

Estimates Committee 2011
Questions Taken On Notice

(14/06/2011 to 23/06/2011)

Date: 22/06/2011 Output:
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Subject: Industry and Investment Projects Facilitated by the Department

From: Mr Terry Mills to Hon Robert Knight
Department of Business and Employment

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Question: Could you please table the number of industry and investment projects facilitated by the department?

Answer:
Answered On: 22/06/2011
Answer: 68 industry and investment projects were facilitated by the department during the period 1 July 2010 to 22 June 2011.

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TITLE: Industry Development Funding Programs - Grants

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- The Department provides a range of business development grants to Territory businesses and related organisations aimed at developing business and industry in the Territory.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Program	2009-10		2010-11			2011-12 Estimate
	Number of Businesses or Industry Assoc.	Cost \$'000s	Number of Businesses or Industry Assoc.	Actual expenses at 30 April 2011 \$'000s	Committed but not drawn \$'000s	
Industry Association Grants (IDSP)	9	\$1610	9	\$1440	\$Nil	\$1440
Industry Development Grants	2	\$70	0	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$386
Business Growth	79	\$363	136	\$379	\$183	\$298
Sponsorship	8	\$80	12	\$66	\$46	\$110
Trade Support Scheme	68	\$462	41	\$154	\$117	\$492
ecoBiz NT	30	\$327	16	\$171	\$72	\$200
Total:	196	\$2912	214	\$2210	\$418	\$2926

- Grants to peak industry associations and not-for-profit organisations are provided under the Industry Development Support Program (IDSP). The aim of the program is to assist peak bodies to deliver services to members that assist industry development and contribute to economic development. Applications assessed against technical and financial criteria by Department and other relevant NT Government agencies.
- IDSP applications have been received totalling approximately \$2.276M.
- Business Growth, ecoBiz and Industry Sponsorship programs have separate briefs.
- This department administers Trade Support Scheme (TSS) budget in partnership with the Department of the Chief Minister and Tourism NT. As at 30 April 2011, \$153 985 has been expended for the Trade Support Scheme, which assisted 41 Territory businesses with their export marketing activities.
- All grant recipients are identified in the Department's Annual Report.

Businesses Assisted under the Territory Business Growth Grant program OF 2 3
1 July 2010 to 30 April 2011

