# **Senate Standing Committee on Economics**

### ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

#### **Treasury Portfolio**

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20 October 2011

Question No: SBT 48

**Topic:** Consultancies

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## Senator Bushby asked:

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.

#### Answer:

The ATO makes an allowance for expenditure on consultancies in the budget allocation process each year, but does not plan for a specific number of consultancies.

There are currently no planned consultancies that are required to be published in the Annual Procurement Plan on AusTender.