Senate Economics Legislation Committee

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Question: bet 16 (AOFM)

Topic: Cost of executive coaching and/or other leadership training

services

Hansard Page: Written

Senator LUDWIG asked:

The following questions relate to the purchase of executive coaching and/or other leadership training services by the department/agency, broken down for each of the last four financial years.

Where available, please provide:

- 1. Total spending on these services.
- 2. The number of employees offered these services and their salary level.
- 3. The number of employees who have utilised these services and their salary level.
- 4. The names of all service providers engaged.
- 5. For each service purchased from a provider listed in the answer to the previous question, please provide:
 - a. The name and nature of the service purchased.
 - b. Whether the service is one-on-one or group based.
 - c. The number of employees who received the service.
 - d. The total number of hours involved for all employees.
 - e. The total amount spent on the service.
 - f. A description of the fees charged (e.g. per hour, complete package).
 - g. Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:
 - i. The location used
 - ii. The number of employees who took part on each occasion
 - iii. The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part.

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Answer:

The following information from AOFM is based on data for SES officers only and cost figures presented represent the pro rata cost of SES participants.

- (1) For 2002-2003 nil for 2003-2004 – \$458.33 for 2004-2005 – nil for 2005-2006 – nil
- (2) For 2002-2003 none for 2003-2004 2 people; 1 in range of \$170,000 \$179,999 pa and 1 in range of \$220,000 to \$229,000 pa for 2004-2005 none for 2005-2006 none
- (3) For 2002-2003 none for 2003-2004 2 people; 1 in range of \$170,000 \$179,999 pa and 1 in range of \$220,000 to \$229,000 pa for 2004-2005 none for 2005-2006 none
- (4) For 2002-2003 none for 2003-2004 – Group 8 Management Pty Ltd for 2004-2005 – none for 2005-2006 – none
- (5) For 2002-2003 not applicable for 2003-2004
 - a. Leadership development workshop
 - b. group-based
 - c. two SES
 - d. 10 hours
 - e. \$458.33
 - f. complete package
 - g.
- i Bentley Suites
- ii 2 SES
- iii 10 hours

or 2004-2005 – not applicable for 2005-2006 – not applicable