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AEI	BUYIT PRN5024	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	The purchase of this service should be exempted from the normal procurement processes on the grounds that NCVER has pre-eminent expertise. NCVER is the premier agency for VET statistics and as such has an ongoing interest in improving VET statistics. NCVER conducted both the feasibility study of offshore VET enumeration and the enumeration itself. Both of these projects required the Consultant to establish links with	19-Jan-04	No	75091	07-Jun-04	30-Sep-06	National Centre for Vocational Education Research Ltd (NCVER)	Survey of Offshore Delivery of Public VET	\$379,720.00	\$38,500.00	Yes	Delivery of VET offshore by public providers: 2003	Yes	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5071	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	17-Jun-03	No	75064	05-May-04	06-Aug-04	Cords Pty Ltd	A review of literature on strategic alliances and distributed delivery models	\$46,850.00	\$23,850.00	Yes	Strategic Alliances in Education and Training Services, a Literature Review	Yes	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5127	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	03-Apr-04	No	75175	28-Jun-04	07-Feb-05	KPA Consulting Pty Ltd	Evaluation of the Education Services for Overseas Students (ESOS) Act 2000	\$236,836.44	\$187,768.44	Yes	To be advised	Available on completion	David Phillips
AEI	BUYIT PRN5185	Consultancy	Advice - Business	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	01-Jan-04	No	75027	01-Mar-04	19-Mar-04	Australian Trade Commission	Quality Assurance of the Russian Translation of the Study in Australia website.	\$6,080.00	\$6,080.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5219	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Approval for Exemption from the Minimum Standard for Procurement obtained 20/11/03. DEST has engaged ACER to develop the aptitude test for use with international students, particularly from China, entering the Australian school sector. The second stage of the test development involves trialling the test in China. Given their current involvement with the development of the aptitude test and pre-eminent	15-Sep-03	No	75126	01-Apr-04	30-Nov-04	Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER)	Aptitude Test - China Pilot	\$99,540.00	\$66,360.40	Yes	ATISS - Interim Report - July 2004	Available on request	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5255	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	19-Mar-04	No	75044	31-Mar-04	31-May-04	University of Melbourne	SEAMEO Press Award 2004 - coordination of visit	\$5,060.00	\$2,860.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5296	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	29-Mar-04	No	75053	14-Apr-04	18-Jun-04	University of Melbourne	APEC Senior Education Officials and 3rd Education Ministerial Meetings	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5465	Consultancy	Audit Services - IT	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	22-Apr-04	No	75106	10-May-04	31-May-04	Max Shanahan & Associates Pty Ltd	AEI Online project - payment certification	\$5,500.00	\$5,500.00	Yes	AEI E-Business Payment/Receipting Certification	Yes	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5575	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	29-Apr-04	No	75158	29-Apr-04	29-Apr-04	Austrade Australian Trade Commission T/A -n	Austrade - Riyadh	\$5,130.00	\$5,130.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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AEI	BUYIT PRN5577	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	17-May-04	No	75193	04-Jun-04	20-Aug-04	The University of Melbourne	Study abroad/study exchange systems in industrialised countries	\$39,528.00	\$20,000.00	Yes	Study Abroad / Study Exchange Systems in Industrialised Countries	Yes	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5637	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	18-Jun-04	No	75263	02-Jul-04	23-Jul-04	Quantitative Evaluation & Design Pty Ltd	Engagement of a consultant statistician	\$13,200.00	\$1,980.00	Yes	International Student Survey	Available on request	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5661	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	20-Apr-04	No	75197	05-May-04	28-Jul-04	Canberra language school	Language Training for William Thorn	\$5,000.00	\$959.38	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5675	Consultancy	Advice - Strategic	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	24-May-04	No	75204	16-Jun-04	16-Jun-04	Novotel Canberra	IRCU Strategic Planning Exercise	\$1,043.00	\$918.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN5675	Consultancy	Advice - Strategic	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	14-May-04	No	75205	14-May-04	07-Jul-04	The Training and Development Group	IRCU Strategic Planning Exercise	\$8,162.00	\$7,014.43	Yes	Outcomes of planning day	Available on request	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6098	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	21-Jan-04	No	75338	01-Sep-04	31-Dec-04	National Centre for Vocational Education Research Ltd (NCVER)	Feasibility of quantifying the offshore delivery of VET by Australian private providers	\$31,625.00	\$0.00	Yes	Final report on reability of quantifying offshore VET delivery by private providers	Not yet complete	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6257	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	11-Aug-04	No	75325	18-Aug-04	23-Sep-04	Rosetta Consulting Pty Ltd	Facilitator - Foundations Program Workshop	\$3,805.00	\$3,805.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6349	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	23-Jul-04	No	75370	10-Aug-04	10-Dec-04	Monash University	Research paper on Overview of India	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	Yes	India's Education Policy Paradigms and their Impact on Australia	Available on request	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6541	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	26-Aug-04	No	75469	18-Oct-04	26-Nov-04	Australian Forensic Services Pty Ltd	Certificate IV in Government - Statutory Investigation & Enforcement	\$15,750.00	\$15,750.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6562	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	27-Sep-03	No	75467	01-Aug-04	28-Feb-05	International Training Australia	Phase 1 of a Project to Promote the Australian VET Framework in China	\$142,934.00	\$42,880.00	Yes	Phase 1 of a project to promote the Australian VET Framework in China	Not yet complete	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6565	Consultancy	Advice - Business	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	22-Oct-04	No	75413	01-Nov-04	27-Feb-05	Acumen Alliance (ACT) Pty Ltd	Expert Advice to Assist in Developing Business Requirements Documents	\$19,000.00	\$6,006.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6589	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	20-Aug-04	No	75410	22-Oct-04	30-Jun-05	Melbourne University Private	Regulatory Framework for Private Higher Education Institutions in the UAE & Iran	\$50,000.00	\$25,000.00	Yes	N/a	Not yet complete	N/a
AEI	BUYIT PRN6629	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	03-Dec-04	No	75509	21-Jan-05	29-Apr-05	Global Learning Services Pty Ltd	Strategies in promoting the widespread use of the diploma supplement in Australia	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	Yes	N/a	Not yet complete	Grant John, Kearns Peter
AEI	BUYIT PRN6688	Consultancy	Market Research - Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	The specificity of the project and the level of expertise required to successfully complete the project suggests an exemption under pre-eminent expertise should be sought. The International Promotions Unit (IPRU) sought advice from the Government Communications Unit (GCU), the Market Research Society of Australia (MSRSA) and Tony Crooks regarding potential market research consultants capable of	03-Dec-04	No	75540	11-Feb-05	30-Jun-05	Blue Moon Reseach & Planning Pty Ltd	Market Research in Latin America	\$238,140.00	\$0.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a

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AEI	PROMISE PRN02941	Consultancy	Professional advice	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	10-Mar-03	N/a	2453	30-May-03	30-Nov-04	TAFE Global Pty Ltd	Thailand Vocational Education and Training Amalgamation Project	\$170,653.00	\$30,000.00	Yes	Thailand Australia VET Capacity Building Establishment of multi-campus institutions	Available on request	N/a
AEI	PROMISE PRN02946	Consultancy	Conduct training	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	21-Mar-03	N/a	2488	19-Jun-03	30-Dec-04	University of Western Sydney	SEAMEO-Australia Project - Development of ICT Implementation Plan	\$100,710.21	\$30,000.00	Yes	Final Report on the Australia - SEAMEO (Indonesia) Project: Implementation Plan for Piloting Models of Teacher Development for using ICT in Mathematics and Science Teaching	Yes	N/a
AEI	PROMISE PRN03308	Consultancy	Conduct review	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	25-Jun-03	N/a	2495	05-Jul-03	31-Jan-04	Australian Trade Commission	Quality Assurance of Arabic Translation of VAEC.	\$9,500.00	\$9,500.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	PROMISE PRN03337	Consultancy	Programme development	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	Open tender process conducted for first stage of procurement therefore supplier has pre-eminent knowledge to complete final stage of project.	18-Apr-03	N/a	2544	18-Sep-03	20-Jan-05	Helen Fisher	Development and Management of the APEC Architect Project	\$113,500.00	\$99,588.18	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	PROMISE PRN03357	Consultancy	Conduct research	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	An exemption is being sought on both practicality and preeminent expertise grounds. Primarily, the project requires an expert in Education Governance to ensure the resulting report is not only successful but credible to an international audience. The project is also unusual in that it needed to be proposed at the APEC HRDWG Meeting and supported in order to go ahead, however in order for it to be brought	01-Jul-03	N/a	2694	20-Aug-03	31-Dec-04	University of Melbourne	Australian APEC Project - Best Practice Governance: Education Policy and Service Delivery	\$88,750.00	\$88,750.00	Yes	Best Practice Governance in Education Policy and Service Delivery	Available on request	N/a
