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Department/Agency: CGC Question: SBT 2061-2063 Topic: Consultancies

Reference: written - 05 November 2015

Senator: Wong, Penny

Question:

Since 1 January 2015:

- 2061. How many consultancies have been undertaken? 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.
- 2062. 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.
- 2063. Have any consultancies not gone out for tender?
 - a) List each, including name, cost and purpose
 - b) If so, why?

Answer:

2061. 8.

Name	Consultancy Subject	Duration	Cost	Procurement Method
Glenn Poole	Conduct audit of the decision making process for the 2015 Review	15 days	\$33,500	Limited
Elizabeth Savage	Written report of the conceptual validity of the Commission's proposed health assessment for 2015	1 day	\$4,000	Limited
Glenn Pure	R2015 checking on Assessments	11days	\$13,130	Limited

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Lace Wang	R2015 Auditing of QA process	5 days	\$5,192	Limited
Therese Maher	R2015 Auditing of Assessments	3 days	\$3,048	Limited
Christine Butterfield	R2015 Auditing of Calculations	17 days	\$19,696	Limited
Grace Information Management	Digital Project of Commission History & Budget Papers	1 month	\$5,745	Open
Flinders University	Wages Cost Assessment	39 days	\$69,300	Open
Total			\$153,611	

2062. Nil.

2063. No consultancies above the procurement threshhold of \$80,000 have gone out for tender.