AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:  DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

TOPIC:  Contracts under $10,000

REFERENCE:  Written Questions – Senator Ludwig

QUESTION No.:  SI-184

Since Budget Estimates in June, 2014: Please provide a detailed list of all contracts entered into that are worth between $4,000 and $10,000.

ANSWER

The Commonwealth Procurement Rules do not require contracts and amendments valued at less than $10,000 to be reported on AusTender at www.tenders.gov.au. Information on contracts valued at less than $10,000 is not captured in the Department’s contract register. Accordingly, to attempt to provide the information requested would be an unreasonable diversion of resources.