Framework says that it was agreed to by all governments on 10 June 2011. The ASC’s notification of the release of the Framework is dated 13 December 2011 (see ASC website: http://www.ausport.gov.au/news/asc_news/story_467540_a_significant_step_forward_new_national_framework_to_align_sport_sector).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why did it take six months for the Framework to be released publicly? 	Written		
76	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Development of Framework	<p>With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p.11) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.1:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Page 3 of the Framework states that the Framework was “developed in consultation with sport and active recreation sectors”. Please provide a list of which sectors and groups/organisations were consulted during the development of the Framework. 2. To what extent were these sectors’ wishes included in the final Framework? 	Written		

77	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – National Goals	<p>With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p.11) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.1:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Page 7 of the Framework states that the Framework “provides a mechanism for engaging the whole sport and recreation industry in the achievement of national goals for sport and active recreation.” What exactly are these ‘national goals’? 	Written		
78	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Principles	<p>With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p.11) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.1:</p> <p>Page 8 of the Framework states that “all governments will play their part to progress priorities under the Framework in line with the following principles...”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have there been any instances where governments have not acted in line with the principles listed on page 8? 2. Who monitors governments to ensure that they progress priorities in line with the principles? 	Written		
79	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Commonwealth Government’s responsibilities	<p>What evidence can the government provide that it is carrying out the following responsibilities as listed in the Framework:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. “collaborating, consulting and partnering with state and territory governments in system leadership” 2. “formulating and coordinating policy that prioritises the intrinsic value of sport and active recreation and promotes sport and active recreation as tools to achieve whole of government objectives” 3. “collaborating with sport and active recreation organisations on national policy approaches” 4. “facilitating a strategic approach to the provision of sporting and active recreation infrastructure” 5. “improving governance and management of sport and active recreation organisations through capacity building and appropriate accountability” 6. “in partnership with state and territory governments, coordinating a national approach for bidding and staging of major international sporting events” 7. “Partnering with service providers to improve participation outcomes to targeted populations” 	Written		

				<p>8. “working to improve research and statistical information available on the sport and active recreation industry”</p> <p>9. “collaborating, engaging and partnering across government departments on shared policy areas”</p>			
80	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Research	<p>1. Has the government developed a national research agenda as described under the Commonwealth government’s responsibilities on page 11 of the Framework? If not, why has this not occurred? If so, what are the details of the research agenda (how much does it cost, who is responsible for it, how many staff are involved, what reporting requirements are involved with it)?</p> <p>2. Does the government fund national research and evaluation projects, as specified on page 11 of the Framework? If so, please provide details of all research and evaluation projects that the government funds, including the costs related to each.</p> <p>3. Has an independent evaluation of the Framework been completed? If so, what were the results of the evaluation? If not, when will an independent evaluation take place?</p> <p>4. Who will conduct the independent evaluation?</p>	Written		
81	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Staffing	<p>1. How many staff are responsible for monitoring the Framework?</p>	Written		
82	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Funding	<p>1. How much did it cost to develop the Framework?</p> <p>2. Which government department provided the funding?</p> <p>3. Are all state and territory governments funding ‘their sport policy, strategy and programs within the Framework’ as mentioned in the government’s response to the Crawford Report recommendation #1.1?</p> <p>4. On page 11 of the Framework, one of the government’s responsibilities is listed as “investing in outcomes and providing programs covering the whole of sport pathways”. How much money has the government invested in this? Please provide a breakdown of the funding for all financial years since the funding was given, and for the forward estimates.</p> <p>5. On page 11 of the Framework, one of the government’s responsibilities is listed as “investing in sport and active recreation infrastructure”. How much money has the</p>	Written		

				government invested in this? Please provide a breakdown of the funding for all financial years since the funding was given, and for the forward estimates.			
83	Australian Sports Commission	BERNRADI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Evaluation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Framework states (on page 15) that “the Committee of Australian Sport and Recreation Officials (CASRO) will facilitate Parties to the Framework establishing processes to monitor progress on elements of the Framework.” <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Have Parties to the Framework established processes to monitor progress on elements of the Framework? If so, when were these processes established? b. Did CASRO facilitate the establishment of these processes? If not, why not? If so, what role did CASRO play in helping to establish these processes? 2. According to the Framework (page 15), “a report on progress under the Framework will be provided annually by CASRO to all Ministers for Sport and Recreation” and that “progress reports will be collated in a format which will enable ready analysis.” <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since the release of the Framework, have progress reports been provided annually by CASRO to all Ministers for Sport and Recreation? If not, why not? If so, please provide the dates when these reports were given to the ministers. b. What were the contents of these progress reports to the ministers? 3. According to the Framework (page 15), the “Framework will be reviewed after two years.” <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Is this two year review expected to occur in June 2013? If not, why not? b. Who will conduct this two year review? 4. The Framework also states that a review will be held every four years, after the two year review. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. What are the dates for the ongoing four year reviews? 5. The Framework states that “the objectives and measured identified for the next decade across ‘priority areas of cooperation’ will evolve and be refined during the life of the Framework’. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Will ministers be informed when the ‘priority areas of cooperation’ are refined? b. When ‘priority areas of cooperation’ are refined, will the Framework document on the ASC’s website be updated so 	Written		

				that the public is made aware of the changes?			
84	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Priority Areas for Cooperation – Participation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 16), one of the objectives is to “increase participation in sport and active recreation” and success will be measured by “an increase in the number of Australians participating regularly in sport and active recreation; this would include membership of paid, events-based, school-based and program-based activities”. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since the Framework was released, has there been any increase in the number of Australians participating regularly in sport and active recreation? If so, how much was the increase? 1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 16), one of the objectives is to “increase participation of particular sub-groups under-represented in sport and active recreation” and success will be measured by “an increase in the number of people within specific population groups participating regularly in sport and active recreation”. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since the Framework was released, has there been any increase in the number of people within specific population groups participating regularly in sport and active recreation? If so, how much was the increase? 	Written		
85	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Priority Areas for Cooperation – International Performance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 17), one of the objectives is to continue to “excel in international sporting competition” with success being measured by “increased number of medals at Olympic, Paralympic Games and Commonwealth Games, and maintenance of Australia’s relatively high position in the overall medal tally in these events.” <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Does the government believe that it has achieved success in this priority with regard to the Olympic Games? b. Does the government believe that it has achieved success in this priority with regard to the Paralympic Games? c. Does the government believe that it has achieved success in this priority with regard to the Commonwealth Games? d. Has Australia maintained its relatively high position in the overall media tally in these events? e. How do our Olympic and Paralympic results of 2000, 2004 and 2008 compare to 2012? 2. A further measure of success is “improved average for world 			

				<p>rankings/results at significant benchmark events including World Championship and World Cup results as appropriate”.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Has the average improved for world rankings/results since the Framework was released? Please provide further detail. b. Please provide a list of all significant benchmark events that are used to determine this measure of success for the various sports. 			
86	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Priority Areas for Cooperation – National Competitions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 17), one of the objectives is to ensure that “Australian national sporting competitions are viable and prepare athletes for international success” with success being measured by “effectiveness and efficiency (including viability) of national competitions”. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since the Framework was released, have national competitions been more effective and efficient? b. Are national sporting competitions more viable? c. Have national competitions prepared athletes for international success? 2. A further measure of success is “an increase in the percentage of all athletes from each of the four categories (world-class, international-class, developing international and potential international) who compete in national competitions – by open and under age”. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since the Framework was released, has there been an increase in the percentage of all athletes from each of the four categories who compete in national competitions, in both open and under age competitions? 3. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 17), one of the objectives is to “showcase the sport and provide a revenue stream”. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since the Framework was released, has media coverage of sport increased and has it been successful in establishing a revenue stream? 	Written		
87	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Priority Areas for Cooperation – System Sustainability	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 18), one of the objectives is to “increase number of paid and unpaid workforce” with success being measured by “an increase in the number of skilled paid and unpaid workers in sport and active recreation organisations”. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since the Framework was released, has there been an increase in the number of skilled paid and unpaid workers 	Written		

				<p>in sport and active recreation organisations? If so, please provide details about how much the increase was.</p> <p>b. In what areas of sport have there been increases? What is the reason for this?</p> <p>c. In what areas of sport might there have been decreases in the number of workers? What is the reason for this?</p> <p>2. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 18), one of the objectives is to “increase the capacity, diversity and capability of organisations within the sport and active recreation system” with success measured by “evidence that National Sporting Organisations, State Sporting Organisations and Active Recreation Organisations are financially viable”.</p> <p>a. Since the Framework was released, what evidence can you provide that shows that National Sporting Organisations, State Sporting Organisations and Active Recreation Organisations are financially viable?</p> <p>3. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 18), one of the objectives is to “ensure sport and active recreation is valued and viable” with success measured by “community perception of the value of sport and active recreation”.</p> <p>a. Since the Framework was released, have community perceptions about the value of sport and active recreation improved?</p> <p>b. How are these perceptions measured?</p> <p>4. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 18), one of the objectives is to “operate successful sport and active recreation events” with success measured by “economic, social return and sports development outcomes attributable to sport and active recreation events”.</p> <p>a. Since the Framework was released, have successful sport and active recreation events been held that have brought about economic and social return and sports development outcomes attributable to these events? If so, please provide details of these events and how success was measured.</p> <p>5. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 18), one of the objectives is to “safeguard integrity in sport and active recreation” with success measured by “an increased proportion of National Sport Organisations, State Sport Organisations and Active Recreation Organisations adhering to good governance principles”.</p> <p>a. Since the Framework was released, has there been an</p>			
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				<p>increase in the proportion of NSOs, state SOs and active recreation organisations adhering to good governance principles? If so, please provide details of this increase.</p> <p>b. Who monitors whether these organisations adhere to good governance principles?</p> <p>6. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 18), one of the objectives is to “support participation through well planned, designed and managed facilities and open space” with success measured by “the extent to which the provision of facilities (including school facilities) meets the needs of communities”.</p> <p>a. Since the Framework was released, has the provision of facilities met the needs of communities?</p> <p>b. Have there been any problems with communities being unhappy with the provision of facilities?</p> <p>c. Who monitors the extent to which communities’ needs are met re the provision of facilities?</p>			
88	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Priority Areas for Cooperation – System Alignment and Collaboration	<p>1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 19), one of the objectives is “improved collaboration and alignment within the sport and active recreation system” with success measured by “Commonwealth, state and territory government sport and active recreation strategic and business plans are aligned to the goals and objectives of the Framework”.</p> <p>a. Are all Commonwealth government sport and active recreation strategic and business plans aligned with the goals and objectives of the Framework? If not, why not? If so, please provide details of these plans and how they are aligned with the goals and objectives of the Framework.</p> <p>b. Is the Commonwealth government aware if all the state and territory governments’ sport and active recreation strategic and business plans are aligned with the goals and objectives of the Framework? If not, why isn’t the Commonwealth aware of the state and territory governments’ compliance with this part of the Framework? If so, please provide details of these plans and how they are aligned with the goals and objectives of the Framework.</p>	Written		
89	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Priority Areas for	<p>1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 19), one of the objectives is to “increase use of sport and recreation to achieve wider public policy and social inclusion outcomes” with success measured by “an increased proportion of Australian</p>	Written		

