

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH AND AGEING PORTFOLIO

Supplementary Budget Estimates 2011-2012, 19 October 2011

Question: E11- 068

OUTCOME 0: Whole of Portfolio

Topic: LEGAL COSTS

Written Question on Notice

Senator McKenzie asked:

What sum did each Portfolio Department and Agency spend on legal services for the year 2010-11 from private firms? Please provide a list of each service and costs.

Answer:

See table for 2010-11 Financial Year (GST exclusive).

Agency	Expended to Private Law Firms 2010-11
DoHA	\$4,831,378
Aged Care Standards & Accreditation Agency	\$47,568
Australia Institute of Health & Welfare	\$44,837
Australia Organ & Tissue Donation & Transplantation Authority	-
Australia Radiation Protection & Nuclear Safety Agency	\$32,735
Cancer Australia	\$13,322
Food Standards Australia and New Zealand	\$21,211
General Practice Education & Training Ltd	\$7,236
Health Workforce Australia	\$503,061
National Blood Authority	\$167,041
National Health & Medical Research Council	\$51,437
Private Health Insurance Administration Council	\$20,797
Private Health Insurance Ombudsman	\$922
Professional Services Review	\$788,771
Aged Care Commissioner	-
Gene Technology Regulator	-
National Industrial Chemicals Notification & Assessment Scheme	-
Therapeutic Goods Administration	\$221,450
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$6,751,766</b>