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Senator RONALDSON asked:

That \$79,000 contract with Reveal was the original scoping work, was it?

I take from that that that was a finish-off contract, but the larger contract was actually let on the same day? It was for \$316,000.

Answer:

1. The \$79,000.00 was not related to the original scoping work. It was for the initial work in the tender development for a RFT panel.
2. The \$316,600.00 was for further work in tender development for a RFT panel.
3. The published date for each contract within AusTender happens to be the same but the periods these contracts cover are different.