2 JULY 2001

(General Purpose Standing Committee No. 1

Portfolio

PREMIER, ARTS AND CITIZENSHIP

QUESTIONS TAKEN ON NOTICE DURING HEARING

1. Ms Forsythe asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 4, middle)

Will you seek advice as to whether the Department of Education and Training provided information in languages other than English in relation to the school closures, particularly with regard to the school communities that have a significant non-English-speaking-background community?

Response:

"I am advised by the Department of Education and Training that parents of all students attending schools affected by the 'Building the Future' proposal for inner Sydney public schools were mailed information about the proposed changes. I understand that included in the mail-out was information in community languages concerning access to the telephone interpreter service.

I am advised that the Department will continue to make funds available for engaging interpreters for school and community consultations as well as individual requests for information in relation to the 'Building the Future' Plan.

2. Rev Nile asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 13, bottom)

- (1) Regarding the Cabinet Office, page 2-3 of Budget Paper No. 3, Volume 1, states: "Over the last five years, the core responsibilities of The Cabinet Office have remained unchanged." In regard to social policy development, does the unit look at the impact of legislation, particularly on the family?
- (2) In that regard, does it look at the impact of gambling that currently is causing major social problems in this State?
- (3) Does it look at your plans for the poker machine freeze that has been finalised?

"As I indicated during the hearing, the Government receives advice on gaming policy and its impact on families, partly through The Cabinet Office. That advice would draw on major sources of studies in this area, for example the Productivity Commission report and a report by the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal. The Productivity Commission report would be the most comprehensive and the most useful.

The Cabinet Office referred to me the conclusions of the Productivity Commission report in respect of the percentage of gamblers in New South Wales who could be described as problem gamblers. The Cabinet Office distilled out of that report some data about the growth of gambling in New South Wales compared to other jurisdictions.

The last briefing I received from The Cabinet Office on this very subject has some useful comparative data. I annex that document as an example of analysis of research material on gaming through The Cabinet Office. There is nothing particularly surprising about the annexed document (see Annexure 1)."

3. Rev Nile asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 15, middle)

- (1) What is the position with the report of the task force dealing with the use of marijuana for cancer patients experiencing pain?
- (2) Has that task force report been considered by you or by the Special Minister of State?
- (3) Has the Government taken note of the report of the United States Supreme Court that rejected that type of legislation?

Response:

- (1) "As the Honorable Member is aware, the Report of the Working Party on the 'Use of Cannabis for Medical Purposes' was released in November 2000. The Government is carefully and cautiously considering the report's findings and recommendations.
- (2) Public submissions on the report were invited over a four-month period ending on 1 February 2001. We received over 100 submissions from private individuals and a wide range of key policy, legal, medical, religious and community groups. The Government will be responding to these submissions in the coming months.
- (3) The Government has noted the recent US Supreme Court ruling that compassion clubs which supply patients with cannabis cannot rely on a defence of medical necessity to avoid criminal prosecution under US federal legislation."

4. Ms Forsythe asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 15, bottom)

In relation to your budget, how much is spent by the Premier's Department on media monitoring of communications?

Response:

"Expenditure on media monitoring is in accordance with normal approvals."

5. Ms Forsythe asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 16, top)

- (1) In relation to media monitoring, could you also advise who has access to that monitoring service?
- (2) Is it provided on behalf of all Ministers or do Ministers undertake their own monitoring?
- (3) How many press secretaries or media officers are on your personal staff?
- (4) How many press secretaries or media officers are employed within the Premier's Department?

Response:

Questions (1) –(4).

"As was the case of under the former Coalition Government all agencies undertake a range of media monitoring activities. The Premier's Department also provides Media Monitoring services for the Parliamentary Library, Ministers and certain government agencies.

Staff numbers will vary from time to time depending on leave or peak periods."

6. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 4, bottom)

Referring to Budget Paper No. 3, Volume 1, page 2-104, last year's budget papers state that 140 local councils would be connected to the New South Wales Internet. This year's budget papers reveal that only 117 were connected to the system. Which 23 local councils missed out on the Internet link up?

"As at 30 June 2001, 99 councils had voluntarily connected through 106 sites to NSW.net. NSW.net provides subsidised access to the Internet and selected online services and is now available in more than 250 library service points across the State.

In relation to council connections, all NSW councils have been invited to join NSW.net; a further offer was made to Councils in December 2000, followed by a reminder of the benefits and opportunities afforded by the network in February 2001. The option of joining still remains for any council to join NSW.net".

7. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 18, top)

- (1) Regarding the item "Special reports for the Premier and unforeseen expenses", what did the total expenditure of \$270,000 consist of?
- (2) Could you give us a breakdown of that expenditure?

Response:

"This item has been in place for over 12 years and is intended to meet costs incurred by or on behalf of the Premier which are not appropriate for debiting to other areas.

Expenditure incurred by or on behalf of the Premier, as Head of Government from this source includes costs, for items such as:

- Travel to areas of New South Wales subjected to fire, flood or other natural disasters.
- Travel throughout the State and around Australia and costs associated with Premiers' Conferences; and
- Costs associated with Cabinet meetings in rural and regional parts of New South Wales."
- 8. Ms Forsythe asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 19, top)

Is the Government putting more funding into the Families First program?

"\$54.2 million has been allocated to Families First over the four years from 1999-2000 to 2002- 2003.

During 2000- 2001, \$1.1 million was allocated to The Cabinet Office for the purpose of implementing Families First. \$8.5 million was allocated to the Department of Community Services and \$2 million to the Department of Health to expand services for families. Examples of how these funds were expended are attached (See Annexure 2)."

9. Dr Wong asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 4, bottom)

Relating to the grant to the Australian Museum in College Street to conduct research on the subject of kangaroo harvesting, is the Government aware of the Queensland Department of Natural Resources report of 1996 into the wild harvest and marketing of kangaroos and has the Government taken this report into consideration?

Response:

"The Australian Museum is aware of the Queensland Department of Natural Resources report of 1996."

10. Rev Nile asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 22, middle)

- (1) Regarding Budget Paper No. 3, Volume 1, page 2-72, on the State Electoral Office, in view of the new requirements for registration, is there a list of names of parties now registered?
- (2) Is there an approximate figure of how many parties have been registered since the amendments to the legislation?
- (3) Do you anticipate we will now avoid the tablecloth ballot paper we had last election?
- (4) Could there be registration of additional parties before the next election?

Response:

- "(1) Yes. The State Electoral Office advises that, on 5 July 2001, there were ten political parties registered in New South Wales. Those parties were:
 - Australian Democrats (NSW Division)
 - Australian Labor Party (NSW Branch)
 - Christian Democratic Party (Fred Nile Group)

- Country Labor Party
- Liberal Party of Australia New South Wales Division
- National Party of Australia— NSW
- Outdoor Recreation Party
- The Greens
- The Shooters Party
- Unity Party
- (2) The State Electoral Office advises that all the parties referred to in the answer to question (1) above were registered, or had their continuing registration approved, after the commencement of the amendments on 1 January 2000.
- (3) The electoral reforms contained in the 1999 amendments to the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act were intended to prevent a tablecloth ballot paper at the next State election.
- (4) Yes. Additional parties that meet the relevant statutory requirements may be registered at any time. However, since the 1999 reforms, a party that wishes to nominate and endorse candidates for a State election cannot do so until the first anniversary of its registration. This means that only political parties registered by early 2002 will be permitted to nominate and endorse candidates for the 2003 election."
- 11. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 24, top)

- (1) What funding and personnel have been allocated to the Premier's Council on Crime Prevention?
- (2) How many meetings of the Premier's Council on Crime Prevention have you chaired?
- (3) What have been the outcomes?
- (4) What are the outcomes anticipated for the next financial year?

Response:

Questions (1)-(4)

"The Crime Prevention Division within the Attorney General's Department coordinates the Council on Crime Prevention. The Council's role is to provide expert advice to the Premier."

12. Ms Forsythe asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 24, bottom)

- (1) Relating to Ministerial travel policy, could you provide details about who is eligible to accompany Ministers?
- (2) What is the policy in relation to other travel by Ministers?
- (3) What is the criterion for the selection of various trips?
- (4) Is it possible to have a list of Ministers who have now completed their study trips in the course of the term of the Parliament?

Response:

Questions (1) –(4)

"Guidelines relating to ministerial travel are as per the Ministerial Handbook. The Minister may be accompanied by his/her spouse or approved relative, and no more than two advisers, who may be members of his/her personal staff, or officers from the Department/Instrumentality. This policy is the same, in all respects as under the previous Coalition Government.

The following Ministers that have completed study trips in the course of the Parliamentary term:

- The Hon AJ Refshauge, MP
- The Hon PF Whelan, MP
- The Hon CJ Knowles, MP
- The Hon JJ Aquilina, MP
- The Hon PC Scully, MP
- The Hon F Lo Po', MP
- The Hon RS Amery, MP
- The Hon RJ Debus, MP
- The Hon HF Woods, MP
- The Hon JR Face, MP
- The Hon M Iemma, MP
- The Hon SC Nori, MP
- The Hon EM Obeid, MLC."

13. Rev Nile asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 25, top)

Budget Paper No. 3, Volume 1, page 2-11 refers to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal. I understand that you played a role in helping to bring about the progress of the legislation [Worker's Compensation] by providing some letter of agreement to the union movement. Can you table that letter?

"Yes. See attached letter Annexure 3."

14. Ms Forsythe asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

(Relevant area in Hansard: p 4, bottom)

- (1) With regard to the Cultural Grants Program, has there been any change of policy regarding the fact that considerably fewer applications have been processed, the number of applications has declined, and fewer individuals and organisations are receiving grants but more money is being allocated?
- (2) Have the criteria for such applications changed?

Response:

"The Ministry has experienced a reduction in ineligible and uncompetitive applications through making a deliberate effort to ensure that the Ministry's grant guidelines clearly establish policy objectives, areas of funding, and eligibility and assessment criteria.

Establishing the Major Performing Arts Fund (in conjunction with the Commonwealth and other State governments) and the introduction of triennial funding has also contributed to the decline in the number of applications received. This has resulted in the major performing arts companies and 15 triennial clients being no longer required to lodge applications every year."

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

15. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What was the estimated cost and time allocated by your portfolio areas for preparation of briefing papers for the Premier's Budget Estimates?

Response:

"As is the convention under the Westminster system, and as occurred during the term of the previous Coalition Government, all parliamentary briefing papers, including those prepared for Budget Estimates, are prepared as part of the normal operations of the agency."

16. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Can the Minister for Ethnic Affairs give an update on any Government changes to the Russian language studies in the HSC?

Response:

"This is a matter for the Board of Studies."

- 17. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—
- (1) Can the Premier give an assurance that full funding will continue for the ECC?
- (2) Can you confirm what the exact amount of funding is?
- (3) Have there been recent staff cuts to the ECC?
- (4) Can you guarantee current employees have a guaranteed salary and for how long is this guaranteed?
- (5) Is there an established career path for these staff members?

Response:

"Questions (1)- (4)

Funding has been provided to the Ethnic Communities Council (ECC) in 2001-2002 from the Community Relations Commission. Issues in relation to staff are a matter for the ECC."

- 18. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—
- (1) Can the Minister give a full list of all grants distributed by the Government to various community organisations via the Community Development Program in the last financial year?
- (2) What was the individual amount of these grants and to whom were they given?