			Cooperation – Helping to meet Broader Objectives	<p>(state and territory) portfolios using sport and active recreation activities, aligned appropriately with sport policies and programs in the same target group and/or geographical area, to achieve broader government and social development outcomes”.</p> <p>a. Since the Framework was released, has there been an increased proportion of Australian (state and territory) portfolios using sport and active recreation activities to achieve broader government and social development outcomes? If not, why not? If so, please provide evidence of this.</p>			
90	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework – Priority Areas for Cooperation – Research and Data Review	<p>1. Under the Priority Areas for Cooperation (page 19), one of the objectives is “a robust evidence base for activities in the sport and active recreation system” with success measured by “the availability and accessibility of statistical information and evidence based research appropriate to the Australian sport and active recreation system.”</p> <p>a. Since the Framework was released, has there been an increase in the availability of statistical information and evidence based research appropriate to the Australian sport and active recreation system? If not, why not? If so, please provide details of this increase.</p> <p>b. Since the Framework was released, has there been an increase in the accessibility of statistical information and evidence based research appropriate to the Australian sport and active recreation system? If not, why not? If so, please provide details of this increase.</p> <p>2. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 2.3:</p> <p>a. Does the Framework include all of the following (as specified in the recommendation):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. solving problems, ii. allocating Australian Government money to elite and community organisations iii. strengthening and evaluating the national sporting organisations, and iv. building collaboration across the sports system? <p>b. How have these all be achieved? (i.e. How does the</p>	Written		

				<p>framework ensure that national sporting agencies are strengthened and evaluated appropriately?)</p> <p>c. Does the ASC have to report regularly to the government regarding the progress of the Framework?</p> <p>3. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p14) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 3.2:</p> <p>a. Please provide an explanation as to how the Framework addresses recommendation 3.2, i.e. that for elite sport, the Commonwealth government should be responsible for support of national level programs, state and territory governments for state and territory level programs and in association with local governments for developmental programs.</p>			
91	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Sport Research	<p>1. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p12) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.3 (a):</p> <p>a. The government stated that a "significant body of research is currently commissioned and conducted by government agencies and educational institutions." Please list each body of research that is commissioned and conducted by government agencies and educational institutions.</p> <p>b. Does the government regard the 'research and data review' section of the Framework (Page 19) to adequately address the government's promise to have a 'national research agenda' in the Framework? If not, why not? If so, please explain in what ways the information on page 19 of the Framework adequately addresses the government's promise to have a 'national research agenda' in the Framework.</p> <p>c. Has the research agenda engaged with the sport and active recreation sector to identify priorities, as mentioned in the government's response to recommendation 1.3?</p> <p>d. Has the research agenda been able to identify priorities? If so, what are the priorities for the research agenda?</p> <p>2. In the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p9) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "The Australian Government is</p>	Written		

				<p>committed to investment in sport science by: “Expanding funding support for applied research projects that contribute to improved performance by Australian athletes and teams, and expanding the availability of sports science support for athletes”.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Is this research ongoing? What are some of the outcomes found by the research? As a part of this research is statistics and other data collected to inform policy development generally and to assist ongoing evaluation of national sport policy framework strategies? b. What costs are associated with collecting and maintaining this research and data collection? c. Which agency is responsible for carrying out this research? d. How much additional funding was given for applied research projects? Please provide a breakdown of the funding for all financial years since the additional funding was given, and for the forward estimates. e. Which research projects received additional funding? f. How many athletes have benefited from an expansion of the availability of sports science support for athletes since the government released its response to the Crawford Report? g. What funding was required for this to occur? Please provide a breakdown of the funding for all financial years since the additional funding was given, and for the forward estimates. 			
92	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Participation Data	<p>With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p12) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.3(b):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Did the ASC develop a system for ‘collection of participation data from national sporting organisations’? 2. If so, is this system “reliable, valid, repeatable and comparable across sports”? 3. What report mechanisms are in place relating to this system? (i.e. does this system report regularly on the findings about participation in Australia to the government or other agencies/departments?) 4. What costs are associated with this system? Please provide figures for all financial years since the system was put in place, 	Written		

				including forward estimates.			
93	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Doping in Sport	<p>With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p12) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 1.4:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the Australian government ensured that Australia remains at the forefront of the global fight against doping, according to international standards? If so, in what way has this been achieved? 2. Does Australia's domestic anti-doping regime reflect the world's best practice in deterrence, detection and enforcement? 3. Were the Australian Government's reforms to ASADA's governance arrangements successful in enhancing its response to doping issues? 4. Has the government's anti-doping program been enforced into best practice standards through ASADA? 5. Is ASADA at the forefront of the fight against doping in sport? 	Written		
94	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Sport Institutes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p13) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 2.2: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Has a 'stronger alignment between the AIS and the state and territory institutes and academies of sport in partnership with state and territory governments' been achieved by the government, as it promised in its response to this recommendation? In what way is this measured? b. Has duplication been reduced? If so, how has this been achieved? Please provide examples. c. Has better coordination been achieved? If so, how has this been achieved? Please provide examples. d. Does the government still consider the ASC as the best organisation to deliver the Active After-School Communities Program? 2. In the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "SRMC has also agreed for the first time to undertake reform that will improve the alignment of Australia's institutes and academies of sport, breathing new life into...the Australian Institute of Sport (AIS) and the state and 	Written		

				<p>territory institutes and academies of sport (SIS/SAS).”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Was the agreement unanimous? If not, who was not in favour of the Framework agreement? b. When did the reform start? c. Are there any benchmarks related to his reform? d. How has the reform progressed since it was implemented? 			
95	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	ASC Board and AIS Directors	<p>With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p13) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 2.4:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Since May 2010 the government appointed the following people to the ASC Board: Andrew Plympton, Ann Sherry, Michael Turtur, John Lee, Ken Ryan and Glenys Beauchamp. Were any other appointments made to the ASC Board between May 2010 and the present? b. Since May 2010, what changes have been made to the ASC senior executive staff? c. Please provide a list of all members who have served on the ASC Board since 2002, and please include the date that each person was appointed and the date that they stopped serving on the Board. d. Please provide a list of all ASC Board Chairs since 2002 (including Acting Chairs) and please include the date that each person was appointed as Chair and the date that they stopped serving as Chair. e. Please provide a list of all the Directors of the AIS since 2002 (including Acting Directors) and please include the date that each person was appointed as Director and the date that they stopped serving as Director. f. Has the Government assessed the ASC board structure, to ensure members of executive staff and the ASC board were in alignment with the Government’s new approach to sport? 	Written		
96	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	New National Operational Model	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p14) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 3.1: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. To clarify, when the government refers to a ‘new national operational model’ in its response to recommendation 3.1, is it referring to the Framework? If not, please see the 	Written		

				<p>questions below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> b. Has a new operational model been established for the sports institutes and does it coincide with recommendation 3.1? c. Does this new approach deliver a more aligned, co-ordinated and effective sport system? d. Does the new national operational model for sports institutes clarify the roles and responsibilities of these institutes? e. Has this operational model developed a coordinated, national high performance strategy? f. Has the operation model been implemented nationally? g. Does the operational model encourage Federal, state/territory government partnership? Does it reflect shared investment, influence and accountability of Federal and states/territory governments? h. Does the operation model support/coincide with the national outcomes outlined in the National Sport and Active Recreation Policy Framework? i. Does the operation model provide flexibility to local institutions and provide options to athletes at different levels? j. Are sports institutes and academies included as partners under the model, or just as service providers? k. Does the model promote economic efficiency? <p>2. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p14) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 3.3:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Was this recommendation considered under the national operational model? If so, are state and territory based programs, as outlined in recommendation 3.2, funded and supported by state/territory governments? b. Are these programs successful in identifying and preparing athletes for progression into national sport programs? 			
97	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Sport Facilities	<p>With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p15) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 3.4:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Under the new national operational model, have arrangements 	Written		

				been negotiated between the Federal and state/territory governments to make use of existing facilities appropriately?			
98	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	High Performance	<p>1. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p15) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 3.5:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Under the national operational model, are elite sports programs delivered at optimal locations? b. What are these locations? c. Does the national operation model allow for the engagement of other providers at an elite level, such as universities and private organisations (where appropriate)? <p>2. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that the ASC will be tasked with progressing ‘Pathway to Success’ and distributing funding to maximise the government’s whole-of-sport reform agenda. “This agenda includes: Boosting funding support for our high performance athletes and the retention of our high performance coaches.”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How much funding has been used to retain our high performance coaches since the government delivered this response? b. How many high performance coaches have been retained in Australia in this time? c. How much funding has been provided to high performance athletes since the government released this response? d. Page 8 of the government’s response to the Crawford Report states that the government “will provide: a funding boost to enable the retention and support of national head coaches and senior coaches within the Australian sport system”. Is this the same promise that was made by the government on page 2 when it said that the whole-of-sport reform agenda includes boosting funding for the retention of our high performance coaches? <p>3. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p8) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “We will: Expand support for our targeted elite athletes ranked in the top 3 in the world, as well as extending support to those tanked top 10 in the world... [and] Provide funding to increase payments to our top athletes</p>	Written		

				<p>to ensure they can focus on their daily training and are competition ready.”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. What additional support has been given to athletes ranked top 3 in the world? b. How many athletes have received additional assistance? c. What costs are associated with this assistance? Please give figures for the financial years since the additional assistance started, and for the forward estimates. d. What additional support has been given to athletes ranked top 10 in the world? e. How many athletes have received additional assistance? f. What costs are associated with this assistance? Please give figures for the financial years since the additional assistance started, and for the forward estimates. g. What is the total funding provided by government to increase payments to top athletes to ensure they can focus on training? Please give figures for the financial years since the additional assistance started, and for the forward estimates. h. Please provide a list of the athletes that received increased payments under this promise. 			
99	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sporting Organisations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p15) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 4.1: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Does the Government’s solution appropriately address the recommendation? b. Do national sporting organisations have primary responsibility through government funding for the development of their own high performance programs? c. Does the ASC assist these organisations with appropriate funding to development sporting program on a case-by-case basis? d. Does the government’s approach enhance national sporting organisations’ capacity, governance and planning, and increase participation? 2. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p15) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 4.2: 	Written		

