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No more 'Tiser for Gillard

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IF it doesn't happen in Sydney, Canberra, Melbourne or London, it isn't worth knowing.

That appears to be the judgment of Julia Gillard's own department, which has dumped its subscriptions to major metropolitan newspapers, including *The Advertiser*.

The department is still buying major national, Sydney, Melbourne and Canberra papers, as well as the London-based *Financial Times*, the *Koori Mail*, Right-wing journal *Quadrant* and a range of specialist publications, including *Vogue Living*.

Liberal Senator Scott Ryan said it was surprising "the Prime Minister is not even interested in news from Adelaide, where she grew up".