AEI	PROMISE PRN03539	Consultancy	Overseas development	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Urgency and Practicality	Austraining are superior in terms of expertise and have the links and knowledge necessary for the successful conclusion of the project. The short time between phases two and three of the project will also prevent us from seeking three written quotes or briefing a new consultant.	01-Oct-03	N/a	2810	20-Dec-03	30-Mar-04	Austraining International Pty Ltd	GSLP phase three of Indonesian Quality Assurance and Management for Basic Education Project	\$38,800.00	\$38,800.00	Yes	Australia Indonesia Education Quality Assurance and Decentralisation Management for Basic Education Professional Workshop	Available on request	N/a

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AEI	PROMISE PRN03647	Consultancy	Conduct presentation	Verbal Quote	Verbal Quote	N/a	N/a	30-Sep-03	N/a	2809	05-Dec-03	31-Jan-04	Australian Universities Quality Agency	Provision of speaker to attend Annual Conference of the Association of Southeast Asian Institutions of Higher Learning in Jakarta	\$8,153.26	\$8,153.26	Yes	Presentation to Annual Conference of Association of Southeast Asian Institutions of Higher Learning (ASAIHL)9-11 December 2003, Jakarta	Available on request	N/a
AEI	PROMISE PRN03730	Consultancy	Facilitation	Verbal Quote	Verbal Quote	N/a	N/a	14-Jan-04	N/a	2840	16-Jan-04	20-Jan-04	The Training and Development Group Pty Ltd	Consultancy services to plan and facilitate a strategic planning day	\$4,400.00	\$4,400.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AEI	PROMISE PRN03812	Consultancy	Business advice	Verbal Quote	Verbal Quote	N/a	N/a	25-Feb-04	N/a	2894	01-Mar-04	05-Mar-04	Acumen Alliance	Business analysis to assist in scoping a business technology proposal	\$11,000.00	\$11,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
AUDIT & INVESTIGATIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5056	Consultancy	Audit Services - IT	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Limited number of firms that provide IT Audit expertise.	01-Dec-03	No	75088	01-Jul-04	30-Jun-05	Ernst & Young	IT Audit Panel	\$150,000.00	\$18,463.50	Yes	Internal Audit Report used for internal management purposes.	N/a	N/a
AUDIT & INVESTIGATIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5056	Consultancy	Audit Services - IT	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Limited number of firms that provide IT Audit expertise.	01-Dec-03	No	75089	01-Jul-04	30-Jun-05	Max Shanahan & Associates Pty Ltd	IT Audit Panel	\$100,000.00	\$2,750.00	Yes	Internal Audit Report used for internal management purposes.	N/a	N/a
AUDIT & INVESTIGATIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5056	Consultancy	Audit Services - IT	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Limited number of firms that provide IT Audit expertise.	01-Dec-03	No	75090	01-Jul-04	30-Jun-05	Acumen Alliance (ACT) Pty Ltd	IT Audit Panel	\$150,000.00	\$57,000.00	Yes	Internal Audit Report used for internal management purposes.	N/a	N/a
AUDIT & INVESTIGATIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5318	Consultancy	Advice - Strategic	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	08-Apr-04	No	75062	27-Apr-04	30-Jul-04	Audit & Consultancy Services Pty Ltd	Engagement of Audit & Consultancy Services Canberra ACT Pty Ltd	\$27,000.00	\$22,445.50	Yes	Internal Audit Report used for internal management purposes.	N/a	N/a
AUDIT & INVESTIGATIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN6032	Consultancy	Advice - Business	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	05-Jul-04	No	75270	12-Jul-04	30-Jun-05	Yass Analytical and Investigative Services (YAIS)	Yass Analytical & Investigative Services (YAIS)	\$49,800.00	\$37,663.88	Yes	Investigation support - used for internal management purposes	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN5047	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	23-Dec-03	No	75028	08-Jan-04	01-Mar-05	Interchange	Contract for the Development of a Building High Performing Teams Program	\$99,270.55	\$70,413.99	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN5089	Consultancy	Public Relations - Consultancies (GCU)	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Limited number of consultancies with the expertise, and it is urgent that the tender process be turned around in minimal time.	26-Mar-04	No	75102	30-Apr-04	17-Oct-04	Horizon Public Relations Pty Ltd	2004 Minister's Awards for Excellence- Metropolitan, Rural and Regional Employers of New Apprentices	\$188,886.00	\$188,886.50	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN5106	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	09-Feb-04	No	75021	23-Feb-04	08-Jun-04	Australian Public Service Commission	Independent assessment of work performance of DEST employee	\$8,200.00	\$8,066.82	Yes	Independent Assessment of work Performance	Withheld as it contains personal information as defined by the Privacy Act 1988	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN5347	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	14-Oct-03	No	75087	14-Oct-03	31-May-04	T4-Protective Security	Protective Security Risk Review of DEST National Office	\$40,128.00	\$36,366.00	Yes	Security risk report	Available on request	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN5353	Consultancy	Advice - Business	One Written Quote	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	16-Apr-04	No	75147	25-May-04	15-Jun-04	Ascent Consulting Pty Ltd	Call Centre Review	\$42,900.00	\$42,900.00	Yes	Call Centre Review	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN5369	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	13-Apr-04	No	75084	08-Apr-04	30-Jun-04	Chris Hunt	Independent investigation-Review of Actions	\$12,600.00	\$12,600.00	Yes	Report Concerning a Review of Actions	Withheld as it contains personal information as defined by the Privacy Act 1988	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN5513	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	10-Jan-04	No	75207	21-Jul-04	31-Dec-06	Right Management Consultants	DEST Staff Survey	\$157,300.00	\$39,977.90	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6156	Consultancy	Advice - Strategic	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	13-Aug-04	No	75333	23-Aug-04	30-Sep-04	Ascent Consulting Pty Ltd	Technical advice in relation to Call Centre Services	\$43,650.75	\$43,650.75	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6175	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Sole Supplier	DEST current practice is to use the Australian Public Service Commission (APSC) 'select panel' arrangements for accessing training providers. The APSC has undertaken a tender process to select appropriate providers who understand APS values, issues, reforms and directions. This saves DEST a considerable amount of time and money by entering into the MOU with the APSC.	30-Jun-04	No	75398	30-Jun-04	30-Jun-05	Australian Public Service Commission	DEST -MOU with the Australian Public Service Commission 2004-2005	\$150,000.00	\$36,424.50	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6179	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	19-Jul-04	No	75319	11-Aug-04	31-Aug-04	Windhover Consultants Pty Ltd	Team planning facilitation	\$4,000.00	\$3,960.00	Yes	Outcomes: Team Planning Session	Withheld as the information relates to internal administration of the department	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6305	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	11-Aug-04	No	75357	10-Aug-04	07-Jan-05	Dupont & Associates Pty Ltd	Independent Review of Actions	\$15,000.00	\$5,364.61	Yes	Review of Actions	Withheld as it contains personal information as defined by the Privacy Act 1988	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6318	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	20-Aug-04	No	75381	24-Aug-04	30-Nov-04	Adept Associates Pty Ltd	Independent Review of Actions	\$22,125.00	\$21,125.00	Yes	Report of a Review of Actions	Withheld as it contains personal information as defined by the Privacy Act 1988	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6535	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	The Value Creation Group has pre-eminent expertise in a quality evaluation framework for policy services work. They are the sole supplier of the Value Creating Policy Services Model which has been developed through consultation with stakeholders.	01-Oct-04	No	75422	01-Oct-04	30-Jun-05	The Value Creation Group Pty Ltd	Design and facilitation of training workshops	\$60,000.00	\$32,187.55	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6656	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	08-Nov-04	No	75548	12-Jan-05	10-Apr-05	Systemik Solutions Pty Ltd	Website Data Migration Services	\$131,725.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6679	Consultancy	Market Research - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Select Tender off Government Communications Arrangement	N/a	N/a	12-Nov-04	No	75483	07-Dec-04	31-Mar-05	Eureka Strategic Research Pty Ltd	DEST Stakeholder Perceptions	\$49,918.00	\$12,479.50	Yes	DEST Stakeholders Perceptions	Not yet complete	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6762	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	12-Nov-04	No	75534	07-Feb-05	31-Mar-05	Marg Cranney & Associates	Team Development Process	\$6,000.00	\$0.00	Yes	Team Development Process	Withheld as the information relates to internal administration of the department	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	BUYIT PRN6819	Consultancy	Advertising - Campaign (Design and Development)	One Written Quote	Select Tender off Government Communications Arrangement	N/a	N/a	03-Dec-04	Yes	75539	06-Dec-04	22-Dec-04	Batey Kazoo Communications Pty Ltd	Higher Education Reforms Campaign Creative Element	\$70,417.80	\$70,417.80	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	PROMISE PRN02005	Consultancy	Key Performance Indicators	Open Tender	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	HRM Consulting has pre-eminent expertise in automatically extracting data and benchmarking it against Public and Private Sector organisations. They provide a holistic consultancy service recommending HR intervention strategies for problem areas. HRMC provides this service to APS wide benchmarking programmes undertaken by the ANAO and previously by the PSMPC as well as a number of other	17-Jan-02	N/a	1707	16-Apr-02	31-Mar-05	HRM Consulting	Consultancy to benchmark human resource data and performance indicators	\$138,334.00	\$40,333.