

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

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4 – 6 June 2013

Question: BET 600-601

Topic: Consultancies

Written: 17 June 2013

Senator BUSHBY asked:

600. How many consultancies have been undertaken this financial year to date*? Identify the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement and the method of procurement (i.e. open tender, direct source etc.). Also include the total value for all consultancies.
601. How many consultancies are planned for this calendar year? Have these been published in your Annual Procurement Plan (APP) on the AusTender website and if not, why not? In each case please identify the subject matter, duration, cost and method of procurement as above, and the name of the consultant if known.

**Financial year to date – 31 May 2013*

Answer:

600. For details of the number of consultancies undertaken this financial year to date, please refer to table 1 below.
601. No consultancies are included in our Annual Procurement Plan because there are no planned consultancies over the minimum reporting value of \$80,000.00

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Table 1

Name	Subject Matter	Duration	Cost	Method
David Caple & Associates Pty Ltd	Work Health and Safety Assessment of hand held devices	21/06/12 – 10/08/12	22,239	Direct
Dimension Data Aust Pty Ltd	Technical consultant for Cisco CUCM upgrade	01/02/12 – 31/01/13	4,267	Prequalified
KPMG	Time and Motion Study of Data Collections Operations Work	30/06/12 – 30/11/12	20,850	Direct
Oakton Services Pty Ltd	Internal Audit Services	13/09/12 – 12/09/13	281,632	Open
Praxis Consultants Pty Ltd	Timor-Leste Statistical Capability Development Monitoring and Evaluation Consultancy for the AusAid funded 2012-2013 Timor-Leste Program.	04/04/13 – 31/12/13	48,013	Limited
Rapenea Consulting Ltd	Information Infrastructure Consulting	09/01/13 – 31/03/14	21,600	Limited
Revolution IT PTY LTD	Market analysis and evaluation for Software for Application Performance Monitoring	05/02/13 – 31/03/13	41,151	Open
Robert W Edwards	Labour Force Survey Study	10/07/12 – 27/07/12	24,525	Limited
Step Two Designs	Knowledge Management Project, an electronic management solution to centralise and organise all relevant information	23/05/12 – 31/07/12	35,686	Prequalified
Valuesourcing	PSIP Health Check Review ABS2012.284	12/09/12 – 21/09/12	11,880	Direct
Total Cost			511,843	