

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES 2014-2015**

**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio**

**Department/Agency:** Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman

**Outcome/Program:**

Outcome 1. Fair and accountable administrative action by Australian Government agencies by investigating complaints, reviewing administrative action and inspecting statutory compliance by law enforcement agencies.

**Topic:** Consultants

**Senator:** Senator Wong

**Question reference number:** 163

**Type of question:** Written

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**Question:**

(1) How many consultants have been engaged in 2014-15 to date?

**Answer:**

(1) For the period 1 July 2014 to 28 February 2015, the Office has engaged one consultant.