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	PROMISE PRN02854	Consultancy	Market research	GCU (OGIA) Panel Arrangement Used	GCU (OGIA) Panel Arrangement Used	N/a	N/a	18-Feb-03	N/a	2303	11-Mar-03	01-Jun-04	Worthington Di Marzio Pty Ltd	Market Research for New Apprenticeships Campaign 2003	\$329,365.00	\$39,820.00	Yes	Research to develop the 2004 New Apprenticeships Campaign.	Awaiting third party consultation	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	PROMISE PRN02854	Consultancy	Market research	GCU (OGIA) Panel Arrangement Used	GCU (OGIA) Panel Arrangement Used	N/a	N/a	18-Feb-03	N/a	2978	20-Apr-04	31-Dec-04	Worthington Di Marzio Pty Ltd	Market Research consultancy services surrounding the 2004 New Apprenticeships Campaign	\$208,175.00	\$208,175.00	Yes	Report on creative concept testing results Report on refinement research Report on benchmark research	Awaiting third party consultation	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	PROMISE PRN02875	Consultancy	Communication campaign	GCU (OGIA) Panel Arrangement Used	GCU (OGIA) Panel Arrangement Used	N/a	N/a	18-Feb-03	Approved by minister on recommendation by selection panel	2974	12-Apr-04	31-Dec-04	Batey Kazoo Communications Pty Ltd	The Development and Production of the 2004 'New Apprenticeships Advertising Campaign.	\$1,021,783.00	\$859,210.64	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	PROMISE PRN03292	Consultancy	Design Web Site	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	26-Sep-03	N/a	2902	03-Feb-04	18-Oct-04	Hiser Group	DEST Corporate Internet Redesign	\$254,203.86	\$254,203.86	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	PROMISE PRN03586	Consultancy	Building Services	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	31-Oct-03	N/a	2800	10-Nov-03	30-Apr-04	HLA-Envirosciences Pty Ltd	Certification of Environmental Management System	\$67,375.00	\$67,375.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
CORPORATE STRATEGY GROUP	PROMISE PRN03790	Consultancy	Staff related	Verbal Quote	Verbal Quote	N/a	N/a	20-Jan-04	N/a	2875	16-Feb-04	07-May-04	R&M Consultants (NT) Pty Ltd	Conduct assessment of work performance of DEST employee	\$4,950.00	\$2,475.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
FINANCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN6307	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	18-Aug-04	No	75335	24-Aug-04	30-Jun-05	Logical CMG	SAPfihre Human Resources Support Services	\$25,000.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
FINANCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN6308	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	23-Aug-04	No	75371	21-Sep-04	30-Jun-05	Southern Cross Computing Pty Ltd	SAPfihre Support Services Contract	\$25,000.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
FINANCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN6331	Consultancy	Advice - Financial	One Written Quote	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	08-Jun-04	No	75408	23-Nov-04	31-Mar-05	KPMG	Review the Application of the Goods and Services Tax (GST) on Transactions made by DEST	\$21,670.00	\$10,835.00	Yes	Review of the Application of the GST on Transactions made by DEST	Not yet complete	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5030	Consultancy	Advice - Business	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	06-Apr-04	No	75068	03-May-04	11-Jun-04	The Hiser Group	Higher Education Public Information Website Mapping and Design Project	\$49,610.00	\$49,610.00	Yes	Higher Education Information Mapping and Design Project	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a

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HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5032	Consultancy	Market Research - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Select Tender off Government Communications Arrangement	N/a	N/a	06-May-04	Yes	75202	29-Jun-04	30-Jun-05	Worthington DiMarzio Pty Limited	Provision of market research for the higher education reforms campaign	\$157,740.00	\$55,000.00	Yes	Higher Education Reforms Communication Campaign - Development Phase, Higher Education Reforms Communication Campaign - The 'Going to Uni' website, Communication of the Higher Education Reforms "Our Universities: Backing Australia's Future" and Particularly of the "Going to Uni" Website (Benchmark Study)	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5388	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	15-Apr-04	No	75070	19-Apr-04	28-May-04	The Learning Catalyst	Higher Education Student Administration Training Package	\$27,480.00	\$27,480.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5537	Consultancy	Advice - Financial	One Written Quote	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	26-May-04	No	75256	14-Jul-04	31-Oct-06	Price Waterhouse Coopers	Guidelines for the Preparation of Annual Financial Statements for 2004 and 2005	\$67,100.00	\$30,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5769	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	08-Jun-04	No	75200	11-Jun-04	30-Jun-04	Excelarated Consulting Pty Ltd	Excelarated Consulting - services	\$5,500.00	\$4,884.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5968	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	15-Apr-04	No	75248	19-May-04	21-Jun-04	The Learning Catalyst	Higher Education Student Administration Training Package	\$27,480.00	\$27,480.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN6178	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	29-Jul-04	No	75308	04-Aug-04	30-Sep-04	Tactics Consulting Pty Ltd	Consultant Information Mapping Expertise	\$55,330.00	\$55,330.00	Yes	Documentation for the Going to Uni website	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN6347	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	24-Aug-04	No	75341	30-Aug-04	10-Sep-04	Excelarated Consulting Pty Ltd	Excelarated Consulting - extra services	\$1,650.00	\$1,650.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
HIGHER EDUCATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN03156	Consultancy	Conduct review	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	05-Dec-03	N/a	2884	06-Feb-04	30-Jun-04	Gus Guthrie Consulting Pty Ltd	Further Development of the National Protocols for Higher Education Approval Processes	\$60,868.09	\$60,868.09	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5117	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Kennedy Consultants Pty Ltd is currently undertaking a project to expand nursing and related industry pathways for young people entitled the Nursing Targeted Industry Project, including the development of best practice models and case studies. The purpose of the extension is to use these learnings to expand nursing and related industry pathways for young Indigenous people in an effort to increase the	01-Jan-04	Yes	75094	01-Apr-04	24-Dec-04	Kennedy Consultants Pty Ltd	The Nursing Initiative	\$102,300.00	\$68,200.00	Yes	Final Report	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5140	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	02-Feb-04	No	75029	01-Mar-04	07-Apr-04	Australian Strategic Services	Australian Strategic Services - Facilitation and Training	\$13,402.51	\$13,402.51	Yes	Final Report	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a

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INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5146	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	20-May-04	No	75409	30-Nov-04	03-May-05	The Performance Technologies Group	Evaluation of myfuture.edu.au career information service	\$112,938.00	\$20,000.00	Yes	Evaluation of myfuture.edu.au career information service	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5147	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	29-Feb-04	No	75222	16-Jun-04	31-Dec-04	Lantern Consultancy	Contract for preparing draft IESIP evaluation reports 2003	\$14,112.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5154	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	The EEAR project was undertaken by three partners trading as Erebus Consulting Partners (ECP). This project requires the successful tenderer to disseminate the learnings from EEAR and build on the learning to develop an Action Plan. ECP has split with the three companies each being able to claim they have pre-eminent expertise. It is proposed to approach each of the three companies that comprised ECP	01-Mar-04	No	75046	10-May-04	11-Jun-04	Erebus International	Enterprise Education in Schools: Future Directions Project	\$383,790.00	\$383,790.00	Yes	Final Report	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5186	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	11-Mar-04	No	75037	23-Mar-04	30-Jun-04	Morgan Street Public School	Morgan Street Public School - artwork from Indigenous Students	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5187	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	11-Mar-04	No	75039	13-Feb-04	30-Jun-04	Bourke Public School	Bourke Public School - artwork from Indigenous Students	\$1,100.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5188	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	11-Mar-04	No	75041	11-Mar-04	30-Jun-04	Enngonia Public School	Enngonia Public School - artwork from Indigenous Students	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5213	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	10-Apr-04	No	75127	01-Jun-04	30-Sep-04	KPA Consulting Pty Ltd	Quality of Structured Workplace Learning for Vocational Education and Training in Schools	\$156,008.00	\$0.00	Yes	Final report.	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5244	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	15-Apr-04	No	75069	26-May-04	14-Jul-04	Colmar Brunton Social Research	The Real Game Series - Survey of Usage	\$50,412.00	\$24,552.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5261	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	18-Jun-04	No	75250	05-Jul-04	17-Dec-04	Templeton Galt Pty Ltd	Engagement of consultant to support ARMtour Sports Support Program	\$33,000.01	\$17,500.00	Yes	Final Report	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5601	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Project requires specialised expertise in higher education curriculum development & can only be undertaken by a higher education institution or peak body, or a consortium of higher education institutions	29-Jul-04	No	75393	10-Dec-04	29-Apr-05	Victoria University of Technology	Development of a career education elective for students undertaking secondary teaching courses	\$112,722.00	\$30,000.00	Yes	Final Report in relation to Consultancy Contract 02307	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a

