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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, INNOVATION, SCIENCE, RESEARCH AND TERTIARY EDUCATION

TOPIC: Industry and Innovation Statement

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QUESTION No.: AI-11

Senator RYAN: ...Has the department brought in any external assistance with the development of the statement?

Mr Pettifer: Yes. We did engage the services of Mr Rod Glover to assist with the preparation of the statement.

Senator RYAN: Would I find the details of that on AusTender?

Mr Pettifer: Yes.

Senator RYAN: What is the reference number for that, if you have it handy?

Mr Pettifer: I do not have the details of exactly what was on AusTender, but I can tell you that the contract was for \$77,000, including GST. I have just been handed what is on AusTender. It is contract notice view CN922091. That has all the details.

Senator RYAN: Just to save me typing it in now, what was the method of procurement? Was it a direct source, open tender or limited tender?

Mr Pettifer: It was a direct source.

Senator RYAN: For what period was the work undertaken? That contract note should have it.

Mr Pettifer: The contract was from 17 August, and my recollection is that it would have finished sometime in October. I can take that on notice if you like; I just need to check.

ANSWER

Mr Rod Glover was engaged by the department to assist with the development of the statement for the period 17 August 2012 to 31 December 2012.