

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
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**Senator:** Claire Moore

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**Question:**

Senator MOORE: What is the current status of that program? When we talked at the last estimates, we were still working through exactly what the intent was going to be—education v promotion and all those things. You were going to put it to tender. Is that right?

Ms Laffan: There was a tender process for developmental research, and that developmental research has been conducted.

Senator MOORE: Who got that tender?

Ms Laffan: TNS. I am sorry, but I would have to take on notice what that stands for.

Senator MOORE: And that tender was for how long?

Ms Laffan: I think it was for that developmental research process, but I would have to take on notice—

**Answer:**

TNS are the initials for Taylor Nelson Sofres.

The completion date for the contract is 30 June 2016.