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INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5774	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	Urgency and Practicality	The services were required urgently and normal quotation and subsequent selection processes would have been impractical to get the required consultancy underway and completed within the required timeframe	22-Mar-04	No	75188	21-Apr-04	25-Jun-04	Acumen Alliance (ACT) Pty Ltd	Proposed New Transitions System	\$90,090.00	\$71,610.00	Yes	Final	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5994	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	10-Dec-03	No	75292	10-Dec-03	31-Jul-04	NCVER Ltd	Desktop Analysis of Vocational Education and Training Data	\$11,000.00	\$11,000.00	Yes	Employability Skills: Final Report	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN6285	Consultancy	Advice - Strategic	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	21-Jul-04	No	75339	02-Sep-04	24-Sep-04	Swinburne University of Technology	Scenario Planning	\$7,197.12	\$7,197.12	Yes	Final Report	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	BUYIT PRN6286	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	Na	N/a	04-Sep-04	No	75508	04-Jan-05	22-Apr-05	Atelier Learning Solutions Pty Ltd.	Local Community partnerships development and support	\$166,650.00	\$0.00	Yes	Local community partnership development and support	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN01951	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	15-Dec-01	N/a	1692	11-Apr-02	30-Apr-04	Erebus Consulting Partners	Action Research to identify innovative approaches to, & best practice in, Enterp. Educ. in Schools.	\$3,110,800.00	\$373,454.54	Yes	Enterprise Education : Action Research to identify innovative approaches to and best practice in Enterprise Education in Australian Schools.	Yes	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02211	Consultancy	Programme evaluation	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	25-May-02	N/a	2246	17-Oct-02	01-Feb-04	Miles Morgan Australia Pty Ltd	Evaluation and Co-ordination of the Career and Transition and Partnership Outreach Education Model Pilot Programmes	\$562,814.00	\$562,814.00	Yes	A Community Partnerships Resource: Supporting young people through their life, learning and work transitions. Learnings from the CAT and POEM Pilots.	Yes	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02222	Consultancy	Conduct review	Open Tender	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	Curriculum Corporation possesses pre-eminent expertise in relation to The Real Game Series and has demonstrated its capacity to create the necessary relationships with schools, career experts, State and Territory systems and international Real Game partners to the satisfaction of all concerned.	31-May-02	N/a	1830	25-Jun-02	06-Jan-04	Curriculum Corporation	Adaptation and Evaluation of The Play Real Game and The Get Real Game includes contract variation for additional role profile research for The Get Real Game.	\$337,890.46	\$107,170.00	Yes	Evaluation of The Play Real Game and The Get Real Game includes contract variation for additional role profile research for The Get Real Game.	Yes	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02246	Consultancy	Facilitation	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	22-Jun-02	N/a	2149	02-Dec-02	31-Mar-05	National Curriculum Services	Consultancy for What Works Professional Development Package Workshop Project	\$2,164,749.00	\$578,136.36	Yes	The 'What Works' Professional Development Package Workshop	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a

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INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03052	Consultancy	Business advice	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	The supplier has pre-eminent expertise in the field of planning for and managing educational change and experience as a school principal.	20-Mar-03	N/a	2307	31-Mar-03	31-Dec-04	Carlyle Consulting Pty Ltd	Consultancy Services at Worawa Aboriginal College to oversee the operations until the appointment of a new Principal and then to support the new Principal and Board of Management.	\$63,180.00	\$27,750.00	Yes	Final Report in relation to Consultancy Contract 02307	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03193	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	28-May-03	No	2433	28-May-03	30-Sep-04	Ernst & Young	Provision of accounting services to the Department in respect of the Enterprise and Career Education Foundation (ECEP).	\$426,859.00	\$82,553.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03471	Consultancy	Report Development	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	18-Oct-03	N/a	3101	30-Mar-04	30-Jul-04	Allen Consulting Group	Development of a report on a strategy to support the universal recognition of employability skills across schools, VET, higher education and the broader community.	\$110,000.00	\$110,000.00	Yes	Development of a Strategy to support the universal recognition and recording of employability skills	Yes	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03666	Consultancy	Professional advice	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Because of involvement in activities of ECEP and the ability to advise on future directions of Transition Programmes	01-Oct-03	N/a	2834	01-Jan-04	31-Dec-04	Syrmas Consulting	provide professional advice on Transition Programmes	\$151,250.00	\$111,416.48	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03770	Consultancy	Programme implementation	Open Tender	Three Written Quotes	Pre-eminent Expertise	Novated ECEP Contracts	01-Feb-02	N/a	2861	01-Mar-03	30-Sep-04	Centre for Workplace Cultural Change	Novated ECEP Contracts For Industry Engagement Projects	\$278,960.00	\$0.00	Yes	Final Report	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03770	Consultancy	Programme implementation	Open Tender	Three Written Quotes	Pre-eminent Expertise	Novated ECEP Contracts	01-Feb-02	N/a	2862	01-Oct-02	31-Dec-04	Madison Cross Pty Ltd	Novated ECEP Contracts For Industry Engagement Projects	\$200,000.00	\$90,908.45	Yes	Supply Chain Awareness Targeted Industry Project (photocopy only available).	Yes	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03770	Consultancy	Programme implementation	Open Tender	Three Written Quotes	Pre-eminent Expertise	Novated ECEP Contracts	01-Feb-02	N/a	2863	01-Mar-02	31-Mar-04	Kennedy Consultants Pty Ltd	Novated ECEP Contracts For Industry Engagement Projects	\$290,000.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INDIGENOUS AND TRANSITIONS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03777	Consultancy	Materials development	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	02-Jan-04	N/a	2865	16-Feb-04	15-Jun-04	Harris van Beek	Development of a resource package and an analysis of former ECEP Northern and Central projects to facilitate youth transition activity in rural and remote locations in the Northern Territory	\$50,000.00	\$49,630.19	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5012	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	12-Feb-04	No	75047	15-Dec-03	30-Jun-04	Consolve Pty Ltd	Development of ESAS ABSTUDY Database and Reporting for the ABSTUDY Review	\$29,210.00	\$29,200.50	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5105	Consultancy	Advice - Other	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	27-Mar-04	No	75261	01-Sep-04	31-Aug-07	Meta Group Australia Holdings Pty Ltd	Research and Advisory RFT	\$168,300.00	\$56,100.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5105	Consultancy	Advice - Other	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	27-Mar-04	No	75307	01-Jul-04	30-Jun-07	Gartner Australasia Pty Ltd	Research and Advisory RFT	\$354,948.00	\$118,316.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5156	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	03-Mar-04	No	75020	22-Jan-04	30-Apr-04	Clientwise Pty Ltd	ClientWise Survey for Mobile Workforce Strategy	\$11,300.00	\$10,780.00	Yes	DEST Mobile IT Solutions Survey April 2004	Yes	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5192	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	Only available supplier of services and considered the best value for money.	24-Mar-04	No	75166	01-Feb-04	31-Dec-04	Records Solutions Pty Ltd	Records Solutions Implementation of RMU Review Recommendations	\$99,000.00	\$55,643.85	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5225	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	05-Apr-04	No	75054	21-May-04	16-Jul-04	AAS Consulting Pty Ltd	Evaluation of RFT for Managed Data Network Services	\$30,000.00	\$20,707.50	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5284	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 2 Suppliers for Written Quotes	Pre-eminent Expertise	There are only a limited number of consultancies in the market with the experience and resourcing to complete this project within the required time.	15-Mar-04	No	75099	30-Apr-04	30-Jun-04	Betrusted Pty Ltd	Engagement of Consultancy for Enterprise Security Architecture Framework Project	\$110,000.00	\$0.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5422	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	24-Mar-04	No	75098	15-Apr-04	18-May-04	Acumen Alliance (ACT) Pty Ltd	Development of the In-House Business Case for the Internet Gateway Services (IGE).	