

## **Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee**

### **ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES - 27 FEBRUARY 2014 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

#### **Department of Human Services**

**Topic:** Printing

**Question reference number:** HS 76

**Senator:** Ludwig

**Type of question:** Written

**Date set by the committee for the return of answer:** 24 April 2014

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#### **Question:**

- a) How many documents (include the amount of copies) have been printed from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 2013 to date? How many of these printed documents were also published online?
- b) Did the Department/agency use external printing services for any print jobs since 7 September 2013?
  - 1) If so, what companies were used?
  - 2) How were they selected?
  - 3) What was the total cost of this printing?

#### **Answer:**

- a) As printing, including documents, is not conducted centrally, to provide the answers sought would require an unreasonable diversion of resources.
- b) As printing, including documents, is not conducted centrally, to provide the answers sought for the whole department would require an unreasonable diversion of resources.

Programme Information Branch, within Service Delivery Transformation Division, manages a multi-use list of printing and production suppliers, which is used to produce the majority of the department's customer publications and forms. The list is refreshed every 12 months by open tender. Each list member is invited to quote for each contract available within their capability.

The department contracted with the following multi-use list members in the period 7 September 2013 – 28 February 2014:

<b>Supplier</b>	<b>Total (excluding GST)</b>
Union Offset Co. Pty Ltd	\$464,860
Image Print Pty Ltd	\$199,702
The Independent Print Media Group Pty Ltd	\$137,367
Rolls Printing	\$125,250
Lamson Paragon PTY Ltd	\$122,929
Paragon Printers Australasia trading as Paragon Printers	\$114,312
Paper Australia Pty Ltd	\$104,650
Buckner Group	\$93,485
Focus Press	\$93,216
Camerons Envelopes	\$91,210
Print Dynamics	\$43,700
Saunders Business Cards	\$42,642
PMP Print	\$33,582
Print Works (Queensland) Pty Ltd	\$23,720
Sydney Allen Printers	\$23,297
The Printing Factory Group Pty Ltd	\$21,149
McDonald Printing Group Pty Ltd	\$19,449
Print Media Group	\$12,210
Prominent Press Pty Ltd	\$11,950
Ability Press	\$11,647
Elect Printing	\$7,346
Eureka Corporate Group	\$5,066
New Millennium Print Pty Ltd	\$2,910
Flagstaff Print & Mail	\$2,660
Whirlwind Print Pty Ltd	\$1,617
Harvey Print Group Pty Ltd	\$1,458
Aegis Security Printing	\$700
Partech Pty Ltd trading as bytes 'n colours	\$676
PMI Corporation Pty Ltd	\$245
<b>Total (excluding GST)</b>	<b>\$1,813,003</b>