

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 19 October 2011

Question: E11- 044

OUTCOME 0: Whole of Portfolio

Topic: CONSULTANCIES

Written Question on Notice

Senator McKenzie asked:

- a) How many consultancies were undertaken in 2010-11?
- b) Identify the name of the consultant
- c) The subject matter of the consultancy
- d) The duration and cost of the arrangement
- e) The method of procurement (ie. open tender, direct source, etc)
- f) Also include total value for all consultancies.

Answer:

a) – f)

The details of the Department's consultancies, valued at \$10,000 (inc GST) or above, and undertaken in 2010-11 have been publicly reported on the Commonwealth Government's procurement, tendering and contracting Internet site, AusTender (www.tenders.gov.au). This reporting complies with the *Commonwealth Procurement Guidelines*.