(1) Yes

(2) see following list

Name of Organisation	Amount
Albanian Australian Association	\$2,300
Albury Wodonga Multicultural Resource Centre Inc	\$8,745
Armenian General Benevolent Union	\$8,745
Asian Women at Work	\$8,745
Austral Slovenian Society "Tivoli" Newcastle Inc	\$1,570
Australia Korean Welfare Association	\$8,745
Australia Israel and Jewish Affairs Council AIJAC	\$2,000
Australian Alevi Cultural Centre	\$8,745
Australian Chinese Community Association of NSW Inc	\$8,745
Australian Karen Organisation	\$8,745
Australian Philippine Association Illawarra	\$8,745
Australian Serbian Illawarra Welfare Association	\$8,745
Australian Sikh Association	\$8,745
Bathurst Information and Neighbourhood Centre (BINC)	\$8,745
Bosnia Herzegovina Project Inc	\$13,120
Broken Hill Multicultural Womens Resource and Info Centre	\$5,000
Cambodian Australian Welfare Council of NSW Inc	\$3,000
Chinese Australian Services Society Co-op LTD.	\$8,745
Chinese Parent Association - Children with Disabilities	\$8,200
Co.As.It	\$8,745
Council of Australian Palestinian Organisations	\$8,745
Croatian Australian Welfare Centre	\$8,745
Eastwood Chinese Senior Citizens Club Inc	\$7,950
Estonian House Co-operative Society Ltd	\$5,000
Ethnic Australian Fijian Youth Inc	\$1,000
Georges Cross Falcons Club Inc	\$8,745
Great Lakes Multicultural and Ethnic Community Assoc Inc	\$4,500
Greek Orthodox Community of NSW	\$3,000
Greek Orthodox Community of NSW	\$8,745
Greek Welfare Centre	\$8,745
Greek Welfare Centre	\$8,745
Greening Australia (NSW) Inc	\$8,745
Griffith Italian Public Museum	\$8,745

Hamazkaine Armenian Educational and Cultural Society	\$3,000
Handital	\$8,745
Inner West Migrant Resource Centre	\$8,745
Khmer Community of NSW Inc.	\$3,000
Kingsgrove Community Aid Centre Inc.	\$8,745
La Valette Social Centre	\$8,745
Lao Community Advancement NSW Co-op Ltd	\$3,300
Lightning Ridge and Region Transcultural Community Council	\$8,745
Liverpool Migrant Resource Centre	\$2,000
Macedonian Australian Welfare Association of Sydney	\$8,745
May Murray Neighbourhood Centre Inc.	\$8,745
Migrant Resource Centre of Newcastle and Hunter Region	\$17,336
Muslim Alawi Society	\$8,745
Nepean Migrant Access Inc	\$8,745
Niue Community Council of New South Wales Inc	\$8,745
NSW Federation for Ethnic Schools	\$10,000
NSW Vietnamese Elderly Friendship Association	\$8,700
Philippine Community Council of NSW	\$8,745
Regional Youth Support Services	\$8,330
Salvation and Cambodian Cultural Association of NSW	\$3,000
Sociedad Cultural Espanola	\$1,000
Sydney Korean Senior Citizens Society	\$8,745
Sydney Tamil Resource Centre	\$5,700
Sydney Turkish Peoples House	\$4,500
Tamil Senior Citizens Association (NSW) Inc	\$1,250
Telegu Association Inc	\$3,000
The Burmese Family Sydney Association Inc	\$3,000
The Cedars of Lebanon Folkloric Group	\$3,000
The NSW Spanish and Latin Association for Social Assistance	\$8,745
The Octapod	\$3,000
The Sabian Mandaean Association in Australia	\$8,745
Troyanda Dance Ensemble	\$3,000
Turkish Welfare Association	\$15,000
Vietnamese Community in Australia NSW chapter Inc.	\$17,490
Vietnamese Women's Association in NSW Inc	\$8,745
Western Sydney Area Health Service – Diversity in Health	\$5,000
Youth Action and Policy Association	\$2,000

19. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

- (1) What forms of cross cultural training has the Government introduced at the police academy for the purpose of dealing with communities and individuals whose first language is not English?
- (2) How many ethnic liaison officers exist in the NSW police force?

- (3) How many officers have been appointed for each ethnic group?
- (4) What form of translation and interpretation service exists for people whose first language is not English when dealing with NSW Police, e.g. at the time of arrest or at the police station for questioning?
- (5) How fast can an ethnic liaison officer become available at a time of crisis, i.e. at the time of arrest, questioning or at a crime scene?
- (6) Do police recruits receive any training in other languages at the Police Academy?

Questions (1) – (6)

"I refer the Honorable Member to the statement made in the Hansard by the Minister for Police, Mr. Paul Whelan, LLB, MP for the General Purpose Standing Committee No. 3, held on 25 June 2001."

20. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Relating to Budget Paper No. 3, Volume, page 2-142, the Budget has revealed that the number of staff from the Community Relations Commission's Interpreting and Translation Services have been cut from 72 to 70. What explanation can the Premier give for this cut?

Response:

"Staff numbers include panelists called in to undertake interpreting or translating services on a casual basis as required."

21. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Relating to Budget Paper No. 3, Volume 1, page 2-98, the Budget reveals that the Government allocated \$725,000 for the funding of Carnivale in the last financial year, yet underspent by \$60,000. The Budget forecasts spending of \$705,000 for the next financial year – can the Minister explain this cut in funding?

Response:

"The variation between the 2000/01 budget and the expenditure is a cash flow issue between financial years. Carnivale has been provided with a number of advances against the following year's grant so that their revenues meet their expenditure cash flows.

The 2001/02 budget reflects base funding of \$555,000 and supplementary funding granted in 2000/01 over two financial years of \$150,000 per annum."

22. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Can the Minister confirm or deny that he will commit Government funds for a museum or display of Olympic memorabilia at Homebush Bay now or in the future?

Response:

"Government plans for Homebush Bay were announced by the Treasurer as part of the 2001-2002 Budget."

23. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Can the Minister list all the public libraries in NSW which have received funding in the last financial year and for what amount?

Response:

"State Government assistance in 2000/01 distributed to NSW local authorities providing public library services is as follows:

Council	Total	Council	Total
Albury	\$87,608	Lachlan	\$29,222
Armidale Dumaresq	\$66,854	Lake Macquarie	\$452,627
Ashfield	<i>\$86,803</i>	Lane Cove	\$121,365
Auburn		Leeton	\$35,054
	\$119,855		
Ballina		Leichhardt	\$150,353
	\$113,574		
Balranald	\$18,038	Lismore	\$88,609
Bankstown		Lithgow	\$193,253
	\$321,130	G	
Barraba	\$15,411	Liverpool	\$282,322
Bathurst		Lockhart	\$18,065
	\$101,070		•
Baulkham Hills		Maclean	\$44,934
	\$253,320		
Bega Valley	, ,	Maitland	\$106,989
3	\$113,455		,
Bellingen	\$37,288	Manilla	\$17,219
Berrigan	\$74,416	Manly	\$178,182
Bingara	\$15,122	Marrickville	\$155,154

Blacktown		Merriwa	\$15,495
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Bland	\$25,571	Moree Plains	\$45,431
Blayney	\$22,969	Mosman	\$92,960
Blue Mountains	ŕ	Mudgee	\$45,968
	\$154,946	<u> </u>	ŕ
Bogan	\$18,308	Mulwaree	\$22,058
Bombala	\$17,157	Murray	\$24,503
Boorowa	\$15,815	Murrumbidgee	\$16,773
Botany	\$75,784	Murrurundi	\$15,044
Bourke	\$21,200	Muswellbrook	\$60,118
Brewarrina	<i>\$17,304</i>	Nambucca	\$45,187
Broken Hill		Narrabri	\$40,115
	\$148,324		
Burwood	\$65,709	Narrandera	\$68,151
Byron	\$81,074	Narromine	\$24,050
Cabonne	<i>\$34,806</i>	Newcastle	\$265,066
Camden	\$88,692	North Sydney	\$125,764
Campbelltown		Nundle	\$13,363
-	\$331,867		
Canterbury		Oberon	\$19,702
•	\$297,239		
Carrathool	\$31,960	Orange	<i>\$93,937</i>
Cessnock		Parkes	\$40,822
	\$124,415		
Cobar	\$25,460	Parramatta	\$305,849
Coffs Harbour		Parry	\$33,419
	\$118,442	•	
Conargo	\$13,908	Penrith	\$332,556
Concord (Canada Bay)**	\$63,268	Pittwater	\$124,145
Coolah	\$19,345	Port Stephens	\$159,834
Coolamon	\$18,855	Pristine Waters	\$44,799
Cooma-Monaro	\$51,413	Queanbeyan	\$64,462
Coonabarabran	\$26,196	Quirindi	\$20,332
Coonamble	\$72,476	Randwick	\$248,954
Cootamundra	\$26,038	Richmond Valley	\$88,176
Copmanhurst	\$19,613	Rockdale	\$186,317
Corowa	\$51,280	Ryde	\$186,750
Cowra	\$35,486	Rylstone	\$18,118
Crookwell		Scone	\$30,050
	\$119,079		
Culcairn	\$27,643	Severn	\$17,069
Deniliquin	<i>\$39,788</i>	Shellharbour	<i>\$164,640</i>
Drummoyne (Canada Bay)**		Shoalhaven	\$202,477
,	\$113,062		
Dubbo	\$79,869	Singleton	<i>\$49,545</i>
Dungog	\$26,006	Snowy River	\$25,884
Eurobodalla		South Sydney	<i>\$164,853</i>
	\$175,156		
Evans	\$31,932	Strathfield	<i>\$78,486</i>

Fairfield		Sutherland	\$456,65
	\$372,274		
Forbes	\$31,251	Sydney	\$51,63.
Gilgandra	<i>\$20,396</i>	Tallaganda	\$15,86
Glen Innes	<i>\$58,969</i>	Tamworth	\$94,62
Gloucester	\$20,851	Temora	\$122,96
Gosford		Tenterfield	\$140,93
	<i>\$304,263</i>		
Goulburn	<i>\$96,825</i>	Tumbarumba	\$118,92
Grafton	<i>\$84,665</i>	Tumut	\$43,57
Great Lakes		Tweed	\$150,47
	<i>\$194,737</i>		
Greater Taree		Uralla	\$22,03
	\$103,446		
Griffith	\$77,221	Urana	<i>\$14,117</i>
Gundagai	\$18,463	Wagga Wagga	\$113,403
Gunnedah	\$55,982	Wakool	\$23,713
Gunning	\$22,665	Walcha	\$36,147
Guyra	\$33,879	Walgett	\$32,619
Harden	\$18,628	Warren	\$18,194
Hastings	,	Warringah	\$325,72
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Hawkesbury		Waverley	\$204,842
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Hay	\$23,852	Weddin	<i>\$32,43</i> 3
Holbrook	\$15,884	Wellington	\$27,917
Holroyd	,	Wentworth	\$27,06
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Hornsby	, ,	Willoughby	\$128,372
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Hume	\$25,385	Windouran	\$11,460
Hunters Hill	\$34,733	Wingecarribee	\$85,179
Hurstville	. ,	Wollondilly	\$84,58
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Inverell	\$66,630	Wollongong	\$377,454
Jerilderie	\$14,785	Woollahra	\$121,290
Junee	\$22,241	Wyong	\$253,245
Kempsey	\$61,970	Yallaroi	\$18,050
Kiama	\$45,276	Yarrowlumla	\$100,662
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networking activities	Ψ20 4 ,227		
Royal Blind Society	\$150,000		
Royal Billa Society	φ130,000		

Total \$19,670,000

1. Comprises assistance distributed to councils through the funding formula (subsidy, local special projects, Library Development Grants) and NSW Government enhancement funding for collections and Library Development Grants.

- 2. Funding is for staffing of the NSW.net project; subsidy of telecommunications costs incurred by local councils and their libraries; hardware and software e.g. routers, PCs, regional servers, etc; and purchasing access to full online information databases such as Health Reference Centre for members. Funding expended on individual member councils and their libraries varies from location to location depending on local requirements.
- 3. Cooperative and networking activities included funding the Multicultural Purchasing Cooperative, web page development, the inter-library loan van, statewide public library network activities, continuing education and training and research projects. These activities are supported by the Library Council of NSW and centrally managed by the State Library for the benefit of the NSW public library network.
- 4. For the Royal Blind Society library which provides resources to clients with a sight disability."
- 24. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Can the Minister confirm or deny any Government plans to float the Opera House in the future to provide funding for the maintenance of the Opera House?

Response:

"The Government has no plans to float the Sydney Opera House."

- 25. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—
- (1) Can the Minister give a full list of all grants distributed by the Government to various arts organisations in the last financial year?
- (2) What was the amount allocated to each of these organisations?