				<p>a. Do the funding agreements (mentioned in the government's response) make the 'adoption of appropriate and national skills-based governance structures that reflect the diversity of membership a funding condition for national sporting organisations'?</p> <p>3. In the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "...the ASC...will be tasked with progressing Australian Sport: The Pathway to Success and distributing funding to maximise the Australian Government's whole-of-sport reform agenda."</p> <p>a. Exactly what amount of funds is the ASC responsible for in regard to 'distributing funding' to maximise the reform agenda?</p> <p>b. How much money has the ASC distributed to date?</p> <p>c. To which programs/organisations has the ASC distributed funding to?</p> <p>d. Are there any checks/balances in place regarding the distribution of this funding?</p> <p>4. With reference to the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p16) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 4.3:</p> <p>a. Have national sporting organisations been provided with additional funding to grow participation at a community level? If so, how much funding was provided by the Australian Government?</p> <p>b. Please provide a list of each national sporting organisation that received this funding, including the details of how much funding each organisation received.</p> <p>c. Are sporting organisations required to deliver participation outcomes as a part of their funding agreement?</p> <p>d. What have been the participation outcomes since this has been implemented (if it has been implemented)?</p> <p>e. Have any organisations failed to deliver the required outcomes?</p> <p>5. With reference to the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p16) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 4.4:</p> <p>a. Are national sporting organisations that are heavily reliant</p>			
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				<p>on public funding on national rolling five-year plans that set targets and measures by which the national sporting organisations are judged? If not, in what way has the ASC addressed this recommendation through its funding agreements, as specified in the government's response?</p> <p>b. Does the government consider the ASC's 'Sports Governance Principles' of March 2012 (announced by Minister Lundy on 19 April 2012) an adequate answer to this recommendation?</p> <p>6. With reference to the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p16) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 4.5:</p> <p>a. Did the government contact the ASC about this? If so, when did this occur?</p> <p>b. Does the ASC work with smaller national organisations to ensure functions and services are shared, accessible and are not duplicated?</p> <p>c. Have state/territory and local governments adopted this approach?</p> <p>d. Have there been duplications of functions since the Government's response was released?</p> <p>e. Is 'sharing' a condition of financial support for national sporting organisations?</p> <p>7. With reference to the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p16) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 4.6:</p> <p>a. Has the ASC and the NSOs identified suitable options to increase revenue and decrease their reliance on public funding?</p> <p>b. Can you provide evidence or examples of NSOs holding events that raise their profile outside of the Olympics? Can you please provide a list?</p> <p>c. Does the government and the ASC believe that NSOs are successfully engaged in raising their profiles outside of the Olympics?</p> <p>d. Leading up to the 2012 London Olympics, were national sporting organisations hosting events to raise the profile of their sport outside of the Olympics?</p> <p>e. Have National Sporting organisations been able to create</p>			
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				revenue streams by adopting this approach?			
100	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport and Education Strategy	<p>1. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p17) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 5.1:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The National Sport and Education Strategy was due for completion in 2012 (according to the ASC’s 2010-11 annual report). Did the government and the ASC meet this deadline? On what date was the strategy implemented? b. What are the aims of the Strategy? c. Are there benchmarks in place to gauge the success of the Strategy? d. What role does sport and physical education have in the National School Curriculum? Are state and territory governments on board with the role of sport and physical education in the National School Curriculum? e. When did the Education Minister agree that ACARA should prioritise PE in the development of the National Curriculum? f. Was physical education prioritised in the development of phase three of the National Curriculum? g. What constitutes ‘maximised’ in reference to the number of hours committed to PE in the school curriculum be maximised? <p>2. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “This agenda includes...a Sport and Education Strategy – to increase the role and effectiveness of sport in schools and to boost the number of our children participating in our sporting base”.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Has the Strategy increased the role and effectiveness of sport in schools? What evidence can you provide to demonstrate this? b. What increase has there been in the number of children participating in sport? What evidence can you provide to demonstrate this? <p>3. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p3) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The Australian Government will deliver a National Sport and Education Strategy that...will:</p>	Written		

				<p>Boost teachers' skills under the <i>Improving Teacher Quality National Partnership</i> to ensure high quality sport and physical education is delivered in our schools. The Australian Government will work with the states and territories and ACARA to achieve national professional standards for teachers in this area".</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How have teachers' skills been boosted (under the <i>Improving Teacher Quality National Partnership</i>) to ensure high quality sport and physical education is delivered in our schools? What tangible evidence do you have to show that teachers' skills have been boosted in this area? Has this been a measure that has been implemented across all schools in Australia? Did the Australian Government contact ACARA, as well as the state and territory governments, about achieving national standards for teachers in this area? Have the standards been put in place? 			
101	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Curriculum	<p>With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p17) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 5.2:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Was the national curriculum for sport and physical education considered before/during the second phase of the national curriculum? If not, at what stage in the curriculum process was sport and PE considered? 	Written		
102	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	School sporting facilities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p17) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 5.3: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What percentage or dollar figure of the claimed \$16.2 billion was spent on sport and recreational facilities? With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>, 2010, p18) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 5.4: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Was this recommendation addressed as part of the Strategy? If so, in what way was it addressed? What exactly has the government done to work with 	Written		

				<p>schools to ensure that communities have access to facilities?</p> <p>c. What evidence does the government have that more members of the community are accessing halls and covered learning areas?</p> <p>3. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p18) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 5.5:</p> <p>a. Was this recommendation addressed as part of the Strategy? If so, in what way was it addressed?</p> <p>b. What exactly has the government done to work with tertiary education and other institutional sporting facilities to ensure that communities have access to facilities?</p> <p>c. What evidence does the government have that more members of the community are accessing these facilities?</p>			
103	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Active After-school Communities	<p>With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p18) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 5.6:</p> <p>a. What evidence can the government provide of the 'closer alignment' between the Active After-school Communities (AASC) program with community sport, national sporting organisations and other education-based programs?</p> <p>b. Does the government still consider the ASC as the best organisation to deliver the Active After-School Communities Program?</p>	Written		
104	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	National Sport Volunteer Strategy	<p>1. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p19) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 6.1:</p> <p>a. I understand that the ASC Clearinghouse was conducting consultations regarding the National Sport Volunteer Strategy in 2011. Please provide details of who was consulted and when these consultations occurred and/or which organisations made submissions to the ASC Clearinghouse during the consultation period.</p> <p>b. Has the government implemented the National Sport Volunteer Strategy? If so, when was it implemented?</p>	Written		

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> c. Does this Strategy aim to ‘better strategically engage, support, train and recognise our sport volunteers’? d. Does the Strategy ‘support and contribute to the Government’s National Volunteering Strategy’? e. What are the other elements of the Strategy? f. Are there any benchmarks in place regarding the Strategy? g. Please provide a copy of the Strategy. h. Who is responsible for monitoring the Strategy to ensure that it is achieving its objectives? i. Is any government funding allocated to this Strategy? j. By how much have sport volunteer numbers increased since the Strategy was implemented? k. How many sport volunteers have been trained since the Strategy was implemented? l. In what way have sports volunteers been recognised since the Strategy was implemented? <p>2. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p19) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 6.2:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Are AIS scholarship holders required to volunteer at local community sporting clubs or junior sport programs? b. In what capacity do they volunteer? c. Are there requirements about the amount of time that athletes are required to volunteer for? d. Are records kept about where/for how long athletes volunteer? e. Has the government established sources within the ASC to ‘retired and current athletes with charity, government or non-government organisations delivering a range of initiatives that aim to strengthen our community’? f. Has the ASC set up a mechanism for athletes to register their interest and to provide a matchmaking service? g. How many athletes have used this mechanism? h. What costs are associated with these two initiatives? i. What benchmarks are in place to ensure that these initiatives are working? <p>3. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p6) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The Australian Government will support sport volunteers and our community coaches and</p>			
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				<p>officials by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Providing funding support to NSOs to deliver coaching and officiating education programs, especially in regional areas b. Providing additional funding to targeted national sporting organisations to enable them to employ development staff where required to drive volunteer programs and initiatives through their sport at a grassroots level”. c. How many coaching and officiating education programs have started since the government released its response to the Crawford Report? d. How many of these programs take place in regional areas? e. How much government funding was allocated to this program? f. How many development staff have been employed to drive volunteer programs and initiatives? g. What is the amount of the ‘additional funding’ provided by government for this? <p>4. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that the ASC will be tasked with progressing ‘Pathway to Success’ and distributing funding to maximise the government’s whole-of-sport reform agenda. “This agenda includes: Recognising the critical role of volunteers to our entire sports system and introducing measures to support, subsidise and reward their efforts.”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. In what way has the new agenda recognised volunteers? What costs are associated with this? b. What measures have been introduced to support volunteers? What costs are associated with this? c. What measures have been introduced to subsidise sport volunteers? What costs are associated with this? d. What measures have been introduced to support sport volunteers? What costs are associated with this? 			
105	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Community Sport	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p19) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 6.3: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Has the government (in partnership with the state and territory governments) assembled data on the sport and recreation facility needs and priorities of communities and 	Written		

				<p>regions?</p> <p>b. If so, what were the findings of this data? What action is being taken by government regarding the findings?</p> <p>2. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p20) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 6.4:</p> <p>a. Have all projects related to the \$300 million been completed? Was the budget of \$300 million adhered to or were there blow outs with this budget?</p> <p>b. Was the effectiveness of the ASF reviewed, as the government mentioned? If so, what were the findings of the review? Has the effectiveness of the ASF been improved as a result of the review?</p> <p>3. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p20) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 6.6:</p> <p>a. Has preference been given by government to projects that have the potential to engage wide sections of the community?</p> <p>4. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p21) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 7.2:</p> <p>a. Did the government consider the appropriateness of choosing geographic areas to establish sport, recreation and volunteering programs? What were the government's conclusions about acting on this?</p> <p>b. Has the ASC taken this recommendation into account when developing its policies?</p> <p>5. With reference to the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p21) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 7.3:</p> <p>a. Has the government ensured that all NSOs have developed participation plans in partnership with their state/territory associations? If not, how many NSOs are yet to develop participation plans? If so, how many NSOs have a participation plan in place?</p> <p>b. What evidence is there that these plans have broadened</p>			
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				<p>participation in local clubs?</p> <p>c. Who monitors these plans to ensure that they are achieving their aims?</p> <p>6. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p23) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 8.5:</p> <p>a. Has access to the ASF been simplified? In what way has this been achieved?</p> <p>b. Have the services at the ASF been enhanced? In what way has this been achieved?</p> <p>c. Have there been improvements in that way awareness has been raised about the ASF?</p> <p>7. With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p23) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 8.6:</p> <p>a. Have the costs of participation for Australian families been reduced since the government’s response was released?</p> <p>b. Has the ‘Pathways to Success’ contributed to the reduction of the cost of participation for Australian families? If so, in what way?</p> <p>c. What is the total government funding that was supplied to the NSOs to deliver direct financial assistance to support participation initiatives, since the government released this response? Was the Local Sporting Champions program doubled?</p> <p>d. Were 4,000 more people assisted through the program?</p> <p>e. What costs were associated with this doubling of the program?</p> <p>8. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “This agenda includes.....boosting funding opportunities for NSOs to grow grassroots participation through direct grants to community clubs.”</p> <p>a. Have the direct grants to community clubs increased grassroots participation? What evidence can you provide of this?</p> <p>9. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “We will support national sporting</p>			
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				<p>organisations (NSOs) to expand participation at a community level by: Providing NSOs with additional funding to grow participation at a community level and require them to deliver improved participation outcomes as part of their funding agreements with the ASC”.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What amount is this ‘additional funding’? Please provide answers for all financial years since the additional funding was allocated. Are ‘improved participation outcomes’ included in every funding agreement between NSOs and the ASC? Are all NSOs complying with the participation outcomes? If not, can you provide the names of these NSOs and the circumstances in which they are not complying? Is the government able to directly correlate the additional funding with any increase in participation? In the last five financial years how much funding did the ASC give to NSOs? 			
106	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Funding	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> With reference to the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p21) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 8.1: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Of the \$195.2 million announced in the 2010-11 Budget for the ASC, how much has already been spent in the previous financial years (i.e. 2010-11, 2011-12)? How much has been allocated for the 2012-13 and 2012-14 financial years? (is this the same amount that is specified in the 2011-12 Budget Paper No.2)? The 2010-11 Budget Paper No 2 (page 208) provided details of which programs would receive the \$195.2 million in funding (e.g. direct athlete support, talent identification). Please provide a list of all programs/administration that received or will receive funding out of the \$195.2 million (and please include the dollar amount that each program will receive). Exactly how much has the government invested in this ‘development pathway’? What benchmarks are in place to ensure that the development pathway is receiving the attention it deserves and is a priority for the ASC and government? With reference to the Australian Government’s response 	Written		

