Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO 2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programs

Question No: 84

Topic: Contractors

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Senator Moore asked:

Please provide a list of all contracted appointments to the Department since the election, the purpose for which they were contracted and the amount.

Answer:

Recruitment of consultants and non-ongoing staff was managed in the initial period since the election by local work units within the Department. As a result, we are unable to report for the period specified. Since the Interim APS recruitment arrangements came into effect, the Department has taken on 3 non-ongoing staff. Consultants employed by the Department are listed on the contracts site at <u>www.tenders.gov.au</u>.