

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**

**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**HEALTH PORTFOLIO**

**Budget Estimates 2017 - 2018, 29 & 30 May 2017**

**Ref No:** SQ17-000891

**OUTCOME:** 2 - Health Access and Support Services

**Topic:** Fifth Mental Health Plan

**Type of Question:** Written Question on Notice

**Senator:** O'Neill, Deborah

**Question:**

SQ17-000431 outlines more than \$430,000 was spent on hiring consultants to work on the Fifth Mental Health Plan. Can the Department outline if there are any other projects under the Department of Health which required consultants to be hired and the cost associated with hiring these consultants?

**Answer:**

A detailed listing of all contracts and consultancies valued over \$10,000 can be accessed via the AusTender public website at [www.tenders.gov.au/?event=public.reports.list](http://www.tenders.gov.au/?event=public.reports.list)