				<p>(‘<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>’, 2010, p22) to the Crawford Report, particularly its response to Crawford Report recommendation 8.2:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Has the Australian Government been working more closely with state and territory governments with regard to sport since the government released this response to the Crawford Report? b. What evidence can you provide of this closer relationship? <p>3. In the Australian Government’s response (‘<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>’, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that there has been“...a record \$1.2 billion in Australian Government funding over the next four years for Australian sport.” Also see Minister Ellis’ 11 May 2010 media release: “The Rudd Government will invest a record \$1.2 billion in sport over the next four years...”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Please provide a breakdown of this \$1.2 billion for all financial years since the announcement was made (11 May 2010) and for the forward estimates, including which departments/agencies have received funding, which programs have received funding and the dollar amounts for each. <p>4. In the Australian Government’s response (‘<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>’, 2010, p6) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “In 2007-08 the Australian Government invested almost \$167 million to deliver 140 sport and recreation infrastructure projects across Australia”.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Have all 140 projects been completed? b. Please provide a list of all the projects funded using this funding for all financial years since 2007-08 (inclusive). <p>5. In the Australian Government’s response (‘<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>’, 2010, p6) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The government provided over \$1 billion through the Regional and Local Community Infrastructure Program from which over \$300 million was provided to support community sport and local clubs...”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Please provide a list of all the projects/community sport clubs/local clubs that received the \$300m in funding through the Regional and Local Community Infrastructure Program, including their locations. 			
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107	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Women in Sport	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p5) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "The Australian Government will further support women's sport by: Providing additional funding and resources to improve the media coverage of Australian women's sport" <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How much was this additional funding? b. Can you provide a breakdown of this funding for the previous financial years (2009-10 onwards) and also for the forward estimates? c. Who received this funding? d. Were any benchmarks linked with this funding? e. The Sports Minister's media release of 20 May 2012 ('New report reveals poor media coverage of women in sport') stated that the government allocated funding towards supporting a televised Westfield Women's League, supporting the Trans-Tasman Netball competition and coverage of the ANZ Netball Championships and to supporting the 5th IWG International Conference on Women and Sport. What were the total funds allocated for each of these programs? Please provide a breakdown of where the funds were spent, since the financial year in which these programs started and also including the forward estimates (as appropriate). f. Were these the only programs aimed at addressing the government's promise to provide resources to improve the media coverage of Australian women's sport? If not, please provide details of the other programs. 2. In the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p5) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "The Australian Government will further support women's sport by: Establishing a new 'women in sport register' to connect sport with potential female board and administration candidates, grow the number of women on Australia's sporting boards and to help promote inclusive cultures that support women in sport." <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Has the women in sport register been established? If so, on what date was it established? b. Which department/agency is responsible for maintaining the register? c. How successful has the register been in connecting sport 	Written		
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				<p>with potential female board and administration candidates? Please provide evidence of this.</p> <p>d. Have the number of women on Australia’s sporting boards increased since the register was established? If so, by how much?</p> <p>e. Has the register helped to promote inclusive cultures that support women in sport? If so, how has this been achieved?</p> <p>f. What costs are associated with the register? Please provide a breakdown of this funding for the financial years since the register’s establishment and for the forward estimates.</p> <p>3. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p5) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The Australian Government will further support women’s sport by: Establishing Women in Sport Awards to recognise exemplary initiatives which provide special support for women’s and girls’ participation in sport, whether as players, coaches, administrators or officials.”</p> <p>a. Have the Women in Sport Awards been established? If so, on what date was it established?</p> <p>b. What costs are associated with the awards? Please provide a breakdown of this funding for the financial years since the register’s establishment and for the forward estimates.</p> <p>4. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p5) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The Australian Government will further support women’s sport by: Requesting the ASC work with national sporting organisations and other key bodies such as the Butterfly Foundation to develop strategies to tackle body image issues which affect women’s participation in sport, especially amongst girls.”</p> <p>a. Did the government request that the ASC work with NSOs and other bodies to tackle body image issues? If so, what action has been taken to carry this out?</p> <p>b. What costs are associated with the awards? Please provide a breakdown of this funding for the financial years since the register’s establishment and for the forward estimates.</p>			
108	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Coaching	<p>1. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that the ASC will be tasked with progressing ‘Pathway to Success’ and distributing funding to maximise the</p>	Written		

				<p>government's whole-of-sport reform agenda. "This agenda includes: Recognising the importance of quality coaching right across the sporting spectrum and introducing new funding, training, support and mentoring to assist our coaches."</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How much new funding has been spent on assisting coaches? b. What programs are in place to assist with training coaches? c. What programs are in place to assist with mentoring coaches? d. What other programs are in place to assist coaches? e. How successful have these programs been in assisting coaches? <p>2. In the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that the ASC will be tasked with progressing 'Pathway to Success' and distributing funding to maximise the government's whole-of-sport reform agenda. "This agenda includes: Providing additional coaching and officiating training opportunities for up to 45,000 community coaches and officials and subsidised costs associated with training for 5,000 new community coaches and officials."</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Have 45,000 coaching and officiating training opportunities been provided for? b. How many of these have been provided for coaching, and how many for officiating? c. Have subsidies been made available for the 5,000 training spots for new community coaches and officials? How much funding was required for these subsidies? 			
109	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Talent identification	<p>In the Australian Government's response (<i>'Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success'</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that the ASC will be tasked with progressing 'Pathway to Success' and distributing funding to maximise the government's whole-of-sport reform agenda. "This agenda includes: Doubling our talent identification program – ensuring that our future champions are both discovered and assisted to reach their full potential."</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the talent identification program been doubled? 2. What is the total funding given to the talent identification program? Please provide figures for the financial years from 2007-08 onwards, and please include the forward estimates 	Written		

				figures.			
110	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Expanding sporting competitions	<p>In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that the ASC will be tasked with progressing ‘Pathway to Success’ and distributing funding to maximise the government’s whole-of-sport reform agenda. “This agenda includes:…expanding the number of domestic competitions available for Australian athletes to compete in.”</p> <p>1. Have the number of domestic competitions been expanded? If so, by how many?</p>	Written		
111	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Attending competitions	<p>1. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p2) to the Crawford Report, the government states that the ASC will be tasked with progressing ‘Pathway to Success’ and distributing funding to maximise the government’s whole-of-sport reform agenda. “This agenda includes: Assisting our high performance athletes to attend and compete strongly in international competition.”</p> <p>a. How many athletes have been given assistance to attend international competitions since the government delivered this response?</p> <p>b. What costs are associated with this measure since the government delivered its response?</p> <p>2. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p8) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “We will: Provide funding to support athletes to attend and participate in more international competitions, with a particular focus on emerging athletes and national junior development”.</p> <p>a. How much funding has gone towards emerging athletes and national junior development as a part of this promise?</p>	Written		
112	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Social Inclusion and Sport Strategy	<p>In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p4) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The ASC will also work closely with relevant portfolio areas across Government to deliver a Social Inclusion and Sport Strategy to support the development of pathways to increase opportunities for all Australians in sport, particularly those who may be marginalised or disadvantaged. The strategy will focus on supporting activities and initiatives that</p>	Written		

				<p>maximise the participation of all Australians in sport regardless of their ethnicity, religion, sexuality or gender.”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the Social Inclusion and Sport Strategy been implemented? If so, on what date was it implemented? 2. Which portfolio areas are involved in this Strategy? 3. Was the ASC allocated any funds from government to develop this Strategy? 4. What benchmarks are in place to measure the success of the Strategy? 5. Has the Strategy increased the number of marginalised/disadvantaged people participating in sport since the government released ‘Pathways to Success’? 			
113	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Supporting people and athletes with disability	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p4) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The Australian Government will expand opportunities for people with disability to participate in sport and support our high performance athletes with disability by: Increasing funding and resources for talent identification for people with disability as part of our initiative to double the national talent identification network to provide talent identification and development opportunities for up to 5,000 additional young aspiring athletes”. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How many of the 5,000 athletes were athletes with disability? b. What amount of the funding went towards identification of athletes with disability? 2. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p4) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “The Australian Government will expand opportunities for people with disability to participate in sport and support our high performance athletes with disability by: Increasing funding for high performance programs to prepare our athletes with disability for future international competition” <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How much was this funding for high performance programs? b. Which programs received the funding? c. Were there any performance benchmarks/outcomes linked to the funding? 3. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport:</i> 	Written		

				<p><i>the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p4) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "The Australian Government will expand opportunities for people with disability to participate in sport and support our high performance athletes with disability by: Providing funding support for the broadcast of the London 2012 Paralympic Games".</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How much was this funding for the broadcast of the 2012 Paralympics? b. Who received the funding? <p>4. In the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p4) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "The Australian Government will expand opportunities for people with disability to participate in sport and support our high performance athletes with disability by: Providing additional funding to NSOs and our sporting institutes to offer our top coaches packages which will make it viable to continue coaching in Australia".</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. What was the amount of this additional funding for coaching packages? b. How many coaches have remained in Australia as a result of this funding? c. How many coaches have been offered packages but have rejected them and gone overseas? <p>5. In the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p4) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "The Australian Government will expand opportunities for people with disability to participate in sport and support our high performance athletes with disability by: Exploring measures to enhance the opportunities for people with disability in rehabilitation or treatment to access sports pathways".</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. What action has been taken to 'explore measures' to help people with disability access sports pathways? b. Have any measures been implemented? 			
114	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Indigenous participation in sport	<p>1. In the Australian Government's response ('<i>Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success</i>', 2010, p5) to the Crawford Report, the government states that "We will: Include specific measures aimed at identifying talented Indigenous Australians, as part of the initiative to double the national talent identification network to provide talent identification and development opportunities</p>	Written		