Response:

The Ministry for the Arts' grants 2000-01 program consisted of the following:

	Application Description	Amt Approved
Arts Development Fund		
Jessie Street Women`s Library Inc	final payment of general running costs	\$30,000
Migration Heritage Centre NSW	Migration Heritage Centre	\$70,000
Railway Street Theatre Company	one-off Western Sydney / regional support	\$20,000

Ltd	package	
Sydney Spring Festival of New	loan forwards outstanding artists fees from the	\$25,000
Music	2000 festival	
Tourism of New South Wales	contribution towards Pacific Circle Music Expo 2000	\$10,000
TOTAL		\$155,000
Capital Assistance		
Armidale Dumaresq Council for	stage 1 extensions and refurbisment of	\$25,000
Armidale & Region Aboriginal	Armidale Aboriginal Keeping Place and	, ,
Cultural Centre & Keeping Place	Cultural Centre	
Bathurst City Council	conservation and intepretation of Chifley Cottage (\$25,000) and archival storage and display presentation areas at National Motor Racing Museum (\$50,000)	\$75,000
Gosford City Council for Woy Woy Little Theatre Inc	construction of a 120 seat theatre	\$30,000
Inner West Cultural Services	refurbishment of former church hall as a performing arts rehearsal studio	\$35,000
Narrabri Shire Council	construction of Narrabri Cultural Centre	\$25,000
Railway Street Theatre Company Ltd	refurbishment of theatre`s performance space in Penrith	\$25,000
	refurbishment of two rehearsal studios	\$6,000
Wollondilly Shire Council	stage 1 refurbishment of cultural centre	\$80,000
TOTAL	and a superior of the superior	\$301,000
Capital Infrastructure Metropolitan		
Asian Australian Artists Association	completion of fit out of Asia-Australia Arts	\$25,000
Inc	Centre gallery	
Blacktown City Council	refurbishment of a former Anglican Church for multi-purpose arts use	\$120,000
Darlinghurst Theatre Co	refurbishment of Murphy Hall, Potts Point, for theatre use	\$30,000
Liverpool City Council for Casula Powerhouse Regional Arts Centre	refurbishment and equipment of centre`s theatre and performance space	\$200,000
Metro Screen Ltd	construction and equipping of a mobile video and multi-media laboratory workshop to extend Metro Screen's services to western Sydney and country NSW	\$45,885
PACT Co-op Ltd	purchase and installation of new theatre seating and a rostrum	\$14,000
TOTAL		\$434,885
Capital Infrastructure Regional		
Bingara Shire Council	refurbishment of Roxy Cinema for community cultural use	\$30,000
Coffs Harbour City Council	refurbishment of Jetty Memorial Theatre	\$25,000
	fit-out of Coffs Harbour Regional Gallery for community and travelling exhibitions	\$100,000

Coonabarabran Shire Council for Coonabarabran Arts Council Inc	refurbishment of Little Theatre for cinema use	\$10,000
Culcairn Shire Council for Henty	upgrading the hall's stage facilities for	\$30,000
Memorial Hall Committee	performing arts use	<i>\$20,000</i>
Deniliquin Council for Deniliquin	installation of airconditioning in Deniliquin	\$10,000
Multiart Centre Inc	community cultural centre	, .,
Lake Macquarie City Council	fit-out of Lake Macquarie Regional Gallery	\$75,000
Nambucca Shire Council for	refurbishment of Bowra Theatre, Bowraville,	\$75,000
Bowraville Arts Council	for community cultural use	ŕ
Incorporated		
Ngurrala Aboriginal Corporation	construction of visual arts and crafts facilities for Land Council's community centre	\$50,000
Nundle Shire Council for Nundle	refurbishment of seating in the Nundle Cinema	\$3,850
Arts Council Incorporated		
Old Teachers College, Armidale Inc	upgrading the theatre`s seating, carpet and curtains	\$17,240
Orange City Council	Stage 1 construction of Orange Music Centre	\$150,000
Parry Shire Council	refurbishment of Bendemeer Hall for community cultural use	\$20,000
Quirindi Shire Council	upgrading the Quirindi cultural centre basement	\$6,800
Tallaganda Shire Council	refurbishment of Braidwood`s original tin shed cinema for community cultural use	\$20,000
Tenterfield Shire Council	refurbishment and fit-out of School of Arts` theatre	\$75,000
Wagga Wagga City Council	fit-out of a hot glass studio	\$75,000
Warren Shire Council	refurbishment of former Post Office for community cultural use	\$15,000
Wollongong City Council for Precarious	purchase of a big top circus tent and equipment for regional touring	\$126,225
TOTAL		\$914,115
Carnivale		
Carnivale	general running costs for 2001	\$300,000
	general running costs for 2001	\$275,000
	production staging costs of `Promised Woman` at Studio	\$5,000
	general running costs	\$90,000
TOTAL		\$670,000
City of the Arts		
Armidale Dumaresq Council	management of Third City of Arts program 1999-2001	\$150,000
		\$150,000
Community Cultural Development		
Accessible Arts Inc	general running costs	\$116,000
Accessible Arts Inc for Art Zone	Dixon Park sculpture project	\$11,000
Armidale & Region Aboriginal Cultural Centre & Keeping Place	centre director`s position	\$30,000

Arts Law Centre of Australia	general running costs	\$55,000
Arts Mid North Coast	Arts Mid North Coast regional arts program	\$55,000
Arts North West Inc	Arts North West RADO position and program	\$55,000
Arts OutWest	Arts OutWest RADO position and program	\$55,000
Auburn Community Development	multicultural arts officer's position and	\$50,000
Network	program	
Bankstown Youth Development	youth arts officer`s position	\$50,000
Service		•
Broken Hill City Council	West Darling RADO position and program	\$55,000
Community Arts and Adult	general running costs	\$50,000
Education Centre		
Community Arts and Adult	offsetting the operating deficit	\$5,000
Education Centre		
Community Cultural Development	general running costs	\$130,000
NSW		
Community Cultural Development	development of a strategic and business plan	\$10,000
NSW	for Community Cultural Development NSW	
Eastern Riverina Arts Program Inc	Eastern Riverina RADO position and program	\$55,000
ECC of Newcastle and Hunter	multicultural arts officer`s position	\$26,000
Region		
Fairfield Community Arts Network	Villawood Urbart project	\$25,000
Fairfield Community Resource	multicultural community arts worker`s position	\$25,000
Centre		
High Street Youth Health Service	artists fees for the `Wild Nights` performance	\$5,760
	project	
ICE (Info & Cultural Exchange)	cultural development officer`s position and	\$50,000
	program	
Illawarra Aboriginal Corporation	cultural centre director's position and program	\$40,000
	of activities	
Illawarra Ethnic Communities	multicultural arts officer`s position and	\$34,440
Council Inc	program	
Italo-Australian Community Centre	a cross cultural women`s domestic craft	\$14,000
Inc for FILEF Cultural Committee	exhibition	
Kiama Municipal Council	cultural development officer`s position	\$25,000
Liverpool City Council for Casula	`Welcome to Junkiesville` project	\$5,000
Powerhouse Regional Arts Centre		
Liverpool City Council for Casula	`East of Somewhere` project	\$10,000
Powerhouse Regional Arts Centre		
Liverpool Migrant Resource Centre	multicultural co-ordinator`s position and	\$25,000
	general running costs	
Murrurundi Shire Council	Upper Hunter RADO position and program	\$55,000
National Indigenous Arts Advocacy	general running costs	\$21,500
Police & Community Youth Clubs	community cultural development officer`s	\$25,000
NSW	position	
Regional Arts Board Albury	Albury/Wodonga RADO position and program	\$27,000
Wodonga		
Regional Arts NSW	general running costs	\$265,000
	Country Arts Support Program	\$100,000
	regional collaborative arts marketing project	\$19,500

	regional training and development project	\$19,500
	Regional Indigenous Cultural Officer	\$61,000
	costs of a conference convenor for the	\$15,000
	Regional Arts Australia Conference to be held	720,000
	in Albury in October 2002	
Regional Arts NSW for Outback	Outback Arts RADO position and program	\$55,000
Arts Inc	Outouck Arts RADO position and program	φ33,000
Regional Arts NSW for South East	Snowy Mountains/South Coast RADO position	\$50,000
Regional Arts Steering Committee	and program	400,000
Riverina Theatre Company Ltd	Translation 2 women's project	\$14,500
Shopfront Theatre for Young People	1 0	\$29,000
South West Arts Inc	South West Arts RADO position and program	\$52,000
	Southern Tablelands RADO position and	\$55,000
Southern Tablelands Regional Arts	_	<i>\$33,000</i>
Inc	program	φ15.000
St Marys Area Community	'Hearing Western Women's Voices Through	\$15,000
Development Project Inc	Art` project	4=0.000
Vietnamese Community in Australia	00 1	\$50,000
NSW Chapter	programs	
Workers` Cultural Action	arts worker`s position	\$20,000
Committee		
Wyong Neighbourhood Centre	youth arts co-ordinator`s position	\$25,800
TOTAL		\$2,042,000
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Dance		
Aboriginal Dance Theatre Redfern	Indigenous Dance Outreach project	\$10,000
Ausdance (NSW) Inc	final year of triennial funding 1999-2001	\$100,000
Ausuunce (11511) Inc	`Outreach Dance Development` project	\$41,490
		\$10,000
	`Marketing Dance` project	
	`Dancers etc` project	\$7,000
A I (NOW) I C D I	a stablisation grant	\$50,000
Ausdance (NSW) Inc for Bodies	`Bodies` project	\$15,000
Dance Festival		4
Ausdance (NSW) Inc for Ms Diana	`Elementos` project	\$20,000
Reyes		
Ausdance (NSW) Inc for Ms	`Smack` project	\$10,000
Elizabeth Lea		
Ausdance (NSW) Inc for The	`No Surrender` project	\$10,000
Physical TV Company		
Australian Ballet	general running costs	\$483,028
Australian Dance Council –	2001 Australian Youth Dance Festival,	\$25,000
National Secretariat	Armidale (including \$12,500 from Premier`s	. ,
	Regional Fund)	
Bangarra Dance Theatre Australia	general running costs	\$433,301
Bega Valley PANTS Inc	`Yards and Yards` project	\$20,000
Choreographic Centre Inc	travel assistance for NSW artists	\$10,000
Choreographic Centre Inc	Second Stage Choreographic Fellowship	\$20,000
Dance Exchange Inc		•
0	general running costs	\$25,000
Dance Nova Inc	general running costs	\$25,000
De Quincey Company Ltd	general running costs	\$30,000

Doonooch Self Healing Indigenous Co	`Men and Women Dancers` project	\$10,000
Igneous	`Hands` production	\$10,000
Kinetic Energy Theatre Company Inc	subsidy towards independent dance artists` hire of `The Edge`	\$10,000
Lingalayam Dance Company Inc	`Courtesan` project	\$20,000
Northern Rivers Performing Arts Inc for Ms Catherine Worth	`Some Four` project	\$20,000
Omeo Dance Inc	`Stella B` project	\$17,000
One Extra Dance Company Ltd	general running costs	\$140,000
Open City Inc for Ms Julie-Anne Long	`Mrs Whippy` project	\$12,000
Performance Space Ltd	third year of triennial funding 1999-2001	\$70,000
Performing Lines Ltd for Ms Kate Champion	`About Face` project	\$30,000
Spaghetti Circus Inc	chargegraphic development of 'Rugs' project	\$2.055
Sydney Dance Company	choreographic development of `Bugs` project annual program	\$2,955 \$151,010
Sydney Dance Company	performances at Joyce Theatre, New York	\$50,000
Two Til Five Youth Theatre	`Visions` project	\$4,000
TOTAL	visions project	\$1,891,784
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Fellowships and Scholarships		4.0.000
Asialink	four residences in 2002	\$28,000
Aitken, Ms Pam	Fremantle Residential Studio	\$3,000
Arrow, Dr Michelle	2000 History Fellowship towards study of radio serials of Gwen Meredith	\$20,000
Bobis, Dr Merlinda	2000 Writer`s Fellowship for novel: `Fish-Hair Woman`	\$20,000
Cavaliere, Ms Katthy	2000 Helen Lempriere Travelling Art Scholarship	\$20,000
Green, Ms Susan	2000 Indigenous History Fellowship for history of Aboriginal welfare in New South Wales	\$10,000
Konishi, Ms Shino	1998 Indigenous History Fellowship for European constructions of Aboriginality and masculinity as manifested by early writings	\$10,000
Musica Viva Australia	administration costs for the 2002 David Paul Landa Memorial Scholarship for Pianists	\$15,000
Pollard, Ms Deborah	research with Regina Bimadona in Java	\$15,000
Smyth, Ms Bridget	2001 Max Kelly Fellowship to research and study of impact of cultural events on development of public places and infrastructure	\$9,000
Vuletic, Ms Emma	2000 Philip Parson`s young playwright`s award	\$5,000
TOTAL		\$155,000
Illawarra Performing Arts Strategy		
Illawarra Ethnic Communities Council Inc for Ms Bronwyn	Stories Given Handed On #2 project	\$7,000

