

Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Industry Portfolio
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

TOPIC: Consultancies

REFERENCE: Written Questions – Senator Ludwig

QUESTION No.: BI-160

1. How many consultancies have been undertaken from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 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 (ie. open tender, direct source, etc). Also include total value for all consultancies.
2. 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.
3. Have any consultancies not gone out for tender?
 - a. If so, which ones and why?

ANSWER

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

1. Details of relevant procurement contracts, including consultancies, undertaken for the period 28 February to 30 June 2014 are available at www.tenders.gov.au.
2. As per the requirements of the Commonwealth Procurement Rules, details of significant planned procurements for the department and portfolio agencies are included in the 2013-14 Annual Procurement Plan (APP) available at www.tenders.gov.au.
3. Details of relevant procurement contracts, including the method of procurement, are available at www.tenders.gov.au.