				<p>for up to 5,000 additional young aspiring athletes.”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How many of the 5,000 athletes were Indigenous athletes? b. What amount of the funding went towards identification of Indigenous athletes? <p>2. In the Australian Government’s response (<i>‘Australian Sport: the Pathway to Success’</i>, 2010, p5) to the Crawford Report, the government states that “We will: Fund the expansion of talent scouts and talent identification programs particularly in regional Australia, which will boost the numbers of Indigenous juniors entering the development pathway”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. How much government funding was provided to expand talent scouts and talent identification programs particularly in regional Australia? Please provide a breakdown of this funding for the financial years since the initiative’s establishment and for the forward estimates. b. What has been the increase in talents scouts and talent identification programs across Australia, and particularly in regional areas, since the initiative was implemented? c. How many Indigenous juniors have entered the development pathway since the government released this response to the Crawford report? d. Has there been any increase when compared to previous years (i.e. has this extra funding ‘boosted’ the number of indigenous juniors entering the development pathway as indicated by the government)? 			
115	Australian Sports Commission	BERNARDI	Sports Governance Principles	<p>In Minister Lundy’s media release of March 2012, she states “...the revised sport governance principles have been developed by the Australian Sports Commission after extensive consultation with the industry.”</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Was this revision of sport governance principles prompted by the Crawford Report and the government’s response to the report? 2. How long did it take the ASC to develop the revised principles (i.e. from first discussion about this issue to the time they were publicly released)? 3. Please provide a list of which organisations/groups the ASC consulted with in developing the principles. 4. Are all organisations/groups satisfied with the principles? Has the ASC heard any negative feedback from any group regarding these principles? 	Written		

				5. Is the government aware of how many national sporting organisations follow the principles in their own governance arrangements?			
116	Corporate	MACDONALD	Voluntary Redundancies	<p>Senator IAN MACDONALD: Do you have a calculation of the money expected to be saved as a result of those staffing cuts?</p> <p>Mr Clout: I would have to take that on notice. We would have to calculate the salaries of those staff members who took a VR and add them up.</p>	RRA&T 81		
117	Corporate	MACDONALD	Co-location of offices	<p>Senator IAN MACDONALD: Okay. But are you co-locating—not in the capital cities, but in the other offices—different agencies in your department which currently have separate places of work?</p> <p>Ms Beauchamp: For efficiency reasons, if we have a number of staff in a particular location, we will be ensuring that they are at least located in the same building, if it is going to provide us with savings around rent, for example.</p> <p>Senator IAN MACDONALD: Could you on notice give us a bit more detail of which locations you are going to shut one office and join it to another.</p> <p>Mr Clout: Senator, maybe I could assist. We are not intending to close any offices in any particular locations. The only thing we may be intending to do is, as leases expire, or where we have an arrangement with another department that is not a lease but whose premises we may be occupying—for example, the department of families and community services—we are looking to consolidate. If we have Arts staff and Regional staff et cetera in the one city, for instance in Perth, we are looking at bringing them together as soon as we can within the constraints of the lease or the accommodation arrangement that is in place at the time. But we are not intending to close any locations at this stage.</p> <p>Senator IAN MACDONALD: Well, can you just share with us on notice where that is being planned in the current financial year.</p>	RRA&T83		
118	Corporate	JOYCE	Locations of DRALGAS offices	<p>Senator JOYCE: Can you please provide on notice the complete list of the department's offices throughout Australia and their locations. Take that on notice rather than answer it here.</p> <p>Senator Lundy: By positions? You do not want names?</p> <p>Senator JOYCE: No. I want a complete list of the department's</p>	RRA&T 84		

				offices throughout Australia—the towns they are in and where they are.			
119	Corporate	JOYCE	Average sick days	<p>Senator JOYCE: What is the average number of sick days your staff members have been having across your department? This is a generic question that we are asking everybody.</p> <p>Mr Clout: We will have to take that on notice.</p>	RRA&T 85		
120	Corporate	JOYCE	Office Locations and Accommodation Type	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many office buildings are occupied by the Department and where are they located? 2. How many of the office buildings are owned outright by the Department? 3. What is the total square metre area for each of these offices? 4. What are the annual rates paid per square metre on each office building? 5. What is the current retail value per square metre of each office building? 6. When was each building last valued and by whom? 7. How many of the offices owned by the Department are solely used by the Department? 8. If not, what type of business sub leases from the Department and what was the total annual leasing revenue per square metre 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date? 9. Is any of the sub leased space currently vacant and if so, why? 10. What penalties do sub leasees incur for breaking an agreement? 11. What type of maintenance was required on all the buildings and how much did this cost in 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date? 12. What formal agreements does the Department have with maintenance companies and what are the ongoing contractual costs? 13. Will additional office accommodation be purchased this financial year? Why will it be purchased? Where will it be located? 14. What office sizes will be required and what is the budgeted purchase cost? 15. What is the total budgeted amount for the office setup? 16. How many staff will be required for the office? 17. How many of these will be new employees? 18. What is the total amount budgeted to assist employees with relocation expenses? 19. Provide details of the size and asking price of existing office 	Written		

				<p>space which will be sold by the department to cover the purchase of new office space?</p> <p>20. Identify all financial savings to be made through the purchase of new office space?</p>			
121	Corporate	JOYCE	Leasing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many of the office locations are leased by the Department and where are they located? 2. What is the total square metre area for each office? 3. What was the total rental cost per square metre for each in 2011-2012? 4. By what percentage has the total rental cost per square metre for each changed in 2012-2013 to date? 5. What period are the leases for on all properties. Detail the financial penalties for breaking a lease agreement? 6. Will additional leased office accommodation be required this financial year? 7. Why will additional office space be required? 8. Where will it be located? 9. What size of office will be required and what will the leasing cost be per square meter per month? 10. What is the total budgeted amount for the office relocation 11. How many staff will be required for the office? 12. How many of these will be new employees? 13. What is the total budgeted amount to assist employees with relocation expenses? 14. Will the new leased space replace any properties presently leased by the Department? 15. Identify all financial savings made by entering into a new lease agreement? 	Written		
122	Corporate	JOYCE	Vehicles	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many vehicles are leased by the Department? 2. What are the leasing terms and running costs for each vehicle and how long is each under lease by the Department? 3. Identify the make and models of all leased vehicles? 4. Identify the level and numbers of full time/part time employees in the Department which has access to the vehicles on a full time basis? 5. Where is each vehicle located and what is it used for? 6. Identify all costs of servicing and repair for each vehicle 2011-2012 and 2012- 2013 to date? 7. How many vehicles are incorporated in salary packages? 	Written		

123	Corporate	JOYCE	Credit Cards	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Identify the level and numbers of staff in the Department who are eligible to use corporate credit cards? 2. What is the level of the staff member who allocates these cards? 3. What are the guidelines for using corporate credit cards? 4. What are the card spending limits for each and who is responsible for monitoring these limits? 5. How many instances of misuse have been identified? 6. What measures are in place to prevent misuse? 	Written		
124	Corporate	JOYCE	Cabs 2011-12 and 2012-13	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much did the Department spend on cabs in 2011-12 and 2012-2013 to date? 2. Identify the level and numbers of staff in the Department who have authority to use cabcharge cards? 3. What is the limit which can be spent at any one time when using a cabcharge card? 4. What are the guidelines for using Department credit cards? 5. What level of officer in the Department is responsible for monitoring that card usage guidelines are correct? 	Written		
125	Corporate	JOYCE	Air Travel	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much was spent in 2011-2012 on domestic and international flights by the Department for: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> b. First class travel c. Business class travel d. Economy class travel 2. What amount has been budgeted by the Department for domestic and international air travel in all classes for 2012-2013? 3. What is the total cost of all air travel taken by the Department to date for 2012-2013? 4. What is this total as a percentage of all air travel budgeted for the 2012-2013 financial year for the Department? 5. Identify the destination and purpose for each flight undertaken in 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date by the Department? 	Written		
126	Corporate	JOYCE	Staffing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many permanent staff are currently employed in the Department? 2. What was the Department's budget for employee salaries and how much is estimated for 2012-2013 to date? 3. Identify all financial precautions the Department is taking to keep all types of staffing salaries on budget? 	Written		

				<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Identify the total costs paid for by the Department for further training, professional development and education of staff i.e. short courses, training allowances, tertiary or graduate programs paid for 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date? 5. How many enterprise agreements are operating within the Department? 6. What is the expiry date of each enterprise agreement within the Department? 7. Identify the percentage salary increases provided to all employees in the Department in the most recent rounds of enterprise agreements? 8. Identify the financial impact of the Department's efficiency dividends on the employee numbers in the Department and the total value of salaries for each in 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date? 9. What types of changes has the Department made as a result of meeting efficiency dividends in these two financial years? 10. Identify the total financial savings that have been delivered to the Department by the efficiency dividends in these two financial years? 11. How many packages were taken from the Department in 2011-2012? 12. What was the cost of the packages to the Department? 13. How many packages are proposed for 2012-2013 and how much will each cost the Department? 14. Identify planned changes to graduate and cadetship recruitment programs? 15. Why are the changes being made? 16. If reducing intakes what is the target for the Department? 17. Identify total costs to the Department for all unfair dismissal claims in 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date? 18. Detail the reasons and numbers for each type of compensation claim? 19. Identify the level of staff making the claims? 20. How many part time staff/contract staff are currently employed in the Department? 21. Identify the salary levels and employment grades of all these staff in the Department? 22. Identify the numbers of part time/ contract staff who have been employed by the Department for 1 year, 2 years, 3 years, over 3 years? 			
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				<p>23. How many part time/contract staff are undertaking work which could be undertaken by full time?</p> <p>24. Identify the costs to the Department of employing contract/part time staff?</p>			
127	Corporate	JOYCE	Various Expenditure	<p>1. What was the total expenditure for the Department/Group/Agency for 2011-2012 financial year for:</p> <p>a. Consultancies/outsourcing</p> <p>b. Information technology</p> <p>c. Computing/upgrading/training/ongoing advice and support</p> <p>d. Accounting and auditing</p> <p>e. Legal advice</p> <p>f. Advertising</p> <p>g. Preparation and printing of department publications</p> <p>h. Public relations and program launches</p> <p>2. Provide the program expenditure breakdown for each</p> <p>3. Provide the expenditure breakdown, including administration and departmental costs, for cross-portfolio programs</p>	Written		
128	Corporate	JOYCE	Mobile Devices – Ministers’ Offices	<p>1. How many mobile devices are provided to the Minister’s office and the office of the Parliamentary Secretary?</p> <p>2. What type of mobile devices are provided to the Ministers’ office?</p> <p>3. Who in the Ministers’ office is entitled to mobile devices?</p> <p>4. What was the total spent on these in 2011-2012 and in 2012-2013 to date?</p> <p>5. What limit is there on the type of use?</p> <p>6. Who in the Minister’s office has accountability for monitoring the use of these devices by individual staff members?</p> <p>7. What was the total cost of this equipment in 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date?</p>	Written		
129	Corporate	JOYCE	Mobile Devices – Departmental	<p>1. How many mobile devices are provided to the Department’s staff?</p> <p>2. What type of mobile devices are provided to the Department?</p> <p>3. Who in the Department is entitled to use these devices?</p> <p>4. What was the total spend on these in 2011- 2012 and 2012-2013 to date?</p> <p>5. What limit is there on the type of use?</p> <p>6. What level of Departmental officer has accountability and for monitoring the use of these devices?</p>	Written		

