

**Question No: 64**

**Funding of Art Organisations**

**Date:** 13/08/91  
**Member:** Mr TIPILOURA  
**To:** MINISTER for LOCAL GOVERNMENT

1. Which arts organisations are funded either -
  - (a) directly by the Office of Local Government; or
  - (b) by arrangement between the Office of Local Government and Local Government authorities.
  
2. What has been the funding for each of these organisations for the financial years -
  - (a) 1988/89;
  - (b) 1989/90; and
  - (c) 1990/91.
  
3. What effect will the current review of the operations of the Office of Local Government have on funding arrangements for organisations referred to in Question 1 and to what extent.

**ANSWER**

1. (a) Brown's Mart  
(b) Darwin Performing Arts Centre (DPAC) - via Darwin City Council  
Araluen Arts Centre - via Alice Springs Town Council.

2. Brown's DPAC Araluen  
Mart

(a) 1988-89  
Operation Subsidy - 194 000 512 795  
SPG Local Hirers Sponsorship - 8 000 -

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- 202 000 512 795

(b) 1989-90  
Operational Subsidy 23 000 194 000 523 226  
SPG Building Extensions 75 000 - -  
SPG Local Hirers Sponsorship - 18 000 -  
SPG Consultancy Studio Theatre - 11 000 -

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98 000 223 000 523 226

(c) 1990-91  
Operational Subsidy 21 850 194 000 637 305  
SPG Building Extensions 108 000 - -  
SPG Specific Performance - 20 000 -  
SPG Local Hirers Sponsorship - 8 100 -

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129 850 222 100 637 305

(Note: SPG = Special Purpose Grant)

3. No effect specifically, beyond the freezing of CPI Increases for the Araluen Centre.