

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**  
**2016-17 Supplementary Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number: 1.12 Program Support for Outcome 1      Question No: SQ16-000310**

**Topic: Policy & Evaluation**

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**Senator Catryna Bilyk asked:**

With reference to Contract Notice ID CN3381756 published on the Austender website (“Graphic design”):

- a) What goods or services were procured under this contract?
- b) Was it promotional material?
- c) If so, precisely what promotional material was procured under this contract? Can an itemised list of each item showing relevant costs please be provided?
- d) Is it possible to provide photographs or illustrations of each item?
- e) Can samples please be provided? Was it graphic design services?
- f) Was it graphic design services?
- g) To what did the graphic design relate?
- h) Can a copy or sample of the work please be provided?
- i) Who approved this expenditure?
- j) Was the Minister for Social Services’ office briefed on this goods or services procured under this contract? If so, on what date(s)?

**Answer:**

- a) Printed conference collateral material.
- b) Yes.
- c) Lanyards \$2,530 GST inclusive  
Card holders (unbranded) \$660 GST inclusive  
Tote bags \$4,555 GST inclusive  
Pens \$2,595 GST inclusive.
- d) Artwork/photographs of these items are attached. There is no artwork for the card holders. The tote bags were plain canvas bags printed with the artwork shown.
- e) Illustrations are indicative of the final products provided.
- f) No. It should be noted that this contract was originally incorrectly categorised on AusTender as “Graphic design”. There was no graphic design element; contract was for supply and printing of items with artwork supplied by DSS.
- g) N/A.
- h) N/A.
- i) Expenditure was approved by the Executive Manager of the National Centre for Longitudinal Data.
- j) No.