				7. What was the total cost of this equipment in 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date?			
130	Corporate	JOYCE	Debt	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What accountability and liability does the Department have for ensuring Government payment of accounts and interest on overdue accounts? 2. How is the interest rate determined and how much is paid on a monthly basis for the financial year? 	Written		
131	Corporate	JOYCE	Departmental Performance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the Department to date, published any strategic papers? Any white papers? Or any publications addressing regional development policies? 2. If not, why not? If yes, please provide details. 3. How many people do you have working in the policy area of the Department? 4. What is the total cost of these staff members? 5. What are these staff currently working on? 	Written		
132	Corporate	JOYCE	Efficiency Dividend	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What was the efficiency dividend allocated to the Department 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to date? 	Written		
133	Corporate	LUDLAM	Effect of Efficiency Dividend	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How has the efficiency dividend affected this department? 	Written		
134	Corporate	MCKENZIE	Effects of the Carbon Tax	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For the financial year 2011-2012, how many kilowatt hour of electricity did the department consume? What was the total cost? What does this cost work out to per employee? 2. What increases in electricity costs has the Department experienced since the introduction of the carbon tax? 3. How has this changed the Department's spending pattern? What programs or services have been cut to meet the increased costs? 4. What measures is the Department taking to reduce its electricity expenditure? When did these commence? What impact have they had? 	Written		
135	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Grants Programs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To date, how much of the 2012-13 budget appropriations has DRALGAS received? 2. For 2012-13 please list each grant program DRALGAS administers, and the total funding of each program. 3. Please list each grant program that has not been paused as part 	Written		

				<p>of the Government wide grants pause.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">4. Please provide the total cash value of each program that has not been paused?5. Please list each grant program that has currently been "paused" as part of the Government wide grants pause.6. Please provide the total cash value of each program that has been paused, and the total value of all grants paused?7. On what date did DRALGAS receive advice from the government to pause certain grants programs?8. How was the instruction received, and from whom was it received?9. Please list the dates the Minister for Finance met with DRALGAS senior department officials to discuss the grants pause and the DRALGAS Minister met with senior department officials10. From what date was DRALGAS told to implement the grants pause?11. When did it do so?12. Has DRALGAS been provided with information regarding when the grants pause would end?13. If so, what was the date?14. Was DRALGAS advised if it could communicate when the grants pause would end to grant applicants?15. Please provide the advice DRALGAS gave to Department of Finance regarding which programs should be included in the grants pause.16. Did DRALGAS receive advice/instruction from the Department of Finance regarding how best to communicate the grants pause to grant applicants, the media and other external stakeholders?17. What information has been provided to grant applicants regarding the grants pause? Please provide scripts if these have been given to call centres, or any other information sheets which have been used internally for discussing the grants pause with applicants.18. Has DRALGAS been advised by the Department of Finance of further grants pauses in the future? If so19. When did DRALGAS receive notification of future grants pauses?20. What is the date of future grants to be paused21. Which grants programs will be paused?			
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				<p>22. What is total value of pauses in future grants programs?</p> <p>23. When will notification of these future grants pauses be made public?</p> <p>24. How many staff are employed to administer grant programs within DRALGAS?</p> <p>25. During the Grants Pause what activities are these staff involved with?</p> <p>26. Have staff been moved to other divisions during the grants pause?</p> <p>27. During the Grants Pause are decisions on grants being made, but applicants not being alerted?</p>			
136	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Staffing – Recruitment FYTD	<p>1. How many ongoing staff recruited this financial year to date? What classification are these staff?</p> <p>2. How many non-ongoing positions exist or have been created this financial year to date? What classification are these staff?</p> <p>3. This financial year to date, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?</p>	Written		
137	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Staffing – Left Department 2011-12	<p>1. How many ongoing staff left the department/agency in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff?</p> <p>2. How many non-ongoing staff left department/agency in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff?</p> <p>3. How many contract staff left department/agency in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff?</p>	Written		
138	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Staffing – Recruitment 2011-12	<p>1. How many ongoing staff were recruited in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff?</p> <p>2. How many non-ongoing staff were recruited in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff?</p> <p>3. How many contract staff left were recruited in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff? What is the average length of their employment period?</p>	Written		
139	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Staff Reductions	<p>1. Are there any plans for staff reduction? If so, please advise details including if there is a reduction target, how this will be achieved, and if any services/programs will be cut.</p> <p>2. If there are plans for staff reductions, please give the reason why these are happening.</p>	Written		

140	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Making the Public Service more efficient	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please detail how the department/agency will achieve savings over the forward estimates through pursuing further efficiencies in the way the public service operates (see media release by the Minister for Finance and Deregulation and the Special Minister of State of 25 September 2012 http://www.financeminister.gov.au/media/2012/mr_1982012.html). <p>In addition, please provide the following detail:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. How will reductions in air travel spending be achieved? What is the estimated savings for each year over the forward estimates? 3. What restrictions will be implemented for business flights? What are the estimated savings for each year over the forward estimates? 4. How will the use of external consultants and contractors be reduced? How will this impact on the Department/agency? What are the estimated savings for each year over the forward estimates? 5. How will the department/agency manage moving recruitment advertising online? Will all future recruitment advertisement be online only? If not, explain why. What are the estimated savings for each year over the forward estimates? 6. How will printing costs be reduced? Explain if and how the department/agency will reduce its printing costs by five per cent, or if it will not, why not? How will it be determined what documents will no longer be printed? What are the estimated savings for each year over the forward estimates? 	Written		
141	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Recruitment Advertising	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much was spent on recruitment advertising in 2011-12? How much of this was spent online and how much of this was spent on print advertising? 2. Please list where recruitment advertising was listed online and in print media. 3. How much has been spent on recruitment advertising this financial year to date? How much of this was spent online and how much of this was spent on print advertising? 4. Please list where recruitment advertising was listed online and in print media. 	Written		

142	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Printing Costs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much was spent on printing 2011-12? Of this amount, how much was for printing documents? 2. How many documents (include the amount of copies) were printed in 2011-12? How many of these printed documents were also published online? 3. Of the documents that were printed in 2011-12, where were they delivered and what was the cost? 4. How much has been spent on printing this financial year to date? Of this amount, how much was for printing documents? 5. How many documents (include the amount of copies) have been printed this financial year to date? How many of these printed documents were also published online? 	Written		
143	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Graduate Recruitment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How much has been spent on 2013 Graduate Recruitment? Please itemise and detail costs. 2. Has any travel been incurred for 2013 Graduate Recruitment? Please itemise and detail costs. 	Written		
144	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Graduate Training 2013	How much is estimated to be spent on 2013 Graduate Training? Provide details of what training is to be provided, why and the estimated cost for each.	Written		
145	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Government Advertising FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What was the total cost of all advertising for the financial year to date? 2. Is the advertising campaign or non-campaign advertising? Provide details of each advertising, including the program the advertising was for, the total spend and the business that provided the advertising services. 3. Has the Department of Finance and Deregulation provided any advice about the advertising? Provide details of each advertising item. 4. Has the Peer Review Group (PRG) and/or Independent Communications Committee (ICC) provided any advice about the advertising? Provide details of each advertising item. 5. Did the Advertising comply with the Guidelines on Information and Advertising Campaigns by Australian Government Departments and Agencies? Provide the details for each advertising item. 6. Provide details for any other communications program, including details of the program, the total spend and the business that provided the communication services. 	Written		

				7. What advertising – Campaign and Non-Campaign – and other communications programs is the Department/Agency undertaking, or are planning to undertake?			
146	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Government Advertising 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What was the total cost of all advertising for 2011-12? 2. Is the advertising campaign or non-campaign advertising? Provide details of each advertising, including the program the advertising was for, the total spend and the business that provided the advertising services. 3. Has the Department of Finance and Deregulation provided any advice about the advertising? Provide details of each advertising item. 4. Has the Peer Review Group (PRG) and/or Independent Communications Committee (ICC) provided any advice about the advertising? Provide details of each advertising item. 5. Did the Advertising comply with the Guidelines on Information and Advertising Campaigns by Australian Government Departments and Agencies? Provide the details for each advertising item. 6. Provide details for any other communications program, including details of the program, the total spend and the business that provided the communication services that was undertaken in 2011-12. 	Written		
147	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Hospitality and Entertainment FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is the Department/Agency's hospitality spend for this financial year to date? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events. 2. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total hospitality spend for this financial year to date. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event. 3. What is the Department/Agency's entertainment spend for this financial year to date? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events. 4. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total entertainment spend for this financial year to date. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event. 5. What hospitality spend is the Department/Agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events. 6. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, what hospitality spend is currently being planned for? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event. 	Written		

				<p>7. What entertainment spend is the Department/Agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.</p> <p>8. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, what entertainment spend is currently being planned for? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.</p> <p>9. Is the Department/Agency planning on reducing any of its spending on these items? If so, how will reductions be achieved and what are the estimated savings over each year of the forward estimates?</p>			
148	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Hospitality and Entertainment 2011-12	<p>1. What is the Department/Agency's hospitality spend for 2011-12? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.</p> <p>2. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total hospitality spend for 2011-12. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.</p> <p>3. What is the Department/Agency's entertainment spend for 2011-12? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.</p> <p>4. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total entertainment spend for 2011-12. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.</p>	Written		
149	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Board Appointments FYTD	<p>1. List all of the boards within this portfolio, including: board title, terms of appointment, tenure of appointment and members.</p> <p>2. What is the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio?</p> <p>3. Please detail any board appointments for this financial year to date.</p>	Written		
150	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Board Appointments 2011-12	<p>1. List all of the boards within this portfolio, including: board title, terms of appointment, tenure of appointment and members for 2011-12.</p> <p>2. What was the gender ratio on each board and across the portfolio for 2011-12?</p>	Written		
151	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Freedom of Information	<p>1. Has the department/agency received any updated advice on how to respond to FOI requests?</p> <p>2. What is the total cost to the department/agency to process FOI requests for 2011-12?</p> <p>3. How many FOI requests did the department/agency receive in 2011-12?</p>	Written		

