<u>PART I</u>

ALL AGENCIES ARE REQUESTED TO COMPLETE PART I.

Address

If you cannot answer a question, please indicate whether the question is NOT APPLICABLE or if INFORMATION IS NOT AVAILABLE.

Sec	tion 1: Contact details			
1.1	Agency	Australian Institute of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Studies		
1.2		al arrangements are governed by: 'X' whether one or more of the following Acts apply)		
	Financial N	Management and Accountability Act 1997	YES	NO x NO
	Commonw	realth Authorities and Companies Act 1997	X	
	Other			
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PART II

If your agency operated any cost recovery arrangements in 1999-2000, please complete this par Please fill out a separate form for each sub-unit, cost recovery program or activity, or output or outcome for which you are reporting. Similar cost recovery arrangements may be reported in groups.

·	,	PART II(a)
	e of sub-unit, agency, program or ty, output or outcome	Archives & Production
Secti	ion 4: Cost recovery arrangemer	nts in 1999-2000
	Descriptive material	
4.1	Nature of cost recovery arrangement (eg. licence fee, service charge, hypothecated excise tax or levy etc)	Sale of Publications
4.2	Basic description of	The Institute publishes the results of research undertaken. These books are sold at the
	`	marginal cost (called the 'run-on" cost) to members of the public. The policy is to set a price
	relevant documents.)	which discourages persons ordering what they do not need but does not inhibit the
4.3	Who pays the cost recovery charges?	Members of the public
4.4	Who benefits from the program or activity, output or outcome?	Persons interested in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies
4.5	Do you attempt to measure these benefits? If YES, how?	No
4.6	Are there alternate providers or substitutes for this program or activity, output or outcome? (Please describe)	No
4.7	When was this cost recovery arrangement introduced?	1964

PART II(b) Archives & Production Name of sub-unit, agency, program or activity, output or outcome Program or activity, output or outcome cost recovery arrangements in 1999-2000 (continued (Please use \$'000) Program or activity, output or outcome revenues 4.8 Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF earmarked for appropriation to same agency 4.9 Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF earmarked for appropriation to a third party \$ 4.10 Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF and not earmarked for particular appropriation \$ 4.11 Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF (subtotal) \$300,000 4.12 Cost recovery not paid into CRF 4.13 Total cost recovery revenue 300000 4.14 Appropriations not related to cost recovery 4.15 Other sources (please specify) 4.16 Total program or activity, output or outcome revenues 300000 Program or activity, output or outcome expenses 4.17 Direct expenses 350000 4.18 Indirect expenses (including corporate overheads) 4.19 Third party expenses (a) 4.20 Total program or activity, output or outcome expenses 350000 **Administration costs** 4.21 What costs are associated with administering the cost recovery arrangements? CRF Consolidated Revenue Fund. Direct costs are those directly related to a particular program. Indirect costs include indirect agen overheads and general running costs. (a) Include third party costs where third parties are involved in a program or activity and their

costs are being recovered as part of the cost recovery arrangements.

		PART II(c)
	e of sub-unit, agency, program or Archives & ity, output or outcome	
<u>Sect</u> 5.1		The obligation to publish is under s5 of the AIATSIS Act 1989, the policy as described above was approved by the Institute's governing body The Council
5.2	What was the legal basis for establishing thes	se cost recovery arrangements: (Please name and attach relevant documents.)
	Legislation (eg. s.31 of the Financial Management and Accountability Act, tax or levy acts) Subordinate legislation (eg. regulations, standards)	The AIATSIS Act 1983 and the Aboriginal Studies Act 1964 which it replaced.
	Co-regulation or quasi-regulation	
	Commonwealth/State/Territory agreement Voluntary arrangements (eg. codes of practice) Other	
5.3	Who was consulted about introducing these consultation arrangements.)	ost recovery arrangements? (Please name relevant bodies and describe the
	Commonwealth government (DOFA etc) Other governments (state, territory, local) Industry Consumers Other	Policy approved by the Institute Council

5.4	What guidelines were consulted when establishing these cost recovery arrangements? (Please attach source of information, guidelines etc.)	The decision predates any guidelines I know of.
5.5	Which agency is responsible for the following	g activities? (Please name relevant agency)
	Policy setting	AIATSIS
	Price setting	AIATSIS
	Administration	AIATSIS
	Revenue collection	AIATSIS
	Commonwealth government (DOFA etc) Other governments (state, territory, local) Industry Consumers Other	Policy reviewed by Council from time to time
5.7	Please describe these consultation arrangements.	
5.8	Have the cost recovery arrangements been formally reviewed? What was the outcome? (Please attach copy of review)	

Name of sub-unit, agency, program or activity, output or outcome Section 6: Price setting arrangements 6.1 How are these cost recovery charges determined? (Please attach any relevant documents) (i) How are charges set? (eg. by formula in legislation or based on 'market prices') (ii) Are charges directly related to the costs of particular activities, outcomes or outputs, or charged on some other basis? (eg. levies on users' turnover, profits or assets) Archives & Production By reference to cost of production as captured by the Institutes Cost system Cost of production
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6.2 If charges are directly related to the costs of particular activities, outputs or outcomes:
(i) What costs do charges aim to recover? (eg. only direct costs or indirect costs such as overheads)
(ii) What proportion of these costs do charges aim to recover? (%) 200% cost of production providing this price is agreed to by the marketing committee
(iii) Does the charging regime require assets to No be valued? (eg. to allow the calculation of user cost of capital or return on assets)
(iv) If 'YES' to (iii), on what basis are assets valued? (eg. historic, replacement, deprival or replacement cost)
(v) Do charges include a user cost of capital?
(vi) If 'YES' to (iv), how is it calculated?
(vii) Do charges include return on assets? (eg. profit)
(viii) If 'YES' to (vii), on what basis?
(ix) Do charges discriminate between types of users? (x) If 'YES' to (ix), on what basis?

