## Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES 2015

## Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

**Department/Agency:** Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations

**Outcome/Program:** 2 – Indigenous

**Topic:** Special administrators

**Senator:** Nick Xenophon

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## **Question:**

With regard to the appointment of "Special Administrators" is this done by call on public tender or select tender?

What are the total amounts spent on engaging "Special Administrators" broken down by financial year since the introduction of the *Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act* 2006 (CATSI Act)?

## **Answer:**

Select tender.

The total amount of expenditure by the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations on special administrations by financial year since 1 July 2007 is set out in the following table:

Financial year	Number of special	Total cost excl. GST
	administrations	
2007-08	17	\$4,724,945
2008-09	10	\$3,096,765
2009-10	9	\$954,650
2010-11	16	\$954,259
2011-12	13	\$1,463,590
2012-13	5	\$482,968
2013-14	7	\$1,778,331
2014-15*	4	\$285,486

<sup>\*</sup> Completed prior to 28 February 2015