

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

7th Assembly

26/08/1994

13. "Profile - Australia's Northern Territory" - Second and Subsequent Editions

Mr. BAILEY to MINISTER for CHIEF MINISTER

QUESTION

1. What was the involvement of the Chief Minister and/or senior public servants in the period leading up to the publication of the second and subsequent editions of the publication of "Profile - Australia's Northern Territory".
2. Which Ministers and public servants were involved in the decisions regarding advertising:
 - (a) by name; and
 - (b) by position.
3. Were any commitments made regarding the future purchase of the publication by Government agencies.
4. Were any undertakings for financial assistance or guarantees provided by the Government or any Department or Government agency.
5. Were any materials or physical assistance of a non-financial nature provided by the Government to the publishers.
6. Was a decision made regarding future Government purchase of the publication; if so:
 - (a) who was involved;
 - (b) what were the details of the decision; and
 - (c) when was the decision made.
7. Following publication of the second and subsequent editions of the publication "Profile - Australia's Northern Territory", were purchases made by various Government agencies; if so, what are the details of:
 - (a) the dates of purchase;
 - (b) the value of purchase; and
 - (c) the agency involved in the purchase.
8. Will the Chief Minister provide photocopies of all documentation in relation to the

information to be provided in the above questions.

ANSWER

Answered on 10/11/95

1. There were no Ministers involved. Any involvement by public servants prior to publication of the second and subsequent editions was in the course of their normal duties regarding the placement of advertisements.
2. There were no Ministers involved. Any involvement by public servants in the various Agencies was in the course of their normal duties.
3. No.
4. No.
5. Material, eg slides, bromides, photographs were provided if available.
6. No.

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| Date | \$cost | Agency |
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| Oct 92 | 48.00 | Lands, Housing and Local Govt |
| 23.1.92 | 960.00 | Museums and Art Galleries |
| 27.7.89 | 22500.00 | NT Tourist Commission |
| 1990 | 9900.00 | NT Tourist Commission |
| 2.5.89 | 5400.00 | Dept of Industries and Development |
| 1.8.89 | 1000.00 | Darwin Port Authority |
| 24.1.90 | 5600.00 | Dept of Industries and Development |
| 4.6.92 | 6000.00 | Dept of Industries and Development |
| 16.8.89 | 3000.00 | Dept of the Chief Minister (Protocol) |
| 5.11.90 | 6000.00 | Legislative Assembly |
| 26.6.91 | 3000.00 | Legislative Assembly |
| 19.10.92 | 1750.00 | Dept of the Chief Minister (Protocol) |
| 26.10.92 | 7000.00 | Legislative Assembly |
| 27.8.93 | 7000.00 | Legislative Assembly |

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