(xii) (xiii)		
6.3	How are indirect costs allocated for cost recovery arrangements? (eg. activity based costing, according to share of direct costs or other rule.)	N/A
6.4	Are there any price controls on these charges?	Prices are fixed after consultation with a marketing committee.
6.5	How often is the level of charges changed?	Held constant for the duration of the edition.
6.6	What happens if revenue recovered is greater than costs incurred?	All revenue is retained by AIATSIS

End of Part II. Thank you for your cooperation. Please return the questionnaire and attachments to the Commission (see front sheet for instructions)

This section asks about your agency's total revenues, charges and expenses. All agencies should complete this section, whether or not you consider you undertake cost recovery.

Section 2: Agency revenues, charges and expenses
(Please indicate with a 'X' which response applies)

2.1 Has your agency charged any cost recovery fees, levies or other charges in the last five financial years?

Relevant charges include any fees, levies, taxes (including some customs and excise

Relevant charges include any fees, levies, taxes (including some customs and excise duties earmarked for specific purposes) or other charges which arise from the services, programs or business activities of your agency, and which are collected by your agency or by another agency on your behalf. For example, application fees, processing charges, consultancy fees, publication sales, special industry duties, excises or levies other than general taxation.

2.2 Were any of the appropriations allocated to your agency in the last five financial years linked (hypothecated) to revenue collected from fees, levies or charges (for example, levies paid to the Consolidated Revenue Fund but earmarked for allocation to your portfolio)? (Whether the revenue was collected by your agency or by another agency on your behalf).

YES	NO
	Х

2.3 Has your agency considered introducing any cost recovery arrangements in the past that were not implemented?

(Please attach any relevant reviews, analysis or other information.)

YES	NO
	Х

2.4 Is your agency considering introducing any cost recovery arrangements in the future? (Please attach any relevant reviews, analysis or other information.)

YES	NO
	Х

If you answered NO to questions 2.1 and 2.2, you need not answer any further questions. Thank you for your cooperation. Please return the questionnaire to the Commission (see front sheet for instructions).

If you answered YES to EITHER question 2.1 OR question 2.2 OR both, please complete section 3 below, and Part II on the following worksheet.

Section 3: Agency revenues and expenses

3.1 Does your agency classify revenues and expenses as agency and administered?

Agency revenues and expenses are those controlled by the department/agency (for example, employee and administrative expenses). Administered revenues and expenses are those which are controlled by Government and managed or oversighted by the department/agency on behalf of the Government (for example, social security payments).

YES	NO

If your agency classifies revenues and expenses as 'agency' and 'administered' then please fill in both tables below. If your agency does not classify revenues and expenses as 'agency' and 'administered' then please put all revenues and expenses in the 'agency' table below.

AGE	ENCY revenues and expenses (Please use \$'000)					
		1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000
	Agency revenue from cost recovery (a)					
3.2	Cost recovery revenue retained by your agency					
3.3	Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF and appropriated to your agency (or another agency for a specific purpose (ie. annotated, hypothecated or earmarked revenues)					
3.4	Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF and not specifically appropriated to your agency (or another agency)					
3.5	Total agency revenue from cost recovery	0	0	0	0	0
	Agency revenue from other sources					
3.6	Other appropriations					
3.7	Other sources (eg. asset sales, dividends, interest, funding from other government agencies)					
3.8	Total agency revenue from other sources	0	0	0	0	0
3.9	Total agency revenue	0	0	0	0	0
2 40	Total agency expenses		I			
	Total agency expenses Connelidated Revenue Fund					

CRF Consolidated Revenue Fund

(a) Include all revenue from fees, levies, excises and other charges which arise from the services or activities of your agency and which is paid to your agency to another agency or to the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000
Administered revenue from cost recovery (a)					
 3.11 Cost recovery revenue retained by your agency 3.12 Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF and appropriated to your agency (or another agency for a specific purpose (ie. annotated, 3.13 Cost recovery revenue paid to CRF and not specifically appropriated to your agency (or another agency) 					
3.14 Total administered revenue from cost recovery	0	0	0	0	C
Administered revenue from other sources					
3.15 Other appropriations					
3.16 Other sources (eg. asset sales, dividends, interest, funding from other government agencies)					
3.17 Total administered revenue from other sources	0	0	0	0	C
3.18 Total administered revenue	0	0	0	0	0
3.19 Total administered expenses					

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End of Part I. Please complete Part II, which is on a separate worksheet.