Vaughan		
South Coast Writers` Centre Inc for Hurricane Working Class Productions	`Money or Your Life` project	\$18,000
Wollongong City Council	Illawarra Youth Circus project	\$5,000
Wollongong City Council for	Intensive English Centre project	\$20,000
Intensive English Centre	Intensive English Centre project	φ20,000
Intensive English Centre		\$50,000
Indigenous Arts Fund		φ50,000
Arts Mid North Coast	attendance of 3 Indigenous women at Ngan Girra Festival, Albury, as a development initiative	\$3,217
Arts North West Inc for Mr Ronald Charles Binge	artist`s fees for Ronald Charles Binge to undertake a youth cultural program in four regional communities	\$3,500
BIG hART Inc for Beyond the Levee Productions	artists fees and per diems for Aboriginal youth participants for workshops in Walgett to develop a new theatrical work	\$5,000
Coffs Harbour Arts Council Inc	production and promotion of a CD by Tom Powell	\$1,250
Goobah Goobah Koori Theatre	performers` fees for the Bundjalung Peoples	\$5,000
Aboriginal Corporation	Gathering performances, 13-15 October 2000	
Great Lakes Community Resources Inc for Home Base Youth Service	mural at Forster by Mandy Davis and community	\$2,400
Greater Taree City Council for Manning Valley Australians for Reconciliation	artists` fees for music and dance performances at the Annual Indigenous Community Achievers` Awards	\$3,000
Hawkesbury Nepean Community Legal Centre	performances for an event celebrating National and Aboriginal Islander Day	\$1,450
	co-ordinator and Indigenous artists` fees for a children`s cultural program for NAIDOC week	\$3,600
Indigenous Vibrations Incorporated	artists fees and resource materials for worshops in audio production and sound techniques	\$2,500
Kurranulla Aboriginal Corporation	artists fees for workshops for Indigenous youth in dance, music and theatre	\$3,400
Mid North Coast Indigenous Broadcasters Association	mural at the Indigenous radio station in Taree	\$3,554
Muswellbrook Shire Council	artist`s fees for George Anderson to work on a Reconciliation mural in Simpson Park	\$4,500
Nambucca Valley Community	showcase of work by 19 Gumbaynggirr artists	\$5,000
Services Council Inc	in Sydney	, 2, 3 3 3
Ngoroe-Kah Indigenous Performance Aboriginal Corporation	Biami Cave Corroboree performances	\$5,000
	Indigenous artists` fees (\$810), non- Indigenous artists` fees, travel and accommodation (\$1,410) and on a one-off basis only, the hire of sound equipment (\$1000)	\$3,220

	for music skills development workshops	
Trees In Newcastle (T.I.N.) Inc for Art Zone Steering Committee	Indigenous artists` fees for the Creation of Unity project	\$3,000
Tumut Shire Council	Indigenous artists` fees for planning and design of three site specific works at the tribal boundaries in the Tumut Valley	\$5,000
Tweed Valley Arts Council	travel expenses for the Kokerek Dancers and fees for the didjeridoo player for the Federation historical pageant	\$300
TOTAL		\$63,891
International		
Armanious, Mr Hany	travel costs to the USA for exhibition at the UCLA Hammer Museum	\$1,600
Australian Brandenburg Orchestra	travel costs to tour Austria, France Germany and the UK	\$10,000
Brown, Ms Pam	travel costs to participate in the inagural International Literature Festival, Berlin	\$1,960
Cheo, Mr Chai-Hang	travel costs to Germany to participate in the 8th Triennial of Fellbach	\$1,829
Clarkson, Mr David	travel costs to France to attend masterclasses at Pantheatrics Enrique Pardo	\$1,905
Ehrlich, Ms Daniella	travel to study in USA	\$2,000
ERTH Visual & Physical Inc	travel costs for an international tour to UK, USA, Singapore and Austria	\$10,000
Hyatt, Mr Linden	travel costs to undertake German language studies in Germany and research for a novel- in-progress `The Book of Wildflowers`	\$2,000
Jazz Co-ordination Association of	travel costs to tour Finaland, Italy and	\$9,000
NSW for Bernie McGann Trio	Denmark	
Joyce, Mr Brian	travel assistance to direct `Stoneface` in Copenhagen	\$2,309
Kay, Ms Catherine	travel costs for participation in the 8th International Frankfurt Craft Triennial	\$2,000
Legs on the Wall Inc	travel costs to tour `Flying Blind` to Canada	\$10,000
Nock, Mr Mike	travel costs for a tour to Indonesia	\$900
Performing Lines Ltd	travel costs for the `Theft of Sita` tour to New York, USA, UK and Ireland	\$10,000
REM Theatre Company Ltd	travel costs to attend the `Ignite` Forum, New Zealand	\$1,574
Sewell, Mr Stephen	professional development tour to Vienna, Berlin and London	\$2,000
Stacey, Ms Robyn Ann	travel costs to attend exhibitions in Amsterdam and the Netherlands	\$1,795
Sydney Youth Orchestra Association	travel costs for four professional opera artists to tour Denmark with the Sydney Youth Orchestra	\$10,000

Tall Poppies Foundation Ltd	travel costs for five musicians to attend the Vale of Glamorgan Music Festival, Wales	\$10,000
Theatre of Image Ltd	tourof `Jake and Pete` to Manitoba Theatre for Young People, Canada	\$10,000
Tranter, Mr John	travel costs to participate in the inaugural International Literature Festival, Berlin	\$2,319
TOTAL	International Literature Pestival, Bertin	\$103,191
Literature and History		
Australian Chinese Writers Assoc	forum on Dr Hu Shih`s Literary Theory	\$900
	forum on the poetry of Tao Yuanming	\$900
Australian Writers` Guild Ltd	mentorships for NESB and Indigenous writers	\$5,000
Broken Hill City Council	West Darling Oral History project, Stage 2	\$12,000
Broken Hill City Council for Broken Hill Writers`s Centre	literary co-ordinator`s salary	\$10,000
	writers-in-residence	\$2,550
Central West Writers` Centre	co-ordination of writers` centre	\$20,000
	regional literature program	\$5,000
Children`s Book Council of Aust.	Aloud West program	\$10,000
	mentor program	\$3,000
Eleanor Dark Foundation Ltd	third year of triennial funding 2001	\$92,000
English Association Sydney Inc	contributors` fees for `Southerly`	\$5,000
	subscription subsidy for `Southerly`	\$10,800
Fellowship of Australian Writers	literature development officer`s salary	\$5,000
	outreach program to regional areas	\$3,200
Five Islands Press Associates	New Poets Publishing Program workshops	\$7,000
Giramondo Publishing Company	subscription subsidy for `Heat`	\$4,200
	editorial fees for `Heat`	\$3,000
Group of Liberty and Creativity	publication costs for `Joussour`	\$3,500
History Council of NSW Inc	executive director`s salary	\$35,000
	executive assistant`s salary	\$10,000
	information technology project	\$8,000
Hunter Writers` Centre Inc	co-ordinator`s salary	\$22,000
	administrator`s salary	\$5,000
	craft/skills workshops	\$2,800
	`01` anthology and workshops	\$2,450
	scriptwriting for comics workshop	\$900
James Joyce Foundation	artists` fees for the 2001 Bloomsday celebration at the National Maritime Museum	\$3,000
New England Review Inc	editorial salaries	\$2,500
<u> </u>	contributors` fees	\$2,500
New England Writers` Centre	director`s salary	\$22,000
	Aboriginal writer`s visit	\$2,400
New South Wales Writers` Centre	LitLink touring program	\$10,000
	LitLink 2001 conference	\$5,000
	administration of LitLink program	\$2,500
	director`s salary	\$41,000
	administrative assistant`s salary	\$25,500
	secretary/course co-ordinator`s salary	\$20,500

	membership secretary/bookkeeper`s salary	\$5,000
Northern Rivers Writers` Centre	director`s salary	\$22,000
	administrator`s salary	\$6,000
	workshop series	\$5,000
Octapod Association Inc	workshops at the national young writers` festival	\$6,000
Poets` Union Inc	administrative officer`s salary	\$24,000
	`'Poets on Wheels` tour	\$5,000
Professional Historians Association	subscription subsidy for `Public History Review`, vol. 9	\$2,500
	editorial fees for `Public History Review` volume 9	\$3,000
Royal Australian Historical Society	grants to community groups for local and regional history projects	\$20,000
South Coast Writers` Centre Inc	director's salary	\$23,000
	administrative assistant`s salary	\$5,000
	mentorship program	\$6,500
	Indigenous writing program	\$2,900
	writing program for NESB writers	\$2,000
Wagga Wagga Writers Writers Inc	regional literary co-ordinator`s salary	\$16,000
	office manager`s salary	\$9,000
		\$589,000
Museums		,
Adelong Progress Association Incorporated for Adelong Alive Museum	development of open storage in annexe	\$7,650
	development of open storage in breezeway	\$2,750
Australian Shearers` Hall of Fame	50% of salary for a community curator to work	\$23,000
v	with Bishop`s Lodge, Hay Goal Museum, Dunnera Interpretative Centre and the Shearers` Hall of Fame	
Bathurst City Council	establishment of a regional museum in historic	\$125,000
Bainarsi City Councii	TAFE buildings	φ123,000
Bega Valley Historical Society Inc for Bega Family Museum	archiving of the photographic collection	\$4,500
Berrima District Historical Society	installation of a mechanical ventilation system	\$5,200
Bogan Shire Council for Mid-State	an exhibition about shearers and those	\$5,000
Shearing Shed	working in the shearing industry	φε,σσσ
Bogan Shire Council for Nyngan	developing the 'Introduction' exhibition at the	\$5,000
Inside Story - Cobb & Co	Nyngan Inside Story Museum	,,,,,,,,
Coachworks Museum		
Broken Hill City Council for Albert Kersten Geo Centre	museum curator`s salary	\$7,000
Cabonne Council for Age of Fishes Museum, Canowindra	signage, banners and the completion of Stage 1	\$10,000
AZASSANIN CANONIMIA	50% of salary for the education/volunteer manager	\$21,000
	museum manager`s salary	\$15,000

Camden Historical Society Inc for Camden Historical Museum	upgrade and redevelopment of old exhibition area	\$10,500
Cobar Shire Council for Cobar Regional Museum	assistant curator`s salary	\$10,850
Dubbo City Council	50% of the museum curator`s position	\$20,355
·	development of a travelling exhibition	\$12,500
124304111	development of a permanent exhibition and design brief for Dubbo Gaol Museum	\$15,000
Eden Killer Whale Museum	curator/collection manager`s salary	\$5,350
Fairfield City Council for Fairfield City Museum & Gallery	upgrading of the schools program	\$5,185
Forster Local Aboriginal Land Council for Tobwabba Art	development of exhibitions and displays at Tobwabba Art	\$12,000
Heritage Office	Thematic studies	\$20,000
Illawarra Military Heritage Society	upgrading of security	\$2,400
for Breakwater Battery Museum		. ,
Jewish Cultural Centre Inc for Sydney Jewish Museum	construction of storage facilities	\$10,000
	development of an Aboriginal exhibition	\$50,000
	museum director`s salary	\$7,180
Liverpool City Council for Liverpool Regional Museum	50% of the assistant curator`s salary	\$22,700
3	development of `Yambeds and Sweetgrass` exhibition	\$5,000
	exhibition development of `Flannelette: a history of subcultures in West`	\$4,500
	exhibition development of `Leaving Timor: history of Timorese settlement in Western Sydney	\$6,500
Lord Howe Island Historical Society for Lord Howe Island Museum	employment of a consultant curator to develop exhibitions	\$22,500
,	fit-out of Lord Howe Island Museum	\$95,000
Manning Valley Historical Society Inc	repair and maintenance of museum buildings	\$5,000
Millthorpe & Dist Historical Society for Golden Memories Museum	storage facilities	\$5,000
Mount Wilson Historical Society	purchase and installation of defumidifiers and heaters	\$4,500
Museum of Fire Inc	purchase of an hydraulic lifter	\$1,250
Museums and Galleries Foundation of NSW	volunteer initiated museums grant program	\$25,000
	second year of triennial funding	\$357,000
	Museums Advisors program for 2002	\$40,000
National Trust of Australia (NSW)	development of `It`s Curtains for Mrs Macquarie` exhibition	\$10,000
	curator/registrar`s salary	\$10,200

