

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

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26 February 2014

Question: AET 813-815

Topic: Consultancies (ABS)

Written: 5 March 2014

Senator LUDWIG asked:

813. How many consultancies have been undertaken from Supplementary Budget Estimates in November 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 (ie. open tender, direct source, etc). Also include total value for all consultancies.
814. 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.
815. Have any consultancies not gone out for tender?
a. If so, which ones and why?

Answer:

813. For details of the number of consultancies undertaken between November 2013 and 1 March 2014, please refer to table 1 below.
814. There are currently no planned consultancies for this calendar year.
815. Nil.

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Name	Period from	To	Amount	Purpose	Procurement Method
THOMAS SYME KARMEL	04/12/2013	30/06/2014	\$ 42,000.00	The development of the TETIA (Transforming Education and Training Information in Australia) strategic plan.	Limited