

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS
AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL POLICE

Question No. 132

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 18 November 2013:

- a) How many consultancies have been undertaken from 7 September 2013 to date? Identify the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement, and the method of procurement (i.e. open tender, direct source, etc.). Also include total value for all consultancies.
- b) 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.

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

- a) The AFP has let five (5) consultancies valued at over \$10,000 from 7 September 2013 to 18 November 2013. Please see table A.
- b) Table B contains details of planned consultancies for the remainder of the calendar year. These consultancies are not listed on the AFP Annual Procurement Plan (APP) 2013-14, as they will be sourced from current panel arrangements (Open Tender).

Table A (Consultancy Services undertaken from 7 September to 18 November 2013 valued at \$10,000 or more (GST inclusive))

No	Name	Subject Matter	Cost	Duration of the Arrangement	Method of Procurement
1	Richard C Smith	Provision of high level expertise for the Strategic Leadership Group	\$44,000	24 months	Limited Tender
2	EMC Global Holdings Company Australian Branch	Detailed analysis of the Storage Area Network environment for AFPNet	\$101,750	12 months	Limited Tender
3	Coffey International Development Pty Ltd	Provision of aid advisory and baseline survey	\$266,065	9 months	Open Tender
4	Pario Solutions Group Pty Ltd	Research, design and development services of a Project Plan - RSIPF Rearmament Project	\$65,195	5 months	Open Tender
5	Analytics Group Pty Ltd	Development of an AIPM Blueprint	\$23,650	2 months	Open Tender
Total Value			\$500,660		

Table B (Consultancies estimated at \$10,000 or more (GST inclusive) planned for the remainder of this calendar year)

No	Name	Subject Matter	Estimated Cost	Duration of Arrangement	Method of Procurement
1	Woolcott Research Pty Ltd	Business Satisfaction Survey	\$20,625	4 months	Open Tender (current panel arrangement)
2	Oakton Services	Provision of audit services	\$59,400	6 months	Open Tender (current panel arrangement)