



# News Update

the 1996-97 financial year, with results from the survey being available in mid 1998. The ABS has consulted with agencies such as the ABA and has worked closely with organisations in the above mentioned fields regarding the detailed content and design of the survey. Information collected will provide a picture of the contribution the sector makes to the economy and will be a valuable resource for planning, policy formulation and decision-making.

The surveys seek a breakdown of gross income, expenses, assets, liabilities, capital expenditure and disposal of assets which are all readily available from annual reports and audited accounts. Additional questions on employment are also asked, along with some questions relating to specific items of interest within the various industries. As with all ABS

surveys the information provided will remain strictly confidential to the ABS and will only be released in aggregate form.

Publications are due to be released progressively from April to July 1998, and will detail changes in the film and video production, film and video distribution, motion picture exhibition, radio services and television services industries since 1993-94.

If you would like further information about the Motion Picture, Radio Services and Television Services Surveys please contact Paul Taylor at the ABS on (03) 9615 7431 or toll free on 1800 678 770, or write to the following address:

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## Temporary transmission of programs by aspirant community broadcasters

For radio and television broadcasts in the period 2 July to 26 October 1997, in order of area served.

<i>Applicant</i>	<i>Area</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Period</i>	<i>Date signed</i>
<b>New South Wales</b>				
Muslim Community Radio - Bankstown	Bankstown	94.5	1 8 97 - 28.11.97	29.7.97
Cessnock Community Broadcasters Inc.	Cessnock	104.5	7 7.97 - 14.7.97	10.7.97
Summerland Christian Broadcasters	Lismore	100.1	1.8.97 - 21.9.97	30.7.97
Wyong Gosford Progressive Community	Kariong	93.3	11 7.97 - 27.9.97	10.7.97
MacLeay Valley Community FM Radio	Kempsey	102.3	12 7.97 - 21.7.97	11.7.97
Living Sound Broadcasters Ltd	Kiama	94.1	2.8.97 - 28.9.97	30.7.97
Maitland Community Broadcasting Assoc	Maitland	104.5	19 7.97 - 27.7.97	21.7.97
Mt Helen FM and TV Upper Hunter and Liverpool Plains Community Broadcasters	Murrurundi	95.9	13.7.97 - 06.9.97	11.7.97
Newcastle Christian Broadcasters Ltd	Newcastle	99.7	14.7.97 - 27.7.97	14.7.97
Canobolas Christian Broadcasters	Orange	106.7	2 7.97 - 12.9.97	11.7.97
Radio Rhema Central West				
Peel Valley Christian Broadcasters	Tamworth	96.3	18.7.97 - 28.9.97	14 7.97
Radio Rhema Tamworth				
Mid North Coast Christian Broadcasters Radio Rhema	Telegraph Point	106.3	23.7.97 - 26 9.97	24.7.97
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<b>Victoria</b>				
Bacchus Marsh Community Radio	Bacchus Marsh	98.5	7.7.97 - 13 7.97	7 7.97
Southern Victoria Community Radio Inc.	Ceres	89.1	2 8.97 - 9.8.97	30.7.97
Central Highlands Broadcasting Inc.	Kyneton	100.7	2 8.97 - 26.10.97	25.7.97
Dance Club Broadcasters Inc (Kiss Melbourne)	Melbourne	89.9	1.8.97 - 30.8.97	25.7.97
<b>Queensland</b>				
Gladstone and District Christian Broadcasters	Gladstone	92.7	2.7.97 - 14.9.97	10.7.97
Mt Isa Christian Broadcasters Association	Mt Isa	105.7	5.7.97 - 28.9.97	17.7.97
Smithfield Community Radio Association	Smithfield	101.9	22.7.97 - 29.8.97	25.7.97
<b>Western Australia</b>				
Albany Community Radio Inc.	Albany	100.9	16.7.97 - 26 10.97	17.7.97