National Trust of Australia (NSW) for Dundullimal Homestead	six stations of passive audio for the Stage 2 interpretation of Dundullimal Homestead, Dubbo	\$6,000
New England Regional Art Museum	design and fabrication of `Golden Threads` travelling exhibition	\$15,000
Newcastle City Council for Newcastle Regional Museum	development by Hunter Chapter of `A Sense of Place - Hunter collections and their stories` exhibition	\$9,700
	upgrade of temporary exhibition gallery	\$9,000
	third year of triennial funding	\$115,000
	regional museum officer`s position	\$45,000
Newcastle Maritime Museum	establishment of a maritime centre at Lee	\$90,000
Society for Newcastle Region Maritime Museum	Wharf A in Newcastle	
Parramatta City Council for Parramatta Heritage Centre	50% of the curator`s salary	\$23,000
Port Macquarie Historical Society for Port Macquarie Historical Museum	strategic plan for Port Macquarie Museum subject to the provision of matching funding from Hastings Council	\$4,600
Sir William Dobell Memorial Committee	curation, design and construction of interpretative panels of Sir William Dobell`s life	\$7,000
Tenterfield Shire Council	research and development of exhibitions at Sir Henry Parkes Memorial School of Arts complex	\$30,000
	50% of salary for the public programs officer	\$20,000
	fit-out and exhibition development of Sir Henry Parkes Memorial School of Arts Museum	\$65,000
The Oaks Historical Society Inc for Wollondilly Heritage Centre	fitout of a schoolroom for Children of Federation exhibition	\$9,000
Tibooburra Local Aboriginal Land Council	improvement of displays at Tibooburra Museum	\$4,500
	cataloguing the collection	\$2,000
Uralla Historical Society Inc for McCrossin`s Mill Museum	purchase of a computer and collection management software	\$4,500
Wagga Wagga City Council for Museum of the Riverina	development of `Another Pair of Hands - rural women and their work` exhibition	\$22,500
	travel and accommodation costs of the regional museums officer	\$9,450
	cost of receiving six travelling exhibitions	\$16,250
	employment of a part-time cataloguer for collection	\$4,950
	production of a regional newsletter	\$1,000
	50% of the salary of the full-time curator	\$20,000
TOTAL		\$1,560,020
Music	professional musicians fees for the `Duncas	¢2 000
Adamstown Uniting Church	professional musicians fees for the `Dungeon Jazz` workshop and concert series	\$2,000

Armidale Youth Orchestra Inc	two day workshop at Valla Beach	\$1,500
	composer-in-residence, Stephen Leek	\$1,000
Australia Ensemble	annual program	\$20,000
Australian Brandenburg Orchestra	annual program	\$50,000
	annual program	\$20,000
	part payment of the 2002 annual program	\$20,000
Australian Chamber Orchestra	annual program	\$87,758
	orchestral fees for a co-production of	\$77,000
	`Mitridate` with the Sydney Festival	ŕ
Australian Institute of Eastern	musicians fees for the Festival of Asian Music	\$8,000
Music	and Dance	
	rental costs of the Studio	\$5,000
	artists fees for the Festival of Asian Music and	\$9,000
	Dance performances at The Studio	
Australian Music Centre Ltd	general running costs of the NSW operations	\$15,000
Australian Society for Music	travel and accommodation costs for a New	<i>\$453</i>
Education, NSW Chapter	South Wales student composer to attend the	
	national conference of the Australia Society for	
	Music Education	
Band Association of NSW	administration costs	\$7,500
	requests from bands	\$11,500
Bellingen Jazz Festival Inc	musicians` fees for the Bellingen Jazz Festival	\$7,000
Border Music Camp	conductors` and tutors` fees for the residential	\$2,000
	music camp	
Brackets and Jam	annual program	\$10,000
Broken Hill Civic Orchestra Inc	tutors` fees for workshops	\$2,000
Byron Community Primary School	all-age showcase series	\$4,000
for Gigs for Kids		4.7.7 00
Camden Haven Arts Council Inc	musicians` fees and workshop costs	\$1,500
Carnivale	multicultural music co-ordinator's position	\$25,000
	operating costs for Cafe Carnivale	\$15,000
	operating costs for Cafe Carnivale	\$20,000
Central Coast Conservatorium Inc	composer-in-residence, Roger Mason	\$3,700
Clockwork Theatre	schools production of `Hansel and Gretel`	\$5,000
Council of the Cathedral School for	tutors` fees	\$1,000
The Cathedral School Sinfonia		#4.000
De Quincey Company Ltd	musicians` fees for `Butoh Product No 12`	\$4,000
Elektra String Quartet Inc	development and performance of `Songs of Psyche`	\$8,000
Gilgandra Entertainers Arts	tutors` fees	\$1,200
Council Inc for The St Johns		
Gilgandra Community Orchestra		# 4 000
GlobalFreeway Australian Youth	tutors` fees for the young concert artist	\$4,000
Orchestra Ltd	program	#
Goori Broadcasters of Radio	musicians` fees for the Lismore Survival	\$6,000
Nambucca Incorporated for	Concert	
Survival Concert, Lismore	nunfoggiou al autista force	Ø1 000
Hunter Singers	professional artists fees	\$1,000
Jazz Action Society (NSW) Inc	a series of six concerts	\$6,500

Jazz Co-ordination Association of NSW	NSW Jazz Development Program	\$32,000
Jazz Co-ordination Association of	musicians` fees for sextet and big band	\$5,000
NSW for Mr Dave Panichi	performances	φ5,000
Kowmung Music Festival Inc	professional artists` fees	\$8,000
Lingalayam Dance Company Inc	musicians` fees for `The Courtesan`	\$10,000
Macleay Valley Arts Council	instrumental workshop tutors` fees	\$2,000
Incorporated	instrumental workshop tators fees	φ2,000
Maitland City Council for Maitland	commissioning of a music composition by	\$3,000
Tourism Forum	Sirocco based on history of Maitland Gaol	φ3,000
Mallee Hen Cooperation Ltd for	professional musicians performance and	\$5,000
Nymagee Outback Music Festival	workshop fees	φ2,000
MC Artology Inc	Australian Virtuosi concert series	\$3,000
Murray Conservatorium	Saturday Celebration Concert series	\$1,000
Music Association (NSW) Inc	Indent program	\$250,000
Music Association (NSW) Inc	statewide coordination of popular music	\$35,000
	development	\$33,000
	launch and promotional costs for Stiff Gins	\$5,000
	debut single	\$3,000
	Stiff Gins international tour of Europe,	\$15,000
	Canada and Vietnam	\$13,000
	`Whichway 2001`	\$10,700
Music Association (NSW) Inc for	Country Music College attendance fees for	•
Music Association (NSW) Inc for Mr Todd Williams	Todd Williams	\$2,300
Music Theatre Sydney	production of `Le Chat Noir`	\$4,000
	production of `Flight of Les Darcy`	\$26,000
Musica Viva Australia	annual program	\$222,142
	regional touring costs for the Sydney	\$49,000
	Symphony Orchestra (\$24,000), the Newcastle	
	series (\$16,000) and family concerts and	
	regional residencies (\$9,000)	
	Musica Viva in schools program	\$100,000
Nambucca Shire Council for Nambucca Shire Council Youth Network	compilation CD project	\$5,000
Nepean Choral Society Inc	composer and soloists` fees	\$1,000
New Music Network	administration and annual forum costs	\$15,000
Newcastle City Council	`Get Wired` skills development program	\$5,000
Newcastle University Choir	professional artists` fees	\$1,000
Northern Rivers Performing Arts	music co-ordinator`s position	\$20,000
Inc		
	musicians fees for `Mr Barbeque`	\$10,000
Northern Rivers Regional Arts Assoc	World Music concert series	\$5,000
Northern Rivers Regional Arts Assoc	Move to Music festival	\$3,000
Opera Australia	general running costs	\$1,200,000
•	general running costs for the Australian Opera and Ballet Orchestra	\$686,418

	a 30-week primary schools tour of `The Magic Flute`	\$50,000
	annual program	\$431,138
	2002 Opera in Schools program	\$50,000
Orange Regional Conservatorium Inc	music co-ordinator`s salary	\$15,000
	Brass Education Extension project	\$3,000
Orange Regional Conservatorium Inc	Orange Symphony conductors fees	\$3,000
Parkes Shire Council	salary of musician-in residence	\$14,000
Penrith Symphony Orchestra Inc	professional artists` fees	\$2,000
Riverina Summer School for Strings		\$2,000
Seymour Group	annual program	\$30,000
Shoalhaven City Council	CD project	\$5,000
Song Company Pty Ltd	annual program	\$100,000
South Sydney Youth Services Inc	youth music project	\$5,000
South West Arts Inc	skills development for emerging bands	\$5,000
	training and development program	\$8,000
	professional fees for the `Flat Earth` Festival	\$8,000
Sri Lanka Arts Council of Australia	musicians fees for the concert series	\$1,000
Sydney Acappella Association	administration and artistic costs	\$10,000
Sydney Alpha Ensemble Inc	annual concert series	\$15,000
Sydney Children's Choir	professional artists` fees	\$13,000
Sydney Improvised Music Association	annual program	\$42,000
	a special grant for technical equipment	\$3,100
Sydney Philharmonia Ltd	annual program	\$75,000
Sydney Spring Festival of New Music	annual program	\$37,000
Sydney Symphony Orchestra	annual education,touring and professional development programs	\$842,846
	2001 Stuart Challender Lecture	\$3,000
	an advance towards the 2002 annual education, touring and professional development programs	\$439,000
Sydney Youth Jazz Ensemble Inc	tutors` fees	\$2,500
Sydney Youth Orchestra Association	v	\$43,000
Synergy Percussion Ltd	development of strategic plans	\$15,000
Tamworth Regional Conservatorium	tutors fees for masterclasses	\$4,000
The Jazz Groove Association	annual program	\$10,000
Incorporated The Orchestras of Australia Network	core activities	\$26,000
	orchestral management workshop	\$3,000
Tyalgum Festival Committee Inc	artists` fees	\$2,500
UWS Nepean Music Area	`Machine for Making Sense` residency	\$7,500
Waverley Council for Bondi Pavilion Community Cultural	musician-in-residence	\$15,000

Centre		
	Bondi Youth Wave	\$13,000
Young Drums Percussion Orchestra	annual program and Ray Pereira residency	\$14,000
Young Regional School of Music Inc	instrumental and vocal workshops	\$2,000
		\$5,571,755
Performing Arts Touring Round 1		
Arts On Tour - NSW Ltd	tourof `The Carer`	\$19,565
	`Shows on Road` touring program	\$40,000
	final year of multiyear funding (1999-2001)	\$175,000
Arts On Tour - NSW Ltd for Bell Shakespeare Company Ltd	GAL for Bell Shakespeare`s `Much Ado About Nothing` to the Illawarra Performing Arts Centre	\$3,898
Bell Shakespeare Company Ltd	triennial funding (2001-2003) for regional touring	\$200,000
Macdonnell Promotions Pty Ltd	Congress of International Society of Performing Arts in Sydney, June 2001	\$15,000
Merrigong Theatre Company	GAL for `Up For Grabs`	\$4,000
Railway Street Theatre Company Ltd	touring `Much Ado About Nothing` and `Who`s Afraid of Virginia Woolf`	\$67,260
Seymour Group	tour of the `Refugee Project`	\$9,000
Song Company Pty Ltd	tour of the 2001 Old Masters Series	\$28,000
Southern Tablelands Regional Arts Inc	tour of `MILO`	\$19,930
Theatre South Company Ltd	tour of `MILO`	\$18,930
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Performing Arts Touring Round 2		. ,
Arts On Tour - NSW Ltd	tour of the Melbourne International Comedy Festival Roadshow	\$7,741
Arts On Tour - NSW Ltd for Sydney Theatre Company	tour of Sydney Theatre Company's `Up for Grabs`	\$25,000
Arts Shoalhaven Inc.	Jane Ahlquist`s `Bird Parliament` project	\$4,000
Bangarra Dance Theatre Australia	regional performance and workshop program	\$25,000
HotHouse Theatre	tour of `Skin`	\$8,889
Northern Rivers Regional Arts	world music tours - Luis Grimaldi, Manuhir,	\$20,000
Association	Monsieur Camembert	
Powerhouse Youth Theatre Inc	tour of the 2YP performance and workshop program	\$12,400
Precarious Incorporated	tour of `Circus Monoxide under the Big Top`	\$25,000
REM Theatre Company Ltd	regional tour of `The Mystery of the Horned Dog`	\$21,937
South West Arts Inc for A Dark Horse	tour of A Dark Horse Company's 'Meat'	\$16,000
	tour of A Dark Horse Company's 'Meat'	\$3,900
Sydney Youth Orchestra Association	tour to Newcastle and the Hunter region	\$5,000
TOTAL		\$174,867
Premier's History Awards		

