## Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

## 2015-16 Supplementary Estimates Hearings

**Question No: SQ15-000936** 

**Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programmes** 

**Topic: Grants - Nous Report** 

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## **Senator Rachel Siewert** asked:

Can you provide the end date of the current Nous contract, total cost and description of services?

## **Answer:**

The current contract with Nous Group for business administration services (CN3278783) ends 30 November 2015 at a total cost of \$145,893.

Nous Group was engaged to support the Programme Office transitioning to a revised operating model by detailing functions, mapping resources to capabilities and detailed roles, facilitating workshops with key staff to develop branch structures, and developing key internal communications.