				<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. How many requests were denied and how many were granted? 5. Did the department fail to meet the processing times outlined in the FOI Act for any requests? If so, how many? 6. Do any of these requests remain outstanding? 7. What is the total cost to the department to process FOI requests for this financial year to date? 8. How many FOI requests has the Department received for this financial year to date? 9. How many requests have been denied and how many have been granted? 10. Has the department failed to meet the processing times outlined in the FOI Act for any requests? If so, how many and why? 11. Do any of these requests remain outstanding? If so, how many and why? 			
152	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Community Cabinet FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many Community Cabinet meetings has the Minister attended this financial year to date? List date and location. 2. How many Departmental Officers travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings for this financial year to date? What was the total cost of this travel? List travel type, accommodate and any other expenses. Which Community Cabinet meetings did the Departmental Officers attend? List date and location. 3. What was the total cost to the Department and the Ministers office for the Community Cabinet meetings for this financial year to date? 	Written		
153	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Community Cabinet 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many Community Cabinet meetings did the Minister attend in 2011-12? List date and location. 2. How many Departmental Officers travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings for 2011-12? What was the total cost of this travel? List travel type, accommodate and any other expenses. Which Community Cabinet meetings did the Departmental Officers attend? List date and location. 3. What was the total cost to the Department and the Ministers office for the Community Cabinet meetings for 2011-12? 	Written		
154	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Reviews FYTD	<p>For this financial year to date:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many Reviews are being undertaken? 2. What reviews have concluded, and for those that are still ongoing, when will those reviews be concluded? 	Written		

				<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Which of these reviews has been provided to Government? 4. When will the Government be responding to the respective reviews that have been completed? 5. Has the Government responded to all reviews within the timeframe? If not, why not? 6. What is the estimated cost of each of these Reviews? 7. What reviews are planned? 8. When will each of these reviews be concluded? 			
155	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Reviews 2011-12	<p>For 2011-12:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many Reviews were undertaken? 2. Where all reviews have, and for those that are still ongoing, when will those reviews be concluded? 3. Which of these reviews has been provided to Government? 4. Did the Government respond to all reviews within the timeframe? If not, why not? 5. What was the estimated cost of each of these Reviews? 6. For any ongoing reviews, when will each of these reviews be concluded? 	Written		
156	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Consultancies FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many consultancies have been undertaken this financial year to date? Identify the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement, and the method of procurement (i.e. open tender, direct source, etc). Also include total value for all consultancies. 2. How many consultancies are planned for this calendar year? Have these been published in your Annual Procurement Plan (APP) on the AusTender website and if not why not? In each case please identify the subject matter, duration, cost and method of procurement as above, and the name of the consultant if known. 	Written		
157	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Consultancies 2011-12	How many consultancies were undertaken in 2011-12? Identify the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement, and the method of procurement (i.e. open tender, direct source, etc). Also include total value for all consultancies.	Written		
158	Corporate & all portfolio	HEFFERNAN	Media Monitoring FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided 	Written		

	agencies			<p>to the Minister's office for this financial year to date?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Which agency or agencies provided these services? b. What is the estimated budget to provide these services for the year 2012-13? c. What has been spent providing these services this financial year to date? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. What was the total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the department/agency for this financial year to date? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Which agency or agencies provided these services? b. What is the estimated budget to provide these services for the year 2012-13? c. What has been spent providing these services this financial year to date? 			
159	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Media Monitoring 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What was the actual total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the Minister's office for 2011-12? 2. Which agency or agencies provided these services? 3. What was the estimated budget to provide these services for the year 2011-12? 4. What was the actual total cost of media monitoring services, including press clippings, electronic media transcripts etcetera, provided to the department/agency for 2011-12? 5. Which agency or agencies provided these services? 6. What was the estimated budget to provide these services for the year 2011-12? 	Written		
160	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Social Media	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has there been any changes to department and agency social media or protocols about staff access and usage of YouTube; online social media, such as Facebook, MySpace and Twitter; and access to online discussions forums and blogs since May 2012 Budget Estimates? If yes, please explain and provide copies of any advice that has been issue. 2. Does the department/agency monitor usage of social media? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. If yes, provide details of the usage (for example details could include average hours per employee, hours when usage peaks) b. If no, will the department/agency monitor usage in the future? 3. Does social media impact on employee productivity? Provide 	Written		

				details (details could include increased internet usage in general or increased internet usage in standard business hours)			
161	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Internet Problems	Has the Department experienced any internet problems, such as but not limited to slow internet or internet blackouts? If yes, what was the reason for this? Did it impact the Minister's office?	Written		
162	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Staff Amenities	What amenities are provided to staff? Provide a list.	Written		
163	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Coffee Machines	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the department/agency purchased coffee machines for staff usage? If yes, provide a list that includes the type of coffee machine, the cost, the amount, and any ongoing costs such as purchase of coffee or coffee pods and when the machine was purchased. 2. Why were coffee machines purchased? 3. Where did the funding for the coffee machines come from? 4. Who is responsible for the maintenance of the coffee machines? 5. How much was spent on maintenance in 2011-12 and how much this financial year to date, include a list of what maintenance has been undertaken 6. Where does the funding for maintenance come from? 	Written		
164	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Contractors FYTD	<p>For this financial year to date:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has the department/agency ever employed Hawker Britton in any capacity or is it considering employing Hawker Britton? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost). 2. Has the department/agency ever employed Shannon's Way in any capacity or is it considering employing Shannon's Way? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost). 3. Has the department/agency ever employed John Utting & UMR Research Group in any capacity or is it considering employing John Utting & UMR Research Group? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost). 4. Has the department/agency ever employed McCann-Erickson in any capacity or is it considering employing McCann-Erickson? If yes, provide details (including the work 	Written		

				<p>undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>5. Has the department/agency ever employed Cutting Edge in any capacity or is it considering employing Cutting Edge? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>6. Has the department/agency ever employed Ikon Communications in any capacity or is it considering employing Ikon Communications? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>7. Has the department/agency ever employed CMAX Communications in any capacity or is it considering employing CMAX Communications? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>8. Has the department/agency ever employed Boston Consulting Group in any capacity or is it considering employing Boston Consulting Group? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>9. Has the department/agency ever employed McKinsey & Company in any capacity or is it considering employing McKinsey & Company? If yes, provide details.</p> <p>10. What contractors have been employed by the department/agency? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p>			
165	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Contractors 2011-12	<p>For 2011-12:</p> <p>1. Has the department/agency ever employed Hawker Britton in any capacity or is it considering employing Hawker Britton? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>2. Has the department/agency ever employed Shannon's Way in any capacity or is it considering employing Shannon's Way? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>3. Has the department/agency ever employed John Utting & UMR Research Group in any capacity or is it considering employing John Utting & UMR Research Group? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>4. Has the department/agency ever employed McCann-Erickson in any capacity or is it considering employing McCann-Erickson? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).</p> <p>5. Has the department/agency ever employed Cutting Edge in any</p>	Written		

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166	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Grants FYTD	<p>1. Could the department/agency provide a list of all grants, including ad hoc and one-off grants for this financial year to date? Please provide details of the recipients, the amount, the intended use of the grants and what locations have benefited from the grants.</p> <p>2. Have all grant agreement details been published on its website within the required timeframe? If not, provide details.</p>	Written		
167	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Grants 2011-12	<p>1. Could the department/agency provide a list of all grants, including ad hoc and one-off grants for 2011-12? Please provide details of the recipients, the amount, the intended use of the grants and what locations have benefited from the grants.</p> <p>2. Were all grant agreement details published on its website within the required timeframe? If not, provide details.</p>	Written		
168	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Commissioned Reports 2011-12	<p>1. How many Reports were commissioned by the Government in your department/agency in 2011-12? Please provide details of each report including date commissioned, date report handed to Government, date of public release, Terms of Reference and Committee members.</p>	Written		

				<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. How much did each report cost/or is estimated to cost? 3. How many departmental staff were involved in each report and at what level? 4. What is the current status of each report? Did the Government report within the required timeframe? If not, when is the Government intending to respond to these reports? 			
169	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Commissioned Reports FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many Reports have been commissioned by the Government in your department/agency this financial year to date? Please provide details of each report including date commissioned, date report handed to Government, date of public release, Terms of Reference and Committee members. 2. How much did each report cost/or is estimated to cost? 3. How many departmental staff were involved in each report and at what level? 4. What is the current status of each report? When is the Government intending to respond to these reports? 	Written		
170	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Government Payment of Accounts FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For this financial year to date, has the department/agency paid its accounts to contractors/consultants etc in accordance with Government policy in terms of time for payment (i.e. within 30 days)? 2. If not, why not? Provide details, including what has been the timeframe for payment of accounts? Please provide a breakdown, average statistics etc as appropriate to give insight into how this issue is being approached) 3. For accounts not paid within 30 days, is interest being paid on overdue amounts and if so how much has been paid by the portfolio/department agency for the current financial year and the previous financial year? 4. Where interest is being paid, what rate of interest is being paid and how is this rate determined? 	Written		
171	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Government Payment of Accounts 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For 2011-12, did the department/agency pay its accounts to contractors/consultants etc in accordance with Government policy in terms of time for payment (i.e. within 30 days)? 2. If not, why not? Provide details, including what has been the timeframe for payment of accounts? Please provide a breakdown, average statistics etc as appropriate to give insight into how this issue is being approached) 3. For accounts not paid within 30 days, is/was interest being paid 	Written		