Jennings, Dr Gael and Harvey, Mr Roland	Sick As: Bloody Moments in the History of Medicine	\$15,000
Lanyon, Ms Anna	Malinche's Conquest	\$15,000
Morris, Ms Sherry	Wagga Wagga: A History	\$15,000
Spearritt, Professor Peter	Sydney's Century: A History	\$15,000
Thomas, Mr Martin	This is Jimmie Barker	\$15,000
TOTAL	2 miles to different participation of the participa	\$75,000
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Premier's Literary Awards		
Forde, Ms Margery and Forde, Mr Michael	Milo`s Wake	\$15,000
Haebich, Dr Anna	Broken Circles: Fragmenting Indigenous	\$2,000
	Families 1800-2000	
Mahood, Ms Kim	Craft for a Dry Lake	\$20,000
Miller, Mr Alex	Conditions Of Faith	\$20,000
Moriarty, Ms Jaclyn	Feeling Sorry For Celia	\$15,000
Taylor, Mr Ken	Africa	\$15,000
Olsen, Ms Christine	Rabbit-Proof Fence	\$15,000
Pretty, Mr Ron	Special Award	\$5,000
Wild, Ms Margaret and Brooks, Mr	Fox	\$15,000
Ron		
TOTAL		\$122,000
Premier's Translation Prize		
Lee, Mabel Dr	Premier`s Translation Prize 2001	\$2,500
TOTAL		\$2,500
Regional Arts Fund		
Arts Mid North Coast	Guy Crosley mosaic mural residency	\$12,000
Arts North West Inc	residencies in Moree, Tamworth and New	\$20,000
	England galleries	
	vocal workshop residency	\$9,000
Arts OutWest	youth writing project	\$11,425
Ausdance (NSW) Inc	`Northern Rivers Dance Action` project	\$30,000
Bega Valley PANTS Inc	`Out of Place` workshop series and talented youth project	\$6,490
BIG hART Inc	`Kids` skills development project	\$5,000
Broken Hill City Council	cross cultural workshops	\$15,000
Flying Fruit Fly Foundation Ltd	development/marketing position	\$30,000
Goulburn Liedertafel Inc	youth theatre workshop tour	\$12,000
Greater Taree City Council for	youth theatre workshops	\$14,900
Greater Taree City Council Youth		ŕ
Advisory Committee		
HotHouse Theatre	2001 Biting Dog theatre festival	\$18,000
Murrurundi Shire Council for Upper Hunter Arts Program	community art mentorship program	\$7,500
New England Writers` Centre	masterclasses in editing and crime fiction	\$4,400
New England Writers` Centre	children's writing workshops	\$3,500
Northern Rivers Performing Arts	choreographic residency program	\$23,000
Inc		

Northern Rivers Writers` Centre	Inez Baranay residency	\$5,100
	writing water residency	\$11,200
	skills development program	\$8,000
Orange City Council	`Waste Not` project	\$10,000
Police & Community Youth Clubs NSW	`Deadly Dance` project	\$18,000
Regional Arts NSW	promotional activities for Regional Arts New South Wales	\$30,000
Regional Arts NSW for Outback Arts Inc	Gulargambone Renaissance community art project	\$11,600
	music and performance residency	\$13,000
South Coast Writers` Centre Inc	regional mentorship program	\$7,760
	`Writers in Regions` program	\$7,500
Southern Tablelands Regional Arts Inc	Culture Shock Youth Arts workshop and concert	\$6,000
Wagga Wagga Writers Writers Inc	writers-in-residence program for regional south western NSW	\$9,500
TOTAL		\$359,875
Regional Arts Infrastructure Fund		
Armidale Dumaresq Council for Armidale & Region Aboriginal Cultural Centre & Keeping Place	stage 1 extension and refurbishment of Centre	\$75,000
Bathurst City Council	refurbishment of old Public School and TAFE College buildings to house Somerville, Penzig and Cobb & Co collections	\$66,000
Bogan Shier Council	upgrade of stage and audio resources in Palais Theatre	\$10,923
Byron Shire Council for Byron Bay Community Association Inc	refurbishment of Community Centre theatre	\$75,000
Coonamble Shire Council	refurbishment of St Patrick's Hall for arts use	\$14,878
Coonamble Shire Council for Catholic Church Diocese of Bathurst	refurbishment of St Patricks Hall for community and cultural use	\$6,175
Gilgandra Shire Council	construction of Gilgandra Cultural Heritage Centre	\$50,000
Gloucester Shire Council for Gloucester School of Arts	fitout of an exhibition gallery in Gloucester School of Arts building	\$25,000
Hastings Council for Camden Haven Adult and Community Education	refurbishment of Pilot Station as a nature writers` centre	\$39,449
Inverell Shire Council	purchase and installation of air conditioning in Inverell Art Gallery	\$22,722
Mudgee Shire Council for Mudgee Arts Council	fit out of a ceramics gallery in former Gulgong Post Office, Gulgong	\$11,000
Narrabri Shire Council	construction of Narrabri Cultural Centre	\$75,000
Northern Rivers Performing Arts Inc	purchase and installation of new stage lighting	\$17,000

Orange City Council for Orange Music Association Inc	construction of rehearsal studios for Orange Music Centre	\$100,000
Tibooburra & District Progress Association	refurbishment of Albert Hall for community and cultural use	\$5,000
Wingecarribee Shire Council for Mittagong Memorial Hall Management Committee	refurbishment of Mittagong Memorial Hall for performing arts use	\$10,095
TOTAL		\$603,242
Strategic Projects		
Australian Dance Council - National Secretariat	travel and facilitation costs for the NSW Roundtable on Dance, 2 March 2001	\$3,500
History Council of NSW Inc	research on funding for culturally diverse history projects in New South Wales	\$5,000
Museums and Galleries Foundation of NSW	costs of managing and hosting the NSW cultural services conference from 5-6 October 2001	\$5,000
Sydney Arts Management Advisory	annual arts management seminar program	\$8,000
Group TOTAL		\$21,500
Sydney Festival		
Sydney Festival Ltd	2001 Festival and internal audit services	\$1,530,000
Syuricy 1 estimat 2nd	2001 festival, including funds from Tourism NSW (\$125,000)	\$375,000
TOTAL		\$1,905,000
Sydney Writers' Festival		
Sydney Writers` Festival	2001 Writers` festival	\$150,000
	hiring of a bus and radio microphones for 2001 Sydney Writers` Festival	\$3,063
TOTAL		\$153,063
Theatre		
Aust. National Playwrights` Centre	general running costs	\$32,000
Australian Script Centre Inc	general running costs	\$10,000
Australian Theatre for Young People	general running costs	\$65,000
Australian Theatre of the Deaf Ltd	general running costs	\$95,000
Bankstown Youth Development	`Beat Box Vox Pop` project	\$20,000
Service for Citymoon Youth Theatre		
Bell Shakespeare Company Ltd	second year of triennial funding from 2000- 2002	\$310,663
BIG hART Inc	creative development	\$17,000
Carclew Youth Arts Centre Inc.	general running costs	\$7,000
Company B Ltd	third year of triennial funding from 1999-2001	\$352,966
	a season of `Small Poppies` in Albury- Wodonga	\$16,250

	taking `Cloudstreet` to London and New York as part of Next Wave Down Under Festival	\$60,000
Company B Ltd for Kicking and	Kicking and Screaming Theatre's production	\$15,000
Screaming New Writing Theatre	of `Imago`	¢20,000
Drummoyne Council	`Roddwanna` project	\$20,000
Flying Fruit Fly Foundation Ltd	triennial funding including funding from the Department of Education	\$110,000
	general running costs on behalf of Department of Sport and Recreation	\$50,000
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Freewheels Theatre Company	third year of triennial funding from 1999 to 2001	\$120,000
Griffin Theatre Company Ltd	third year of triennial funding for 1999-2001	\$90,000
HotHouse Theatre	general running costs	\$100,000
Legs on the Wall Inc	general running costs	\$60,000
National Performance Conference Inc	Fourth National Performance Conference	\$15,000
New Theatre	a one-off emergency grant	\$10,000
Northern Rivers Performing Arts Inc	general running costs	\$95,000
	an emergency assistance package (including \$50,000 each from State & Regional Develpment and Premier`s Department)	\$125,000
	an emergency assistance package	\$25,000
Open City Inc	general running costs	\$23,000
PACT Co-op Ltd	general running costs	\$45,000
Performance Space Ltd	third year of triennial funding from 1999-2001	\$44,273
	general running costs	\$50,000
Performance Space Ltd for Frumpus	`Crazed` project	\$15,000
Performance Space Ltd for Version 1.0	`Second Last Supper` project	\$11,000
Playworks Inc	general running costs	\$23,000
Powerhouse Youth Theatre Inc	general running costs	\$40,000
Precarious Incorporated	`Concessions`,`Beautique` and `Australia Post Precision Riding Team` projects	\$35,000
Railway Street Theatre Company Ltd	general running costs	\$290,000
	a one-off Western Sydney / regional support package (including \$40,000 from Premier`s Department)	\$70,000
REM Theatre Company Ltd	general running costs	\$40,000
Riverina Theatre Company Ltd	general running costs	\$150,000
Roo Theatre Company Inc	`Youth Shellharbration` project	\$16,000
Shopfront Theatre for Young People		\$40,000
Sidetrack Performance Group Ltd	general running costs	\$80,000
Siren Theatre Co	`Connie and Kevin and Secret Life of Groceries` project	\$15,760

South West Arts Inc for Outback Theatre	general running costs	\$42,000
Spaghetti Circus Inc	'Bugs' project	\$14,800
Stalker Stilt Theatre Inc	general running costs	\$40,000
Sydney Art Theatre Inc	`Barnett Levy and That`s All I Remember` project	\$38,450
Sydney Theatre Company	annual program	\$291,850
	a co-production of `Fireface` with the Sydney Festival	\$57,000
	costs of touring production of `White Devil` to New York	\$50,000
The Opera Project Inc	`Audience and Other Psychopaths` project	\$25,000
Theatre of Image Ltd	general running costs	\$44,000
	2001 program	\$9,500
Theatre Susso	`Boat` project	\$5,000
	`Men` project	\$4,000
Two Til Five Youth Theatre	general running costs	\$38,000
Urban Theatre Projects Ltd	third year of triennial funding from 1999-2000	\$85,000
Wollongong City Gallery Ltd	`Hazchem` production	\$15,990
Youth Performing Arts Australia	Youth Performing Arts Australia conference, Sydney 2001	\$12,000
TOTAL		\$3,635,502
Visual Arts and Crafts		
Albury City Council for Albury Regional Art Centre	program costs	\$30,000
Albury City Council for Albury Regional Art Centre	project `Railway`	\$5,000
	acquisition of a work by Tracey Moffat	\$5,200
	river sculpture commission	\$5,000
Art Monthly Australia Pty Ltd	professional writers fees	\$8,000
Artlink Australia	project `Art & Childhood`	\$8,000
Artspace Visual Arts Centre Ltd	general running costs	\$127,000
	presentation, launch & care of Helen Lempriere Travelling Arts Scholarship Exhibition	\$7,260
Asian Australian Artists Association Inc	curator`s position	\$22,500
	activities during the opening period of new premises	\$10,000
Australian Centre for Photography	general running costs	\$122,000
Bathtub Productions Pty Ltd	artists` fees and to assist the participation of artists based in regional NSW in `Sculpture by the Sea` in 2000	\$10,000
Bathurst City Council for Bathurst Regional Art Gallery	program costs	\$30,000
	assistant curator`s position	\$17,800
	`Hill End Artists in Residence program`	\$13,000

	acquisition of series of 6 works on paper `Diggings` by Colin Lanceley	\$3,300
Biennale of Sydney	general running costs	\$150,000
Boomalli Aboriginal Artists` Co-op.	program costs	\$25,000
3	assistant curator's position	\$12,500
Broken Hill City Council for Broken Hill City Art Gallery	program costs	\$30,000
	public programmes officer`s position	\$5,800
	`Landscapes & Backgrounds` project	\$6,600
	acquisition of `Couple (New Australia)` 1997 by Emil Goh	\$5,500
Camden Council	concept development for a public artwork	\$6,000
Campbelltown City Council for Campbelltown City Bicentennial Art Gallery	program costs	\$30,000
Centre for Contemporary Craft	general running costs	\$259,000
dLux media arts	`Tourdlux` project	\$29,700
	`futureScreen01/tactical media` project	\$11,200
Dubbo City Council for Dubbo Regional Gallery	program costs	\$25,000
	travelling exhibition `George Lambert: an Australian icon`	\$5,000
Goulburn City Council for Goulburn Regional Art Gallery	program costs	\$30,000
	program costs	\$20,000
Grafton City Council for Grafton Regional Gallery	`Imaging identity and place` project	\$10,000
Greater Taree City Council for Manning Regional Art Gallery	assistant gallery director`s position	\$13,400
	Sculptors in Residence project	\$4,500
	Taree City Festival Sculpture commission	\$5,000
Hastings Council for Port Macquarie Hastings Regional Gallery	gallery director`s position	\$26,000
Hunter Area Pathology Service	concept development for a public artwork	\$6,000
Lake Macquarie City Council for Lake Macquarie City Art Gallery	program costs	\$10,000
	gallery curator`s position	\$11,070
	`Waterways` project	\$4,000
	Peter Atkins residency	\$3,500
Lismore City Council for Lismore Regional Art Gallery	program costs	\$15,000
Liverpool City Council for Casula Powerhouse Regional Arts Centre	program costs	\$35,000
Maitland City Council for Maitland City Art Gallery	gallery/exhibitions assistant`s position	\$5,594
	`Waterways` project	\$4,000
Manly Council for Manly Art Gallery and Museum	program costs	\$20,000