\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5447	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	05-Apr-04	No	75109	01-Apr-04	15-Jun-04	Creative Interactive Systems Pty Ltd	Service Improvement Program	\$18,810.00	\$17,050.00	Yes	The Integrated Development of a Service Improvement Program	Yes	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN5526	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	20-Apr-04	No	75115	12-May-04	30-Jun-04	Hewlett Packard Australia Pty Ltd	Overall Disaster Recovery Plan	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.01	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN6191	Consultancy	IT - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	27-Jan-04	No	75315	23-Feb-04	31-Aug-04	Fujitsu Australia Limited	2004 - 07 IT Strategic Plan - Consultancy Services	\$8,087.75	\$8,087.75	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	BUYIT PRN6805	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	30-Nov-04	No	75471	23-Nov-04	29-Nov-04	Rosetta Consulting Pty Ltd	Services provided by Rosetta Consulting for the HEIMS Planning Workshop on 23 November 2004.	\$3,196.00	\$3,196.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	PROMISE PRN03407	Consultancy	IT Services - No Panel	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	11-Aug-03	N/a	2729	29-Sep-03	25-Jun-04	APIS Consulting Group	Request for Quote for the provision of consultancy services on IT Portfolio Management.	\$96,188.00	\$90,912.62	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	PROMISE PRN03469	Consultancy	Business advice	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	01-Jul-03	N/a	2695	01-Jul-03	30-Jun-04	Consolve Pty Ltd	Development of the Business Intelligence Improvement Project. BTI Project DEST08 2003/4.	\$64,495.20	\$64,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	PROMISE PRN03688	Consultancy	IT Services - No Panel	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	28-Nov-03	N/a	2828	15-Jan-04	29-Feb-04	AAS Consulting (AASC)	Data Communications Separation Consultancy.	\$39,820.00	\$39,820.00	Yes	Data Communications Separation	Available on request	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	PROMISE PRN03753	Consultancy	Training course development	Verbal Quote	Verbal Quote	N/a	N/a	14-Jan-04	N/a	2854	02-Feb-04	13-Jul-04	Forge Data Solutions	Develop customised training for analysts using BRIO	\$9,240.00	\$6,600.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	PROMISE PRN03760	Consultancy	Business advice	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	12-Jan-04	N/a	2857	27-Jan-04	20-Feb-04	Enterprise Management Solution	Conduct an IT Service Management Assessment of DEST's current IT service capability/maturity	\$15,950.00	\$15,950.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	PROMISE PRN03762	Consultancy	Conduct review	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	01-Jan-04	N/a	2858	30-Jan-04	29-Feb-04	Acumen Alliance	Assistance to undertake a current state review and gap analysis of the Information Management System.	\$46,194.50	\$46,194.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INFORMATION SERVICES GROUP	PROMISE PRN03796	Consultancy	Conduct review	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	07-Jan-04	N/a	2881	24-Feb-04	30-Apr-04	Acumen Alliance	Conduct, 1) a review of the I-RAP Information System, 2) a 2004 Systems' Threat and Risk Assessment and 3) a Gap analysis for DSD certification.	\$99,999.00	\$99,100.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5191	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	06-Apr-04	No	75189	01-Apr-04	30-Jun-04	Morris Walker Pty Ltd	Consultancy services for editing the Report on Australia's Future Using Education Technology	\$19,574.77	\$19,574.77	Yes	Australia's Future Using Education Technology	Available on request	N/a

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INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5404	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	19-Apr-04	No	75071	20-Feb-04	30-Sep-04	Search	Innovation and research Systems Group Recruitment Services	\$13,200.00	\$13,200.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5406	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	19-Apr-04	No	75097	19-Apr-04	30-Sep-04	Search	I&RSG Recruitment Services	\$19,800.00	\$13,200.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5928	Consultancy	Advice - Strategic	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Mr Peter Nissen was selected through an open, competitive, merit selection process which has been signed off by Division Heads in both DEST and DCITA. He has demonstrated his pre-eminent expertise both through the selection process and in his previous work on behalf of the Council of Australian University Directors of IT (CAUDIT) on the HEBAC and ARENAC processes.	05-Mar-04	No	75289	01-Apr-04	30-Sep-05	Australian Vice - Chancellors Committee	Employment of the National Broadband Adviser for Education	\$300,000.00	\$190,832.60	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	BUYIT PRN6215	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	11-Aug-04	No	75322	11-Aug-04	11-Aug-04	Morris Walker Pty Ltd	Consultancy services for editing the Report on Australia's Future Using Education Technology	\$1,622.35	\$1,622.35	Yes	Australia's Future Using Education Technology	Available on request	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	BUYIT PRN6499	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	01-Oct-04	No	75386	14-Oct-04	31-Dec-04	Achieving Results Pty Ltd	One-to-One Training and Coaching Program	\$6,600.00	\$3,300.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	BUYIT PRN6789	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	06-Dec-04	No	75524	19-Jan-05	30-Mar-05	The Allen Consulting Group	Discipline and Cross-Discipline Workshops Relating to the Research Quality Framework	\$27,500.00	\$8,250.00	Yes	Establishing an Australian Research Quality Framework: Summaries of Workshops	Available on request	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03105	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	Professor Gilbert undertook the first stage of this project and he has pre-eminent expertise in this area.	28-Feb-03	Approved by minister on recommendation by department	2377	02-Jun-03	02-Aug-04	James Cook University	The Doctoral Curriculum: Needs and Directions in Research Training - followup study and recommendations for reform	\$121,000.00	\$121,000.00	Yes	The Doctoral Curriculum: Needs and directions in research training	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
INNOVATION AND RESEARCH SYSTEMS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03280	Consultancy	Conduct study	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	21-May-03	N/a	2476	16-Jun-03	30-Jan-04	John Yencken, trading as Karingal Consultants	Produce a study of incentives provided by Go8 and ATN universities to resesarch staff to commercialise the outcomes of their research.	\$30,360.00	\$8,360.00	Yes	Evaluation of incentives for commercialisation of research in Australian universities.	Available on request	N/a
PROCUREMENT, ASSURANCE AND LEGAL GROUP	BUYIT PRN 6133	Consultancy	Advice - Legal	Minimum 1 oral quote	Minimum 1 oral quote	NA	Na	02-Jun-04	No	75298	02-Jun-04	02-Jun-04	Wallace and Wallace	Supply of legal services	\$13,711.58	\$7,253.90	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
PROCUREMENT, ASSURANCE AND LEGAL GROUP	PRN00680	Consultancy	Advice - Legal	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Firms required to have significant Canberra presence. Firms able to provide a full range of services	20-Apr-00	N/a	619	01-Jul-00	30-Jun-05	Clayton Utz	Provision of Legal Service to DEST off Panel Arrangement	\$3,535,344.00	\$1,033,495.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
PROCUREMENT, ASSURANCE AND LEGAL GROUP	PRN00680	Consultancy	Advice - Legal	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Firms required to have significant Canberra presence. Firms able to provide a full range of services	20-Apr-00	N/a	621	01-Jul-00	30-Jun-05	Phillips Fox	Provision of Legal Service to DEST off Panel Arrangement	\$1,428,426.00	\$398,631.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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PROCUREMENT, ASSURANCE AND LEGAL GROUP	PRN03550	Consultancy	Business advice	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	03-Oct-03	N/a	2752	09-Oct-03	02-Jan-04	Travel Management Solutions	Expert advice and assistance with the development of a request for tender for, and procurement of, travel management services	\$14,000.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
PROCUREMENT, ASSURANCE AND LEGAL GROUP	PRN5126	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	Minimum 1 written quote	Minimum 1 written quote	NA	NA	24-Mar-04	No	75056	08-Apr-04	30-Jun-04	Project Outcomes	Provision of Risk Management Training Material	\$34,740.40	\$34,740.20	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
PROCUREMENT, ASSURANCE AND LEGAL GROUP	PRN5668	Consultancy	Advice - Legal	Minimum 1 oral quote	Minimum 1 oral quote	Na	Na	20-May-04	No	75330	04-Mar-04	21-Apr-04	Christopher Erskine	Supply of legal services	\$8,113.00	\$8,113.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
QUESTACON	N/a	Consultancy	Business Advice	Written Quote	Three Written Quotes	N/a	Continuity between DEST and Questacon to facilitate Business Continuity Plan	10-May-04	No	2004/0018M	24-Jun-04	06-Aug-04	Acumen Alliance	Development of Questacon's Business Continuity Plan	\$22,385.00	\$23,146.45	Yes	Questacon Business Continuity Plan (In Draft)	Available on request	N/a
QUESTACON	N/a	Consultancy	Business Advice	Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	01-Aug-04	No	2004/0026L	18-Sep-04	30-Sep-04	Advance FM Pty Ltd	30 Year Asset Renewal Plan	\$21,252.00	\$21,252.00	Yes	30 Year Asset Renewal Plan	Available on request	N/a
QUESTACON	N/a	Consultancy	Business advice	Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	21-Oct-04	No	2004/0031S	26-Oct-04	31-Jan-05	Crispin Richard Hull	Provision of Journalistic and Science Writing Skills	\$9,000.00	\$2,795.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
QUESTACON	N/a	Consultancy	Business advice	Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	02-Nov-04	No	2004/0033S	08-Nov-04	03-Dec-04	Freebody Cogent Pty Ltd	Costing and Forecast Model for Questacon	\$14,000.00	\$7,826.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
