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Senator: Wong

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Question:

Senator WONG: It is probably on AusTender somewhere, but can you give me the value of the contract with Ashurst?

Ms Halton: On AusTender, it is reported as \$3,643,000.

Senator WONG: Has it been varied as well?

Ms Halton: Not that I am aware of, but let me check. We will check that for you.

Answer:

The value of the contract with Ashurst Australia for the Air Warfare Destroyer Reform Strategy which commenced on 16 June 2014 was originally \$1,698,000. The contract was extended, as reported publicly on AusTender on 11 March 2015, which increased the total contract value to \$3,643,000.