	National Art School exhibition `Studio is Sanctuary`	\$5,000
Moree Plains Shire Council for Moree Plains Gallery	program costs	\$15,000
	gallery attendant's position	\$7,800
	`Outreach` project	\$4,000
	acquisition of three paintings by Victor Wright, Lyla Carr and Pauline Briggs	\$3,000
Museum of Contemporary Art	program costs	\$100,000
Museums and Galleries Foundation of NSW	second year of triennial funding	\$160,000
National Association for the Visual Arts	`Marketing Grants for NSW artists` project	\$33,500
	`Marketing Workshops for regional NSW artists` project	\$5,000
New Children`s Hospital	commissioning of Rodney Monk	\$20,000
New England Regional Art Museum		\$40,000
110" England Regional III museum	collections management assistant's position	\$8,400
	Youth Outreach` project	\$4,500
	acquisition of wire sculpture `Transcendent	\$4,900
	Figure` by Glenn Murray	φ.,,,,
	conservation of art collection	\$10,000
Newcastle City Council for Newcastle Region Art Gallery	program costs	\$30,000
,	`Surf-art in the Park` exhibition	\$4,400
	`Waterways` exhibition	\$4,000
Orange City Council for Orange Regional Gallery	program costs	\$30,000
	commission of a stainless steel sculpture `Federation Arch` by Bert Flugelman	\$20,000
Penrith City Council for Penrith Regional Gallery & The Lewers Bequest	program costs	\$35,000
Performance Space Ltd	`Reckonings` project	\$24,000
Project	director's position	\$15,000
	`Hoard` project	\$5,000
Tamworth City Council for Tamworth City Gallery	program costs	\$35,000
Tweed Shire Council for Tweed River Regional Art Gallery	programs costs	\$20,000
Vietnamese Community in Australia	`Living Heritage Stories of Vietnamese	\$12,800
NSW Chapter	Elderly` project	
Wagga Wagga City Council for Wagga Wagga City Art Gallery	program costs	\$20,000
	exhibitions curator`s position	\$16,000
	`The Big River Show` exhibition	\$16,000
Wollongong City Gallery Ltd	program costs	\$40,000
TOTAL		\$1,996,724

Ausdance (NSW) Inc	artists` fees for phase 2 of Western Sydney	\$37,000
Baulkham Hills Shire Council	Dance Action Project artists` fees for the public art project in Rouse	\$8,000
Blacktown City Council	Hill salary and program costs for the Cultural Programs Development Worker in the proposed new multi-arts venue	\$40,000
	artists` fees for Songline interpretive trail	\$10,000
Blue Mountains City Council	artists fees associated with the Cultural Partnerships and Cultural Grants Assistance Programs	\$37,500
Camden Council	costs of employing an arts facilitator, to undertake cultural mapping, and a community artist and landscape architect	\$11,000
Eleanor Dark Foundation Ltd for Philip Dodd & Annie Byron & Mark O`Flynn & Maureen Green	artists` fees for development of a new play based on the lives and works of Blue Mountains writers	\$24,800
Fairfield City Council	`Landmark` public space and community arts project	\$6,549
	artists` fees and costs for Centenary of Federation photography project	\$6,000
High Street Youth Health Service for Ms Alicia Talbot	artists` fees for The Longest Night creative development project	\$20,000
Holroyd City Council	artists fees for Holroyd Family Festival parade workshops	\$10,860
	artists` fees and costs for Holroyd Gardens Public Art Project	\$40,000
ICE (Info & Cultural Exchange)	artists` fees for production of a Western Sydney arts directory in book and website formats	\$50,000
Liverpool City Council for Casula Powerhouse Regional Arts Centre	artists fees and costs for the design and development of an entranceway, production site and meeting area for the Indigenous Weaving Garden	\$50,000
Liverpool City Council for Ms Raquel Ormella	artists` fees for video installation work	\$11,075
Local Government and Shires Associations of NSW	piloting of the Public Art Policy and Process Model with a Western Sydney council	\$9,145
Parramatta City Council	employment of dance artists to conduct workshops leading to performances during Carnivale	\$6,000
	costs of employing film professionals to work with young people to develop documentation about issues related to Olympics	\$12,500
Powerhouse Youth Theatre Inc	artists` fees and costs for new media arts workshops and fair, for young people	\$9,570
TOTAL		\$399,999

Parramatta Riverside Theatres	implementation of second stage playwrighting program for young people in Western Sydney	\$20,000
		\$20,000
TOTAL		\$24,717,496

Relating to Budget Paper No. 3, Volume 1, page 2-107, the Budget reveals that \$180,000 was spent on grants and subsidies for the Australian Museum last year, yet only \$45,000 has been allocated for the next financial year – a cut of \$135,000. Why is this so?

Response:

"The Museum's budget allocation for grants and subsidies is used to fund visiting fellowships and to make small post-graduate grants. In 2000-01 \$45,000 was spent on these fellowships and grants – the same as the amount allocated for 2001-02.

The amount of \$180,000 shown in Budget Paper 3 under grants and subsidies for 2000-01 included a number of transfer amounts that are more appropriately accounted for as Other Operating Expenses. Examples being, a transfer of the annual contribution of the Lizard Island Research Station and payments to the University of Sydney for research work."

27. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Relating to Budget Paper No. 3, Volume 1, page 2-105, the Budget reveals that \$752,000 was allocated for the acquisition of books, manuscripts, paintings, pictures and films for the State Library. There has been zero dollars allocated for the next financial year on the Budget Paper. Can you explain why this is so?

Response:

"The figure quoted in Budget Paper No. 3 against the acquisition of books for 2000-01 represents licence fees for access to electronic resources. In accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the amount spent on such licence fees is now being capitalised and will be reflected in Budget Paper No. 4 as part of the Library's capital expenditure for books, journals, manuscripts, pictures, maps and electronic resources."

Can the Premier give an indication of the Government's future plan for the Maritime Services Building? Can he give a guarantee that he will not allow the Building to be demolished?

Response:

"The Maritime Services Board (MSB) building will remain the home of the MCA. The Sydney Harbour Foreshore Authority will take control of the MSB building. The building will not be demolished."

- 29. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—
- (1) For each of your portfolio agencies, how much money was spent on advertising in 2000-01? Can you please provide a list of each campaign and cost?
- (2) For each of your portfolio agencies, what is the estimate of money to be spent on advertising in 2001-02? Can you please provide a list of each campaign and cost?
- (3) For each of your portfolio agencies, how much was spent on consultants in 2000-01? Can you please provide a list of each consultant, project and cost?
- (4) For each of your portfolio agencies, what is the estimate of money to be spent on consultants in 2001-02? Can you please provide a list of each consultant, project and cost?
- (5) For each of your portfolio agencies, how much was spent on overseas trips in 2000-01 by officials? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost?
- (6) For each of your portfolio agencies, what is the estimate of money to be spent on overseas trips in 2001-02 by officials? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost?

- (1) "All advertising was undertaken in accordance with government guidelines for advertising.
- (2) The exact cost will depend on the nature and scope of advertising identified for 2001-2002.
- (3) The cost if consultants is contained in the Annual Report.
- (4) It is not possible to answer this question at this stage of the financial year. Expenditure will depend on the need for consultancy services throughout the year.

- (5) Details of all overseas visits for departmental purposes are contained in the Annual Report.
- (6) Overseas travel is undertaken in accordance with appropriate guidelines. Expenditure in 2001- 2002 will depend on the particular issues requiring overseas travel."

What is the total cost of your overseas trips in 2000-01? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost? For each trip, can you please provide a breakdown in airfare costs, hotel costs, car hire, and accompanying staff and officials?

Response:

"Official travel is undertaken in accordance with appropriate guidelines.

Costs incurred during official overseas travel were in accordance with appropriate guidelines."

31. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What is the estimate of money to be spent on your overseas trips in 2001-02? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost? For each trip, can you please provide a breakdown in airfare costs, hotel costs, car hire, and accompanying staff and officials?

Response:

"This will depend upon the nature and scope of any travel that is to be undertaken."

32. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies, how much was spent on inter-state trips in 2000-01 by officials? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost?

Response:

"Interstate travel by portfolio agencies was undertaken in accordance with appropriate guidelines.

Costs incurred during interstate travel was in accordance with the appropriate guidelines."

For each of your portfolio agencies, what is the estimate of money to be spent on interstate trips in 2001-02 by officials? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost?

Response:

"This will depend upon the nature and scope of any travel undertaken in 2001-2002."

34. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What is the total cost of your interstate trips in 2000-01? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost? For each trip, can you please provide a breakdown in airfare costs, hotel costs, car hire, and accompanying staff and officials?

Response:

"Official travel was undertaken in accordance with guidelines and within cost expectations".

35. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What is the estimate of money to be spent on your interstate trips in 2001-02? Can you please provide a list of each trip, purpose and cost? For each trip, can you please provide a breakdown in airfare costs, hotel costs, car hire, and accompanying staff and officials?

Response:

"It is too early to provide an estimate at this stage of the financial year. However, expenditure will depend on the nature and scope of any travel undertaken in 2001-2002."

36. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies, how much money in total was spent on Olympic-related costs? Of this amount, how much was reimbursed by additional appropriations, or by assistance from Olympic agencies?

Response:

"Expenditure was in accordance with Olympic related priorities and in accordance with agency priorities."

37. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies, how much money was spent on performance pay for public servants in 1999/00, and 2000/01? Did you personally approve these bonus payments?

Response:

"On 28 August 2000 Premier's Memorandum 2000- 21 was issued indicating that performance pay was not to be made available to members of the Chief and Senior Executive Services.

In August 2001 details of performance payments were published in the Sydney media relating to a range of performance payments made in 2000".

38. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies, how many times were matters referred for independent investigation to ICAC in 2000/01? Can you please provide a breakdown of these referrals?

Response:

"It is not appropriate to canvass issues that may be the subject of an ICAC investigation."

39. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

In 2000/01, how much was spent on your ministerial expenses? Can you please provide a breakdown by expense, for example hotel expenses, office refurbishments etc? What is the forecast amount to be spent in 2001/02?

Response:

"Expenditure is in accordance with relevant approvals and guidelines. Any expenses in 2001-2002 will depend upon the extent and nature of requirements."

For each of your portfolio agencies, how much money was spent for entertainment purposes in 2000/01? What was the breakdown by cost and nature of these functions? What is the forecast to be spent in 2001/02?

Response:

"Expenditure was undertaken within the allocations to agencies."

41. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

In 2000/01, how many board appointments were made you, or by your portfolio agencies? Of these appointments, how many were women? Of these appointments, how many were of people from a non-English speaking background? Of these appointments, how many were of people with a disability? Of these appointments, how many were Aboriginal Torres Strait Islanders? Of these appointments, how many were young people?

Response:

"The Government provided a detailed response to Question 1312 in December 2000."

42. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies in 2000/01, what fees and fines were increased, and by how much? In 2001/02, what is the forecast for fees and fines to be increased, and by how much?

Response:

"Fee increases are originated within agencies on an annual or periodic basis and are referred to Parliament's Regulation Review Committee for consideration.

Most increases fall within the consumer price index (CPI).

Fines are set under the relevant legislation and are usually subject to annual CPI adjustments."

43. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

In 2000/01, for each of your portfolio agencies, how many media or public relations advisers were employed? What is the total cost of this? What is the forecast for 2001/02 for the number of media or public relations advisers to be employed, and their total cost?

Response:

"Staff numbers will vary from time to time depending on leave or peak periods."

44. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies, in 2000/01, how much was spent on legal expenses? What was the breakdown for these expenses?

Response:

"Expenditure on legal expenses followed appropriate review of the circumstances, the need for such expenditure and occurred within appropriate guidelines.

In the case of core work for public sector agencies the Crown Solicitor meets these costs."

45. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

In 2000/01, how much did you spend on legal expenses?

Response:

"Expenditure on legal expenses followed appropriate review of the circumstances and the need for such expenditure."

46. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies in 2000/01, how much was spent on public opinion surveys? What was the breakdown for the cost of these surveys?

"On 20 December 2000 Premier's Memorandum 2000-28 was issued indicating that under no circumstances should surveys of clients, other users of government services or citizens be used to elicit information of a political nature.

47. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

How many Ministerial Staff are currently employed by you? What is the total salary cost of these staff?

Response:

"Ministerial staff are employed by the Director General of the Premier's Department in accordance with the provisions of the Public Sector Management Act 1988.