QUESTACON	N/a	Consultancy	Business advice	Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	23-Dec-04	No	2005/0037S	20-Jan-05	19-May-05	Shipley Consultants	Assistance with Establishing Enabling Partnerships and Sponsorships for Questacon	\$22,000.00	\$3,765.98	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5108	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	03-May-04	No	75287	01-Dec-04	01-Aug-05	Murdoch University	National Review of School Music Education	\$345,767.00	\$100,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5119	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	15-Nov-03	No	75295	10-Jun-04	28-Apr-06	Australian Council for Education Research Ltd	Third Wave Intervention Strategies for Students with Learning Difficulties	\$867,921.00	\$88,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5163	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Suppliers have pre eminent expertise in skills, knowledge and experience in relation to school education activities, with a focus on evaluating, assessing or reviewing school education initiatives or activities and/ or research into quality teaching issues. Two have been directly involved in AGQTP projects. The preferred consultants offer pre-eminent expertise in relation to the requirements of	16-Jun-04	No	75290	21-Jul-04	31-Dec-04	Atelier Learning Solutions Pty Ltd	Evaluation of the Australian Government Quality Teacher Programme	\$446,235.00	\$446,235.00	Yes	Final Report on the Evaluation of the Australian Government Quality Teacher Programme 1999 to 2004	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5201	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	21-Jan-04	No	75032	11-Mar-04	10-Jun-04	Erebus International	Implementation review of resources developed under the National School Drug Education Strategy	\$60,500.00	\$43,120.00	Yes	Implementation review of resources developed under the NSDES	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a

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SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5202	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	The existing "In Touch" resource was developed and written by the WA Drug and Alcohol Office. The WA Drug and Alcohol Office demonstrate preeminent expertise as writers of the original resource, and show a detailed understanding and extensive experience in developing resource for at risk student in the school setting.	28-Jan-04	No	75048	05-Mar-04	22-Jun-04	State of Western Australia T/A Drug and Alcohol Office, WA	National Adaptation of In Touch : Managing Drug Issues in Schools	\$86,020.00	\$77,418.00	Yes	National Adaptation of In Touch: Managing Drug Issues in Schools - Final Report	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5204	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	17-Jan-04	No	75130	19-Mar-04	10-Jun-04	Open Training And Education Network	National School Drug Education Strategy (NSDES) Parent Initiative	\$518,622.50	\$239,250.00	Yes	National School Drug Education Strategy (NSDES) Parent Initiative - Final Report	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5206	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	OTEN through Richard Arkell, Lois Meyer and Kate Robinson all demonstrate pre-eminent expertise as they have a detailed understanding and extensive experience in school drug education issues and in the development of timely and relevant school drug education resources as demonstrated through their management and participation in the development of the REDI resources. As this resource is to be	05-Jan-04	No	75045	11-Mar-04	28-Jun-04	Open Training And Education Network	REDI Lower Primary School Resources	\$298,270.50	\$178,962.30	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5256	Consultancy	Advice - Other	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	education.au limited operates as a Ministerially owned company providing specialised educational technology expertise and services to the Australian education sector. It has the technical expertise and experience needed to provide the services required by the AICTEC Standards Sub-Committee	11-Nov-03	No	75190	01-Jul-03	30-Sep-04	Education.au Ltd	Secretariat services for AICTEC Standards and Interoperability Committee	\$237,600.00	\$127,600.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a

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SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5303	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	Urgency and Practicality	Given the announcements and timelines relating to the SES Funding Arrangements for Non-government Schools for 2005-08 and briefings for Government, it is crucial that the statistical work should be undertaken in May 2004 and be ongoing during the lead-up to the new quadrennium. Mr Price has relevant experience and is available for the timeframe and his services represent value for money as his contract rate is commensurate	15-Apr-04	No	75103	03-May-04	05-May-05	Victor Price	Compilation and Interpretation of Data for the General Recurrent Grants Programme	\$90,000.00	\$51,246.25	No	N/a	N/a	Vic Price
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5317	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	13-Oct-03	No	75059	28-Nov-03	30-Sep-04	Solved at McConchie Pty Ltd	Issues Paper for the Parent-School Partnerships project	\$19,000.00	\$19,000.00	Yes	Family School Partnerships - Issues Paper	Available on request	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	BUYIT PRN5511	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	04-May-04	No	75150	22-Apr-04	04-Jun-04	RADII Pty Ltd	Statement of generic standards for school reports to parents	\$9,900.00	\$9,900.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PRN00948	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	18-Sep-00	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department	1028	02-Jan-01	30-Jun-03	Edith Cowan University	Investigate the preparation of teachers to teach literacy and numeracy in primary and secondary schools	\$396,351.00	\$247,500.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PRN00957	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Oct-00	Minister approved selection of supplier Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department	1039	02-Jan-01	31-Jul-04	Edith Cowan University	Effective teaching and learning practices leading to improved outcomes in the early years of schooling	\$658,402.00	\$548,669.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN01193	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	03-Mar-01	N/a	1218	20-Jun-01	30-Mar-03	Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd	Investigating Teacher Professional Development and Student Learning Outcomes	\$1,626,130.00	\$0.00	Not yet available. This contract is being varied to extend the contract to May 2005 so that the report can undergo final editing.	To be advised	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN00732	Consultancy	Materials development	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	29-Apr-00	Parliamentary Secretary approved Tender documentation	781	30-Sep-00	30-Mar-04	OTEN - (TAFE NSW)	Drug education information project	\$2,114,556.40	\$2,114,556.40	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN00992	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Sep-00	N/a	1185	31-Jul-01	30-Sep-05	Australian Council for Educational Research Limited (ACER)	Conducting and reporting on research on childrens numeracy in early years	\$535,910.00	\$53,590.00	Yes	Project Good Start	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN01186	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	02-Dec-00	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	1216	10-Jun-01	15-Jun-05	National Curriculum Services	National Quality Teacher Information Exchange	\$1,254,110.00	\$99,502.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN01414	Consultancy	Materials development	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	24-Nov-01	N/a	1810	25-Jun-02	24-Sep-04	Australian Council for Educational Research Limited (ACER)	Resource bank of science education assessment tools for teachers	\$1,091,656.50	\$40,000.00	Yes	Resource bank of Science Education Assessment Tools for Teachers	Not yet complete	N/a

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SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN01828	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Due to the nature and scope of the proposed study, only a limited number of suppliers would have the expertise and capacity to submit a proposal	07-Sep-01	N/a	2192	04-Mar-03	30-Mar-04	Edith Cowan University	Study into Resourcing of Australian Primary Schools - Stage 2	\$202,366.00	\$202,366.00	Yes	Resourcing of Australian Primary Schools	Yes	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN01867	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	26-May-01	N/a	1457	30-Oct-01	12-Jan-04	Australian Council for Educational Research Limited (ACER)	Conduct a preliminary investigation of effective mathematics teaching and learning in Australian secondary schools	\$239,616.94	\$239,616.94	Yes	Investigation of effective mathematics teaching and learning in Australian secondary schools	Yes	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN01964	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	26-Jan-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2033	27-Aug-02	30-Sep-04	RMIT (Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology) University - Multimedia Database Systems	Project to investigate improving literacy and numeracy outcomes of distance education students in the early years of schooling	\$468,772.00	\$50,000.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02299	Consultancy	Public Relation Services	GCU Panel Arrangement Used	GCU Panel Arrangement Used	Pre-eminent Expertise	The successful tenderer requires expertise and skills in managing large scale events and promotional activities. The list of companies supplied by the Government Communications Unit have demonstrated success in the areas of activity required for National Literacy and Numeracy Week	02-May-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department	1958	04-Jul-02	31-Oct-04	Horizon PR	Develop, coordinate & manage a communication strategy, an awards ceremony and sponsorship for National Literacy & Numeracy Week 2002, 2003 and 2004	\$797,133.00	\$326,179.