

# **Australian and New Zealand Journal of Statistics Non-Editorial Report to the 2024 AGM**

## **NZSA representative**

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### **1. Funding for Editors meeting**

For historical reasons, Australian Statistical Publishing Association Inc. (ASPAI) is the legal entity that handles the financial side of the dealings with Wiley and the SSA and the NZSA. In the past, the Societies have made contributions to ASPAI as needed, pro-rated by membership numbers.

In the new publishing agreement (agreed in 2023) with Wiley, there are now essentially no publishing costs. However there is still an accepted need to fund an annual in-person meeting of the journal Editors.

Although ASPAI receives a percentage of the journal profits, the expectation is that going forward the NZSA and SSA will need to make annual top-ups to ASPAI to ensure the Editors meeting can go ahead.

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