All costs were in accordance with the expenditure necessary to facilitate the effective functioning of the office and within allocations to Ministerial Offices."

48. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies in 2000/01, how much was spent on office fitouts and refurbishments? What is the estimated cost for 2001/02?

Response:

"All expenditure was in accordance with guidelines and procedures for office fit-outs and refurbishment.

This will depend on the nature and extent of any changes to office fit-outs and refurbishment."

49. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies in 2000/01, how much was spent on the cost of leases in the Sydney CBD? What is the estimated cost for 2001/02?

"Expenditure on lease of government office accommodation followed careful review of the particular circumstances and needs of agencies. The Government Asset Management Committee oversights policy of government accommodation.

This will depend on a range of factors and it is too early in the financial year to estimate expenditure. The Government Asset Management Committee will oversight leasing issues."

50. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies in 2000/01, was there any vacant or under-utilised office space? If so, how mush did this cost?

Response:

"The Government Asset Management Committee oversees all asset management in the NSW public sector. The GAMC ensures that all agencies adopt a strategic approval to property management."

51. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of your portfolio agencies in 2000/01, how much was spent on the salary packages for Senior Executive Service? What is the estimated cost for 2001/02?

Response:

"Salary packages for the Senior Executive Service are set by the Statutory and Other Offices Tribunal. Current bands for each level are:

Level 8	\$258,000 to \$318,315
Level 7	\$218,615 to \$276,135
Level 6	\$181,960 to \$219,510
Level 5	\$158,840 to \$194,770
Level 4	\$145,350 to \$169,420
Level 3	\$132,410 to \$155,575
Level 2	\$118,675 to \$137,145
Level 1	\$109,225 to \$127,130"

Did you seek or receive reimbursement, or did your government agency pay or is in the process of paying, for an 'out of pocket' expense, incurred by you, as outlined in Ministerial Memorandum No.99-24, in 2000-01? If so, what was the breakdown of these expenses? What is the forecast amount to be spent in 2001-02?

Response:

"Ministerial memorandum 99-24 provided guidelines on the policy for reimbursement of expenses related to general expenses. The expenditure must relate to expenditure on official government business."

53. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Does your Ministerial Office have a discretionary allowance? How was it expended during 2000-01? What is the forecast for expenditure in 2001-02?

Response:

"As there is no definition of discretionary allowance it is impossible to answer this question."

54. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What was the breakdown of expenditure for the day-to-day running of your Ministerial Office in 2000-1? What is the forecast for expenditure in 2001-02?

Response:

"Expenditure for Ministerial Offices is determined by the Budget Committee of Cabinet.

Expenditure must be in accordance with the provisions of the Public Finance and Audit Act."

55. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What is the breakdown of expenditure, as authorised by your Chief of Staff, and outlined in Ministerial Memorandum No. 96-28, for 2000-01? What is the forecast for expenditure in 2001-02?

Response:

"Approval of expenditure must be in accordance with delegations and in accordance with the Public Finance and Audit Act.

This will depend on the nature and extent of any expenditure in 2001-02."

56. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What was the total cost of salaries for your Ministerial staff in 2000-01?

Response:

"Expenditure was in accordance with the remuneration levels determined by the Director General of Premier's Department as the employer of ministerial staff."

57. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What was the total cost of Ministerial motor vehicle expenses in 2000-01?

Response:

"Motor vehicle management is undertaken within policies administered by State Fleet Services and the Department of Public Works and Services."

58. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each agency in your portfolio, what was spent in 2000-01 on media services?

Response:

"As there is no definition of media services this question is difficult to answer.

As was the case under the former Coalition Government all agencies undertake a range of monitoring activities and monitoring is undertaken within appropriate delegations."

59. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Can you please provide a list of all Australian individuals who received accreditation to the Olympics and Paralympics? Can you please provide details of their level of accreditation, and the reason for their accreditation?

Response:

"Guests were invited from a range of business, protocol, community and government sectors."

60. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

For each of the following during the Olympics and Paralympics, can you please provide by day and event, who attended, and the reason for their attendance:

(1) the State Government double suite at the Olympic Stadium?

Response:

"The Government had the use of two corporate suites at Stadium Australia. Guests were invited from a range of business, protocol, community and government sectors."

(2) each of the two State Government suites at the Superdome?

Response:

"All guests were invited from a range of business, protocol, community and government sectors."

(3) the Energy Australia suite at the Olympic Stadium?

Response:

"All guests were invited from a range of business, protocol, community and government sectors."

(4) the Tourism New South Wales suite at the Olympic Stadium?

Response:

"All guests were invited from a range of business, protocol, community and government sectors."

(5) each of the two SOCOG suites at the Olympic Stadium?

Response:

"The management of these suites were the responsibility of SOCOG."

(6) the SOCOG suite at the Superdome?

Response:

"The management of this suite was the responsibility of SOCOG."

61. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Did SOCOG, or any other State Government authority or corporation, purchase or hire a corporate suite, other than those listed in question 37? If so, could you please provide further details, and provide a list by day and event, who attended, and the reason for their attendance?

Response:

"There is no corporate suite referred to in Question 37."

62. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

Of the suites identified in questions 37 and 38, does the State Government still have access to these suites? If so, could you please provide further details, and provide a list by day, and events since the Olympics, who attended, and the reason for their attendance?

Response:

"There are no suites identified in questions 37 and 38. All guests were invited from a range of business, protocol, community and government sectors."

63. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What was the total cost to the State Government of the suites identified in question 37 and 38?

"The corporate suites within the Stadium were made available to the Government at no charge. Within the Superdome, one suite was without charge and for the other all costs were in accordance with the charges levied."

64. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

What benefit did the State Government derive from the expenditure identified in question 40?

Response:

"A range of business, diplomatic and related benefits accrued from the use of the suites during the Olympics and Paralympics."

65. Mr. Pearce asked the Premier, Minister for the Arts and Minister for Citizenship, the Hon Bob Carr, MP—

In relation to corporate suites at the Superdome:

- (1) How many were there?
- (2) How many were hired by corporations?
- (3) How many were not used?
- (4) What was the value of revenue foregone because corporate suites were not used?
- (5) Why were there empty corporate boxes?
- (7) Why were the seats in the corporate boxes not made available to the public?

Response:

Questions (1)- (7)

"The management of these suites is a matter for SOCOG."

PROBLEM GAMBLING/GAMBLING TAXES

ISSUE: Information for the Premier on numbers of problem gamblers and on the proportion of state revenue earned from taxing gambling.

Prevalence of problem gambling

According to the Productivity Commission Report into Australia's Gambling Industries:

- ❖ about 0.33 % of the NSW adult population has a severe gambling problem;
- ❖ about 2.55% of the NSW adult population has a moderate gambling problem.

The Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal report into the Gaming Industry in NSW indicated that somewhere between 0.5% and 3% of gamblers would develop a gambling problem.

Gambling taxes

Attached are figures, detailing State by State, since 1992/93:

- taxes on gambling (i.e. all forms of gambling) as a proportion of total tax revenue;
- taxes on poker machines in clubs and pubs as a proportion of total tax revenue;
- taxes on poker machines in clubs and pubs as a proportion of total gambling taxes.

These figures have been calculated on the basis of data provided by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

COMMENT

- In 1999/00, 10.5% of NSW's total tax revenue was gambling related. This compares favorably to Victoria (16%), Queensland (13%) and South Australia (12%).
- Since 1992/93, the proportion of NSW's total tax revenue that was gambling related has remained static (i.e. around 10%). By contrast, in Victoria and South Australia, reliance on gambling taxes has steadily increased.
- In 1999/00, 6% of NSW's total tax revenue was derived from taxing poker machines in clubs and hotels (compared to 10% for Victoria, 6% for Queensland and 8% for South Australia).
- Since 1992/93, taxes on poker machines as a proportion of total gambling taxes in NSW has grown substantially (from 42% to 61%). Such growth has been mirrored in other States (i.e. Victoria, Queensland and South Australia).

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TAXING GAMBLING – TRENDS STATE BY STATE

Taxes on gambling (i.e. all forms of gambling) as a proportion of total tax revenue

	1992/93 1999/00	1	995/96	1998/99
NSW	10%	11%	10%	10.5%
VIC	10%	13%	16%	16%
QLD-	12%	13%	14%	13%
SA	8%	11%	13%	12%
WA	7%	7%	5%	5%
TAS	8%	9%	10%	10%
NT	4%	8%	8%	8%
ACT	9%	10%	8%	9%

Taxes on poker machines in clubs and hotels as a proportion of total tax revenue

	1992/93 1999/00		1995/96	1998/99
NSW	4%	5%	6%	6%
VIC	2%	6%	9%	10%
QLD	3%	4%	6%	6%
SA	nil	5%	8%	8%
WA	nil	nil	nil	nil
TAS	nil	nil	nil	nil
NT	nil	nil	nil	nil
ACT	4%	5%	5%	5%

Taxes on poker machines in clubs and hotels as a proportion of total gambling taxes

	1992/93 1999/00		1995/96	1998/99
NSW	42%	44%	57%	61%
VIC	16%	48%	57%	62%
QLD	23%	31%	40%	48%
SA	nil	47%	61%	63%
WA	nil	nil	nil	nil
TAS	nil	nil	nil	nil
NT	nil	nil	nil	nil
ACT	42%	50%	65%	60%

FAMILIES FIRST - EXAMPLES OF SERVICES

Background

Families First is developing networks of services that provide comprehensive support for families with children 0-8. This involves changes to some services, expansion of other services and implementing new services.

Due to the progressive rollout of Families First, different areas are at different stages of establishing service networks. Examples of what the service networks can now provide are given below.

Examples of New and Improved Services for Families

1. Area Health Services

Families First is improving health care and support to mothers before and after the birth of their children. Families First is:

- Getting nurses out of the clinics and providing more services in a family's home;
- Increasing the number of mothers who access healthcare and support; and
- Having health staff identify problems facing mothers and link them with relevant services and support to prevent problems becoming entrenched.

For women who are pregnant, examples of new services include:

- Establishing new antenatal care services specifically for young parents in Kempsey, Coffs Harbour and Port Macquarie.
- Providing specialist antenatal care services for at-risk mothers on the North Coast.
- Establishing an antenatal home visiting service for Aboriginal families in South West Sydney.
- In Macarthur, offering ante-natal care in the homes of women who don't access these services or access them very late in their pregnancy.

Changes to early childhood nursing services for newborns include:

- All mothers in Macarthur (3,500 babies per year), the Mid North Coast (3,000 babies per year) Far North Coast (3,000 babies per year) and Macquarie (1,500 babies per year) are now offered a home visit by an Early Childhood Nurse following the birth of their baby.
- Within 12 months of starting Families First in Central Sydney (6,000 babies per year), home visiting has started from 7 Early Childhood Clinics, providing over 800 families with a home visiting service.

- The Hunter Area Health Service (6,700 babies per year) is also expanding home visiting and has set a target of providing home visits to 70% of families in the next 12 months.
- Early Childhood Nurses are working with Aboriginal Health workers in Macarthur, Purfleet (Taree) and Tabulam to outreach to Aboriginal mothers and bring services to their communities.

2. New Support Services funded through DoCS

82 services provided mainly by Non-Government organisations have been funded through Families First. Examples of services now provided under Families First include:

Volunteer home visiting services are for families who don't have their own family or friends to help care for their babies and toddlers. They are linked to volunteer parents who have been trained to support them in practical ways, such as feeding the baby while mother rests, giving parenting advice or hanging out the washing. Volunteer services have been established in 16 communities - Clarence Valley, Ballina Byron Bay, Tweed, Lismore, Cessnock, Muswellbrook, Raymond Terrace, West Lake, Macarthur Campbelltown, Bankstown Fairfield, Coffs Harbour, Kempsey, Nambucca Bellingen, Hastings Shire, Great Lakes LGA and Mudgee/Rylstone

Family workers are for parents who need advice about how to raise their children and cope with stress of parenthood. In some communities, family workers are specifically helping Aboriginal parents and fathers parent. 33 different family worker/family support projects have been established in 23 communities.

Supported playgroups where children and their mums can meet other families and access professional advice to help them parent. Here, mothers have opportunities to learn how to play with their children, what good nutrition is and how important it is to read to their young children. Supported playgroups have been established in 14 communities.

Schools as Community Centres - where mothers and their children can become part of the local school community before their children start school. The centres provide playgroups, parenting skills, early childhood health clinics and help mothers prepare their children for a positive start to school. Under Families First we have now doubled the number of centres in NSW, which are now at Lismore, Anna Bay, Cessnock, Windale, Glebe, Marrickville and Rosemeadow.