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02380	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Select Tender	Sole Supplier	Government and non-government and education authorities effectively constitute the sole service providers in the field of numeracy education for students targeted by this initiative	29-Jun-00	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	1840	16-Feb-01	31-Jan-04	NSW Dept of Education & Training/Catholic Education Commission NSW/Assoc of Independent Schools NSW	Conduct research and development on improving the numeracy outcomes for primary school children	\$1,570,976.00	\$35,858.00	Yes	Primary Numeracy Research Project Report	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02380	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Select Tender	Sole Supplier	Government and non-government and education authorities effectively constitute the sole service providers in the field of numeracy education for students targeted by this initiative	29-Jun-00	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2234	04-Feb-03	30-Jun-05	NT DEET /Catholic Education Commission NT/Association of Independent Schools NT	Strategic state and regional research and development projects in identified priority areas for numeracy education	\$250,712.00	\$110,000.00	Yes	Primary Numeracy Research Project Report NT	Not yet complete	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02576	Consultancy	Statistical analysis	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	05-Sep-02	N/a	2079	30-Oct-02	30-Jun-04	Direction Group Pty Ltd	Recalculation of the SES Index for the Funding of Non-government Schools for the Quadrennium 2005-08	\$89,817.00	\$0.00	Yes	To be advised	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2371	24-Apr-03	01-May-04	Murdoch University	Innovative Projects Round 2 - Making Connections to Promote Early Literacy	\$44,000.00	\$8,800.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a

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SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2387	30-Apr-03	01-May-04	Deakin University	Scaffolding Literacy in the Middle Years of Schooling	\$43,104.00	\$8,800.00	Yes	Scaffolding Literacy in Middle Years of Schooling	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2388	30-Apr-03	31-May-04	Monash University	Research into an Intervention Strategy in Literacy and Numeracy in Early Childhood	\$43,105.00	\$8,800.00	Yes	Research into an Intervention Strategy in Literacy and Numeracy in Early Childhood	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2400	08-May-03	31-Mar-04	University of Melbourne	Literacy Intervention: Extending the Evidence Base for Determining Effective Options	\$43,345.00	\$8,669.00	Yes	Literacy Intervention Extending the Evidence Base for Determining Effective Options	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2545	16-May-03	31-Mar-04	University of Newcastle	Innovative Projects Round 2 Developing Boys Literacy Through Community Literacy Project	\$44,000.00	\$8,800.00	Yes	Developing Boys' Literacy Through Community Literacy	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2546	23-May-03	31-May-04	Murdoch Children's Research Institute	Mouse Driven Literacy	\$44,000.00	\$16,600.00	Yes	Mouse Driven Literacy - A study supporting literacy in communities.	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2548	01-May-03	30-Sep-04	Charles Darwin University (previously Northern Territory University)	Discontinuities in literacy and numeracy practices between indigenous community schooling and urban high schools.	\$39,959.00	\$23,976.00	Yes	Discontinuities in literacy and numeracy practices between Indigenous community schooling and urban high schools	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2551	01-May-03	30-Jan-04	Worklinks Group (Brisbane North West) Inc	Worklinks WIN Programme: Worklinks Industry Focussed Numeracy Project	\$44,000.00	\$8,000.00	Yes	To be advised.	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2552	22-May-03	30-Apr-04	Queensland University of Technology	Training indigenous teachers	\$43,228.00	\$15,720.00	Yes	To be advised.	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02605	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	16-Aug-02	Funding approved by Minister on recommendation by Department.	2662	01-Aug-03	30-Jun-04	Murdoch University	Using Action Learning Principles to Inform and Improve Students Progress in Developing Numeracy Skills	\$44,000.00	\$8,000.00	Yes	to be advised	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02714	Consultancy	Conduct review	Three Written Quotes	Select Tender - approached more than 3 suppliers	N/a	N/a	27-Jan-03	N/a	2393	17-Jun-03	09-Jan-04	Australian Catholic University	Evaluation of the National Trial of the IDEAS Project	\$84,779.00	\$16,955.00	Yes	Evaluation of the National Trial of the IDEAS Project	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02797	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	15-Feb-03	N/a	2520	25-Jul-03	30-Jan-04	Erebus Consulting Group	Identification of Best practice Approaches to Transfer of Student Data Project	\$190,300.00	\$190,300.00	Yes	Identification of Best Practice Approaches to Transfer Student Data	Yes	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN02799	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	15-Feb-03	N/a	2518	25-Jul-03	21-Mar-04	Oz Child Children Australia	Student Mobility - identify, document and disseminate best practice approaches to help students adjust to new schools	\$143,077.00	\$100,154.00	Yes	Identify, document & disseminate Best Practice approaches to help students adjust to new schools	Yes	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03127	Consultancy	Statistics	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Urgency and Practicality	Urgent requirement for specialist skills	07-Apr-03	N/a	2352	05-May-03	29-Apr-04	Mr Victor Price	Compilation and Interpretation of Data for the General Recurrent Grants Programme	\$80,000.00	\$60,431.85	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03129	Consultancy	Materials development	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Expression of interest process was undertaken to identify suppliers with technical and/or professional expertise to develop and provide the services required.	24-Apr-03	N/a	2848	18-Mar-04	31-Mar-06	Monash University	Early Childhood Learning Resources	\$947,397.00	\$102,489.00	Yes	Early Childhood Learning Resources	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03153	Consultancy	Consultancy	Three Written Quotes	One written quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	This project was proposed by a consortium of the peak Australian principal groups for each education sector. Peak principal representatives are the pre-eminent experts to determine the key features of a national approach to meeting their needs. The development of the scoping paper on such approaches would flow directly from previous development work already conducted by these groups. These groups also have well	02-May-03	N/a	2418	18-Jun-03	12-Sep-03	Australian Secondary Principals Association	The preparation of a scoping paper on a national institute for school leaders	\$82,500.00	\$11,000.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03176	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	14-Jun-03	N/a	2886	30-Jan-04	30-Dec-05	University of Canberra	Conduct research on ways to improve the learning outcomes of students with disabilities in mainstream classes in the early, middle and post-compulsory years of schooling.	\$367,042.00	\$148,500.00	Yes	Inclusive Classroom Practices for Students with Disabilities in Mainstream Classes	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03239	Consultancy	Facilitation	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	It can be demonstrated that the supplier is clearly superior in terms of expertise, capacity and value for money	30-May-03	N/a	2474	01-Jul-03	30-Jun-05	Independent Schools Council of Australia	Supporting the Independent Schools sector in activities associated with the National Measurement Advisory Group (NMAG)	\$19,800.00	\$13,200.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03340	Consultancy	Conduct research	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	03-Sep-02	Approved by minister on recommendation by department	2652	20-Jan-03	20-Jan-04	Speld NSW Inc.	To develop a Literacy Skills package aimed at classroom teachers of primary students with specific learning difficulties.	\$16,500.00	\$2,200.00	Yes	The SPELD Literacy Skills Package	Available on request	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03389	Consultancy	Independent advice	Three Written Quotes	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	02-Aug-03	N/a	2760	31-Oct-03	30-Jun-04	Gai Sheridan International Pty Ltd	Consultancy services to review the Gender Equity Framework	\$102,805.00	\$102,805.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03428	Consultancy	Policy development	Open Tender	Select Tender	Urgency and Practicality	Insufficient time to complete a full open tender process	03-Sep-03	N/a	2779	13-Nov-03	28-May-04	The Allen Consulting Group	Consultation for the establishment of a National Institute for Quality Teaching and School Leadership	\$540,960.00	\$482,088.46	Yes	Implementation strategy for the establishment of a National Institute for Quality Teaching and School	Yes	N/a

