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Senator: Siewert, Rachel

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Question:

Senator SIEWERT: What I was going to ask on notice is following up the point you just made about contracting people. Could you give us the details of who has been contracted to do that?

Ms Hefren-Webb: What research?

Senator SIEWERT: Yes, and how much that contract is for.

Mr Tongue: We shall do so.

Answer:

An independent evaluation of the Community Development Programme commenced in 2016. The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet contracted the Indigenous owned research and communications organisation, Winangali Pty Ltd, to undertake the evaluation of the programme, in partnership with Ipsos Australia. The contract is for \$1.289 million over three years.