				<p>on overdue amounts and if so how much has been paid by the portfolio/department agency for the current financial year and the previous financial year?</p> <p>4. Where interest is being paid, what rate of interest is being paid and how is this rate determined?</p> <p>5. Have all accounts from 2011-12 been paid? If no, why not?</p>			
172	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Stationery Requirements FYTD	<p>1. How much was spent by each department and agency on the government (Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries) stationery requirements in your portfolio (i.e. paper, envelopes, with compliments slips) this financial year to date?</p> <p>2. What are the department/agency's stationery costs for the financial year to date?</p>	Written		
173	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Stationery Requirements 2011-12	<p>1. How much was spent by each department and agency on the government (Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries) stationery requirements in your portfolio (i.e. paper, envelopes, with compliments slips) in 2011-12?</p> <p>2. What were the department/agency's stationery costs for 2011-12?</p>	Written		
174	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Media Subscriptions	<p>1. Has there been any change to your pay TV subscription since the 2012-13 Budget Estimates (May 2012)</p> <p>a. If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what channels.</p> <p>b. What is the cost for this financial year to date?</p> <p>2. Has there been any change to your newspaper subscriptions since the 2012-13 Budget Estimates (May 2012)</p> <p>a. If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what newspapers.</p> <p>b. What is the cost for this financial year to date?</p> <p>3. Has there been any change to your magazine subscriptions since the 2012-13 Budget Estimates (May 2012)</p> <p>a. If yes, please provide the reason why, the cost and what magazines.</p> <p>b. What is the cost for this financial year to date?</p> <p>4. What was the 2011-12 cost for:</p> <p>a. TV subscriptions</p> <p>b. Newspaper subscriptions</p> <p>c. Magazine subscriptions</p> <p>5. Does the department/agency provide any media subscriptions</p>	Written		

				to its Ministers/Parliamentary Secretaries? If yes, provide details of what is provided and the cost this financial year to date and for 2011-12.			
175	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Travel Costs FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For the financial year to date, please detail all travel for Departmental officers that accompanied the Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary on their travel. Please include a total cost plus a breakdown that include airfares (and type of airfare), accommodation, meals and other travel expenses (such as incidentals). 2. For the financial year to date, please detail all travel for Departmental officers. Please include a total cost plus a breakdown that include airfares (and type of airfare), accommodation, meals and other travel expenses (such as incidentals). 3. Are the Government's Lowest Practical Fare travel policy for Domestic Air Travel (Finance Circular No. 2009/10) and Best Fare of the Day for International Air Travel (Finance Circular No. 2009/11) guidelines being followed? How is the department/agency following the advice? How is this monitored? If the guidelines are not being followed, please explain why. 4. Are lounge memberships provided to any employees? If yes, what lounge memberships, to how many employees and their classification, the reason for the provision of lounge membership and the total costs of the lounge memberships. 5. When SES employees travel, do any support or administrative staff (such as an Executive Assistant) travel with them? If yes, provide details of why such a staff member is needed and the costs of the support staff travel. 	Written		
176	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Travel Costs 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For 2011-12, please detail all travel for Departmental officers that accompanied the Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary on their travel. Please include a total cost plus a breakdown that include airfares (and type of airfare), accommodation, meals and other travel expenses (such as incidentals). 2. For 2011-12, please detail all travel for Departmental officers. Please include a total cost plus a breakdown that include airfares (and type of airfare), accommodation, meals and other travel expenses (such as incidentals). 	Written		

177	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Legal Costs 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services for 2011-12? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 2. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services for 2011-12 from the Australian Government Solicitor? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 3. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services for 2011-12? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 4. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services for 2011-12 from other sources? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 	Written		
178	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Legal Costs FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services for this financial year to date within the department/agency? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 2. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services this financial year to date from the Australian Government Solicitor? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 3. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services this financial year to date from private firms? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 4. What sum did each portfolio department and agency spend on legal services this financial year to date from other sources? Please provide a list of each service and costs. 	Written		
179	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Education Expenses FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Has there been a change to the department/agency's guidelines on study since the 2012-13 Budget Estimates (May 2012)? If yes, please provide details. 2. For this financial year to date, detail all education expenses (i.e. in house courses and tertiary studies) for each portfolio department and agency. Include what type of course, the total cost, cost per participant, the employment classification of each participant, how many participants and the amount of study leave granted to each participant (provide a breakdown for each employment classification). Also include the reason for the study and how it is beneficial for the department/agency. 	Written		

180	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Education Expenses 2011-12	<p>For 2011-12, detail all education expenses (i.e. in house courses and tertiary studies) for each portfolio department and agency. Include what type of course, the total cost, cost per participant, the employment classification of each participant, how many participants and the amount of study leave granted to each participant (provide a breakdown for each employment classification). Also include the reason for the study and how it is beneficial for the department/agency.</p>	Written		
181	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Executive Coaching and Leadership Training FYTD	<p>In relation to executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information for this financial year to date:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Total spending on these services 2. The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification 3. The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) 4. The names of all service providers engaged <p>For each service purchased from a provider listed under (4), please provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The name and nature of the service purchased b. Whether the service is one-on-one or group based c. The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification d. The total number of hours involved for all employees (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) e. The total amount spent on the service f. A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package) <p>Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The location used b. The number of employees who took part on each occasion (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) c. The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) d. Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location 	Written		

182	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Executive Coaching and Leadership Training 2011-12	<p>In relation to executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information for 2011-12:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Total spending on these services 2. The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification 3. The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) 4. The names of all service providers engaged <p>For each service purchased form a provider listed under (4), please provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The name and nature of the service purchased b. Whether the service is one-on-one or group based c. The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification d. The total number of hours involved for all employees (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) e. The total amount spent on the service f. A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package) <p>Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The location used b. The number of employees who took part on each occasion (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) c. The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) d. Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location 	Written		
183	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Media Training FYTD	<p>In relation to media training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information for this financial year to date:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Total spending on these services 2. The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification 3. The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave 	Written		

				<p>each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification)</p> <p>4. The names of all service providers engaged</p> <p>For each service purchased form a provider listed under (4), please provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The name and nature of the service purchased Whether the service is one-on-one or group based The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) The total number of hours involved for all employees (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) The total amount spent on the service A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package) <p>Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The location used The number of employees who took part on each occasion The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location 			
184	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Media Training 2011-12	<p>In relation to media training services purchased by each department/agency, please provide the following information for 2011-12:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Total spending on these services The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted (provide a breakdown for each employment classification) The names of all service providers engaged <p>For each service purchased form a provider listed under (4), please provide:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The name and nature of the service purchased Whether the service is one-on-one or group based The number of employees who received the service and their 	Written		

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185	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Paid Parental Leave FYTD	<p>1. Please list how many staff in each portfolio department and agency are eligible to receive payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme?</p> <p>2. For this financial year to date list which department/agency is providing its employees with payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme? Please list how many staff and their classification are in receipt of these payments.</p>	Written		
186	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Paid Parental Leave 2011-12	For 2011-12 to date which department/agency is providing its employees with payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme? Please list how many staff and their classification are in receipt of these payments.	Written		
187	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Training for Portfolio Minister and Parliamentary Secretaries FYTD	<p>1. For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for.</p> <p>2. For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for staff of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for.</p> <p>3. For this financial year to date, how much has been spent on training for designed to better suit the needs of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each</p>	Written		

				training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for, and how many employees attended and their classification.			
188	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Training for Portfolio Minister and Parliamentary Secretaries 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> For 2011-12, how much has been spent on training for Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for. For 2011-12, how much has been spent on training for staff of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for. For 2011-12, how much has been spent on training for designed to better suit the needs of Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries in your portfolio? Itemise each training, cost and for which Minister and/or Parliamentary Secretary the training was for, and how many employees attended and their classification. 	Written		
189	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Corporate Cars	<p>Please update if there have been any changes since Budget Estimates 2012-13 (May 2012):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How cars are owned by each department/agency? Where is the car/s located? What is the car/s used for? What is the cost of each car for this financial year to date? How far did each car travel this financial year to date? 	Written		
190	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Corporate Cars 2011-12	<p>For 2011-12:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How cars are owned by each department/agency? Where is the car/s located? What is the car/s used for? What was the cost of each car? How far did each car travel? 	Written		
191	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Taxi Costs FYTD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How much did each department/agency spend on taxis this financial year to date? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each department/agency. What are the reasons for taxi costs? 	Written		
192	Corporate & all portfolio	HEFFERNAN	Taxi Costs 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How much did each department/agency spend on taxis in 2011-12? Provide a breakdown of each business group in each 	Written		

	agencies			department/agency. 2. What are the reasons for taxi costs?			
193	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Credit Cards	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide a breakdown for each employment classification that has a corporate credit card. 2. Please update if there have been any changes since Budget Estimates 2012-13 (May 2012): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. What action is taken if the corporate credit card is misused? b. How is corporate credit card use monitored? c. What happens if misuse of a corporate credit card is discovered? d. Have any instances of corporate credit card misuse have been discovered? List staff classification and what the misuse was, and the action taken. e. What action is taken to prevent corporate credit card misuse? 	Written		
194	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Credit Cards 2011-12	For 2011-12, how many instances of corporate credit card misuse were there? List staff classification and what the misuse was, and the action taken.	Written		
195	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Provision of Equipment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For departments/agencies that provide mobile phones to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what type of mobile phone is provided and the costs. 2. For departments/agencies that provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what are the ongoing costs for this financial year to date? What were the running costs for 2009-10 and 2010-11? 3. Is electronic equipment (such as ipad, laptop, wireless card, vasco token, blackberry, mobile phone (list type if relevant), thumb drive) provided to department/agency staff? If yes provide details of what is provided, the purchase cost, the ongoing cost and a breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives it. 4. Please update if there have been any changes since Budget Estimates 2011-12 (May 2012): 5. Does the department/agency provide their Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices with any electronic equipment? If yes, provide details of what is provided, the cost and to who it is provided. 	Written		

196	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Provision of Equipment 2011-12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For departments/agencies that provide mobile phones to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what type of mobile phone is provided, the cost and what were the ongoing costs for 2011-12. 2. For departments/agencies that provide electronic equipment to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and/or their offices, what type of electronic equipment was provided, the cost and what were the ongoing costs for 2011-12. 3. Is electronic equipment (such as ipad, laptop, wireless card, vasco token, blackberry, mobile phone (list type if relevant), thumb drive) was provided to department/agency staff for 2011-12, provide details of what was provided, the purchase cost, the ongoing cost and a breakdown of what staff and staff classification receives it. 	Written		
197	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Electricity Purchasing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide details of any update of the department/agency electricity purchasing agreement if there has been a change since Budget Estimates 2011-12 (May 2012). 2. What are the department/agency electricity costs for 2011-12? 3. What are the department/agency electricity costs for this financial year to date? 	Written		
198	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Shredders	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Did the department/agencies purchase any shredders in 2011-12? If yes, provide details of how many shredders were purchased, the cost of each shredder, why each new shredder was needed and the purpose for which the shredder is to be used. 2. Has the department/agencies purchased any shredders since Budget Estimates 2011-12 (May 2012)? If yes, provide details of how many shredders were purchased, the cost of each shredder, why each new shredder was needed and the purpose for which the shredder is to be used. 	Written		
199	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Protective Security Policy Framework	Provide an update for your department/agency, including what is your current compliance level, what are you doing to manage risk, what is being done to comply with the mandatory requirements and details of any department/agency specific policies and procedures.	Written		
200	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	Office Locations	<p>Please provide a list of all office locations for DRALGAS and agencies within the portfolio by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Department/Agency; 	Written		

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> b. Location; c. Leased or Owned; d. Size; e. Number of Staff at each location and classification; f. If rented, the amount and breakdown of rent per square metre; g. If owned, the value of the building; h. Depreciation of buildings that are owned; i. Type of functions and work undertaken. 			
201	Corporate & all portfolio agencies	HEFFERNAN	PR / Comms / Media Staff	<p>For DRALGAS and agencies, please provide – in relation to all public relations, communications and media staff – the following: By Department or agency:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. How many ongoing staff, the classification, the type of work they undertake and their location. b. How many non-ongoing staff, their classification, type of work they undertake and their location c. How many contractors, their classification, type of work they undertake and their location 	Written		