

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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29 May – 31 May 2012

Question: BET 833-842

Topic: Contractors (PC)

Hansard Page: Written (Received from Committee 13 June 2012)

Senator Bushby asked:

For this financial year to date:

- 833. Has the department/agency ever employed Hawker Britton in any capacity or is it considering employing Hawker Britton? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 834. Has the department/agency ever employed Shannon's Way in any capacity or is it considering employing Shannon's Way? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 835. Has the department/agency ever employed John Utting & UMR Research Group in any capacity or is it considering employing John Utting & UMR Research Group? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 836. Has the department/agency ever employed McCann-Erickson in any capacity or is it considering employing McCann-Erickson? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 837. Has the department/agency ever employed Cutting Edge in any capacity or is it considering employing Cutting Edge? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 838. Has the department/agency ever employed Ikon Communications in any capacity or is it considering employing Ikon Communications? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 839. Has the department/agency ever employed CMAX Communications in any capacity or is it considering employing CMAX Communications? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 840. Has the department/agency ever employed Boston Consulting Group in any capacity or is it considering employing Boston Consulting Group? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).
- 841. Has the department/agency ever employed McKinsey & Company in any capacity or is it considering employing McKinsey & Company? If yes, provide details.
- 842. What contractors have been employed by the department/agency? If yes, provide details (including the work undertaken and the cost).

Answer:

833 – 841. No.

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For this financial year (to 31 May 2012), the Productivity Commission had employed the following contractors:

Supplier	Purpose	Cost (GST Inclusive)
IMD	Education and training services	11,298.88
Siller Systems Administration	Records Management	47,650.00
Sensis	Market Research Survey	60,456.00
John Allen & Associates	Employment services	44,000.00