

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 30/31 May 2011

Question: E11-391

OUTCOME 0: Whole of Portfolio

Topic: CURRENT TENDERS

Written Question on Notice

Senator Boyce asked:

Does each Department and agency stand by its current tenders on the AusTenders website? Have any changes or corrections been made for any tenders advertised on to Government Tenders website ([www.tenders.gov.au](http://www.tenders.gov.au)) for tenders advertised this financial year? Explain. Are up to date with reporting requirements?

Answer:

The Department of Health and Ageing, and its *Financial Management and Accountability Act 1997* Portfolio Agencies, stand by the current tenders on the AusTender Internet site. In the instances where changes or corrections have been made for any tenders advertised on AusTender, addenda have been published via AusTender to notify potential suppliers of the amendments.

As at 31 May 2011, based on the data maintained in the respective contract registers, all AusTender reporting requirements are up to date.