DARWIN	TENNANT CREEK
Abode New Homes Pty Ltd	Phillips Earthmoving Contractors Pty Ltd 1
ABR Communications Pty Ltd	
All Rural Mechanical Pty Ltd	KATHERINE
Beachmanor Pty Ltd t/as The Total Group	Bilba Holdings Pty Ltd t/as Elsam Plastics
Beaumont-Smith Enterprises P/L t/as Darwin Cruises & Chart	Candleshine Pty Ltd t/as Noi's Terrace Café
Bennett Design Pty Ltd	Karinga Pty Ltd t/as Pine Creek Hotel
BFM Distributors Pty Ltd	Katherine Regional Mechanical Services
Boog Air Pty Ltd	Norculture Discretionary Trust t/as Katherine Art Gallery
Bradley Claydon t/as Invision Design & Joinery	NT Immersions Pty Ltd t/as Gecko Canoeing
Broadsword Marine Pty Ltd	Savanna Solutions Pty Ltd 7
C & R Constructions Pty Ltd	NHULUNBUY
Christine Isaacs t/as Christine Isaacs Glass Artist	Gove & Beyond Pty Ltd t/as Walkabout Lodge
Cobourg Developments Pty Ltd	Gove Country Club Inc
Colliers International	John Bedwell Management Pty Ltd
Dale Smith t/as Custom Works	Nomad Tours
Darwin RSL Services & Social Club Inc	Zenco Constructions 5
Darwin Trailer Boat Club	ALICE SPRINGS
Eversilk Pty Ltd t/as Projection Plus	Big Fat Production Pty Ltd t/as isee-ilearn
Hender K.G Pty Ltd t/as Jaymak NT	Central Communications Pty Ltd
Hydralink (NT) Pty Ltd	Central Desert Training Pty Ltd
Iana Pty Ltd t/as Abbott Cleaning Service	Chmielewski, Judd t/as Spudair
Ironbark Contracting Pty Ltd	Eagle Training Services Pty Ltd
JAJIV Pty Ltd t/as JJ's Car Hire	Flavell Plumbing (NT) Pty Ltd
JE & VC Carson t/as Smarttask Office Solutions	Henge Education Pty Ltd
KM Engineering Pty Ltd	Mbantua Gallery Trust
Kooyong Pty Ltd t/as Allora Gardens Nursery	Milikon Pty Ltd t/as Earth Sanctuary World Nature Centre
Marx Wegener t/as Darwin Limousines	Muk Muk Pty Ltd
Mindil Beach Sunset Market Association	Ogden Electrical Pty Ltd t/as Ogden Power
MP (NT) Admin Service Trust t/as De Silva Hebron	Outback Financial Services
MVDG Pty Ltd t/as Harcourts Darwin	Penny Farthing Avanti Plus
Nakara Consulting Pty Ltd	SEIT Outback Australia
Northern Power Services Pty Ltd	Shearn Investments Pty Ltd
Northern Profile Services Pty Ltd	Tailor Tours Pty Ltd t/as Tailormade Tours
NT Budget Bins & Pink Bins NT Pty Ltd	The Trustee for Martin Family Trust t/as Elkira Resort Motel 17
OGM Engineering Pty Ltd	
Paradise Landscaping (NT) Pty Ltd	
St Johns Ambulance NT Aust Inc	
Steven A Robinson t/as S.A.R Contracting	
SWJR Nominees P/L t/as Lowrys Accountants	
Teece Technologies Pty Ltd t/as Cut Price Computers	
The trustee for A & D Johnson Family Trust t/as Totally WorkWear Palmerston	
The Trustee for Dos Santos Family Trust t/as P&H Cleaning	
The trustee for The Albon Discretionary Trust t/as Palmerston Garden Supplies	
Total Health & Rehab Pty Ltd	
Tracy Village Social and Sports Club Inc	
Traditional Credit Union Limited	
Tropical Computers Pty Ltd	
Venture North Australia	
Wrenmore P/L t/as Didgeri Air Art Tours	

TITLE: Industry Development Funding Programs – Sponsorships

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- The Department delivers financial sponsorship to a range of business related events, programs and awards throughout the Territory aimed at supporting the development of Territory industry.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- 30 April 2011, 7 organisations sponsored totalling \$66 150. A further 5 associations have 2010–11 commitments not yet drawn. Refer attached table.
- Sponsorship proposals individually assessed to ensure they contribute to current economic, business and industry development strategies of Government.
- The 2011–12 budget is expected to be approximately \$110 000.

Recipient Organisation	Purpose	Committed Drawn Amount \$	Committed not yet drawn as at 30/4/11 \$
Australian Hotels Association – NT Branch	Annual Expo and Awards	10 000	
Australian Industry & Defence Network NT	1. Dinner Gold Sponsor 2. Chief Min Award 3. Min Def Support Award	5000 5000 4000	5000
Australian Institute of Company Directors	Event support		5000
Australian Institute of Project Management – NT	Annual Awards		4000
Chamber of Commerce NT	NT Summit	4000	
Chamber of Commerce NT	Alice Springs Expo		14 000
Charles Darwin University	Business Award		600
Darwin Home and Life Expo	Inaugural event	9150	
Engineers Australia – NT	Annual Awards and assistance toward employment of Regional Coordinator	15 000	
Northern Territory Young Achiever Awards	Annual Awards	9000	
Rural Area Business Group Inc	Operational support		6000
Youth Business Awards 2011	Annual Awards	5000	
TOTAL		66 150	34 600