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SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03635	Consultancy	Materials development	Open Tender	Select Tender	Urgency and Practicality	Both the National Advisory Committee on School Drug Education and State/Territory program managers strongly support this project and have stressed the importance of having the video/DVD to support the implementation and promote uptake of the Principles. It is critical that the project be undertaken immediately to enable the video/DVD and poster to be distributed to	07-Nov-03	N/a	2812	15-Dec-03	11-Jun-04	NSW Technical and Further Education Open Training and Education Network	Development of Resources to Support the Implementation of the Revised Principles for School Drug Education 2003	\$150,747.00	\$150,747.00	Yes	Final Report on the Development of Resources to Support the Implementation of the Revised Principles	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03667	Consultancy	Materials development	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	12-Dec-03	N/a	2846	26-Jan-04	31-May-04	OTEN - (TAFE NSW)	This project is to provide lecturers with the information, skills and approaches to support student teachers exploring and enriching their understanding of drug education.	\$138,415.20	\$96,890.64	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCHOOLS GROUP	PROMISE PRN03798	Consultancy	Training Material Development*	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	The existing In Touch resource was developed and written by the WA Drug and Alcohol Office. They demonstrate pre-eminent expertise as writers of the original resource, and show a detailed understanding and extensive experience in developing resources for at risk students in the school setting.	22-Dec-03	N/a	2882	01-Mar-04	22-Jun-04	Drug and Alcohol Office, Western Australia	Adaptation of the Western Australian 'In Touch: Managing Drug Use Issues in Schools' resource for national use to address the needs of at risk students	\$86,020.00	\$86,020.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN5459	Consultancy	Research consultancy	Three Written Quotes	Approached 5 suppliers for written quotes	N/a	N/a	25-May-04	No	75293	09-Aug-04	01-Mar-05	The Allen Consulting Group Pty Ltd	Research and Innovation Investment in the Asia-Pacific Region	\$77,660.00	\$38,830.00	Yes	The Role of Science and Technology Parks in Asia's Economic Growth	Not yet complete	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN5330	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Services	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a			75253	01-Mar-04	30-Jun-04	Bureau of Rural Sciences	MOU between DEST and BRS for geological/hydrogeological studies at the national repository Site 40a	\$72,149.00	\$72,149.00	Yes	Seismic Survey at Site 40a	Available on request	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN5408	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Services	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	16-Apr-04		75095	27-Apr-04	30-Jun-04	Parsons Brinckerhoff	Development of Operational Procedures for the National Repository	\$27,313.00	\$10,706.85	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN5547	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	06-May-04	No	75119	22-Apr-04	30-Jun-04	Southside Technical Services Pty Ltd	Provision of scientific services in regard to the national repository and the national store	\$30,000.00	\$19,360.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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SCIENCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN5680	Consultancy	Advice - Other	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	25-May-04	No	75255	01-Jul-04	30-Jun-05	Southside Technical Services Pty Ltd T/A SouthTech Personnel	Provision of scientific and technical advice to DEST on the Commonwealth radioactive waste facility	\$66,000.00	\$8,987.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN6054	Consultancy	Promotional Material Development Consultancies	One Written Quote	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	09-Jul-04	No	75309	02-Aug-04	30-Sep-04	NRS Group Pty Ltd	Provision of Media Production Specialist Services	\$30,690.00	\$37,567.77	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN6356	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	30-Aug-04	Yes	75343	06-Sep-04	30-Sep-04	Science In Public	Media consultation for the 2004 Prime Minister's Prizes for Science Awards	\$11,880.00	\$11,880.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYIT PRN6387	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	12-Oct-04	No	75396	12-Oct-04	30-Jun-05	T4-Protective Security	Protective security advice regarding storage of radioactive waste	\$9,500.00	\$7,389.90	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYITPRN5252	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Services	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	06-Apr-04	No	75043	06-Apr-04	07-May-04	Huonbrook Environment and Heritage	Geomorphology Study: National Radioactive Waste Repository	\$12,000.00	\$11,839.06	Yes	A geomorphology assessment of the national radioactive waste repository site 40a South Australia	Available on request	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	BUYITPRN7733	Consultancy	Research consultancy	One written quote	Three written quotes sought	N/a	N/a	05-May-04	N/a	5765	09-Jun-04	24-Dec-04	Australian Centre for Innovation and International Competitiveness	Research the impediments to Australian involvement in the European Union's Framework Programmes for research and Technological Development	\$49,500.00	\$49,500.00	Yes	Australian involvement in the European Union's Framework Program for Research and Technological Development	Yes	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN02110	Consultancy	Business advice	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	18-Oct-94	Minister approved selection of supplier on advice of Department	1702	18-Oct-94	31-Dec-04	GHD Pty Ltd	Engineering and Maralinga rehabilitation project management services	\$12,692,384.00	\$4,719.55	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN02112	Consultancy	Business advice	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	15-Sep-00	N/a	1724	02-Nov-00	30-Jun-05	GHD Pty Ltd	Project management of the National Radioactive Waste Repository project	\$2,566,975.00	\$914,343.73	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN02328	Consultancy	Data analysis	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	13-Jul-02	N/a	2060	15-Oct-02	31-Dec-05	Parsons Brinckerhoff	Scientific consultancy services to the National Store Project	\$286,308.85	\$27,999.40	Yes	National Store Project - site suitability analysis	Not yet complete	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN02398	Consultancy	Independent advice	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	The supplier has unique skills and corporate knowledge of the National Repository Project	19-Jul-02	N/a	1859	01-Aug-02	30-Jun-04	Keith Lokan	Technical advice on National Repository	\$22,000.00	\$3,336.25	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN02656	Consultancy	Methodology development	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Sole Supplier	Sole supplier - the task requires very specialised skills in radiation health physics analyses	02-Sep-02	N/a	2074	21-Oct-02	30-Jun-04	Kellogg Brown & Root Pty Ltd	Prepare a health physics strategy for the national repository	\$181,718.00	\$81,829.00	Yes	Health physics strategies & procedures for ARPANSA license	Provided to Senate Estimates	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN02901	Consultancy	Business advice	Three Written Quotes	Select Tender	N/a	N/a	09-Sep-02	N/a	2247	06-Feb-03	31-Dec-05	ARPANSA	Provide radiological services in relation to the Maralinga Rehabilitation project	\$250,000.00	\$20,790.00	Yes	Radiological Monitoring of Maralinga	Not yet complete	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN03643	Consultancy	Independent advice	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	27-Nov-03	N/a	2798	05-Dec-03	01-Mar-04	Australian Valuation Office	Valuation of the site and access route for the national repository	\$49,500.00	\$45,553.00	Yes	Valuation of the site and access route for the national repository	Available on request	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN03656	Consultancy	Professional advice	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	02-Dec-03	N/a	2813	08-Dec-03	30-Jun-04	Parsons Brinckerhoff Australia Pty Ltd	Provision of technical information and advice in relation to the ARPANSA licence application for the national repository.	\$45,100.00	\$40,764.60	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN03706	Consultancy	Conduct conference	Three Written Quotes	Three Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	01-Sep-03	N/a	2898	05-Mar-04	04-Mar-05	Australian Trade Commission (AusTrade)	Showcase for ExpoMin April 2004	\$107,224.00		No	N/a	N/a	N/a
SCIENCE GROUP	PROMISE PRN03780	Consultancy	Programme Delivery	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Sole Supplier	See documentation	01-Jan-04	N/a	2899	05-Mar-04	17-Feb-05	Environment Business Australia	Showcasing services associated with Enviro 2004	\$81,400.00		No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STATE OFFICES	PROMISE PRN03732	Consultancy	Conduct Audit	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	01-Jan-04	N/a	2842	13-Dec-03	31-Jan-04	Sunshine Orange	Audit of Administrative and Financial Practices of Mirriwinni Gardens Aboriginal Academy, Giiguy Gamambi Preschool and Gumbaynigirr Preschool	\$16,500.00	\$16,500.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STATE OFFICES	PROMISE PRN3513	Consultancy	operational and financial feasibility study	One Written quote	4 written quotes	N/a	N/a	03-Sep-03	Yes	2914	26-Sep-03	30-Apr-04	RSM Bird Cameron	Undertake an independent feasibility/sustainability study to examine the viability of expansion proposals by the Clontarf Football Academy	\$19,662.50 (increased in 2004 from initial contract sum of \$16,500 as further work was required)	\$7,287.50	Yes	Feasibility/Sustainability Study for the Clontarf Foundation Inc	Available on request	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5273	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	06-May-04	No	75148	01-Jul-04	13-Aug-04	Quantitative Evaluation & Design Pty Ltd	Calculation of 2003 Year 12 Completions by Socio-Economic Status and Home Location	\$9,425.00	\$9,240.00	Yes	2003 Year 12 Completion Rates by 2001 Census geographic classifications and SEIFA	Available on request	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5278	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	28-May-04	Yes	75196	01-Jun-04	30-Nov-04	Australian National University	Impact of education and training on welfare recipients - a study using LSAY data	\$33,000.00	\$22,000.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5359	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Sole Supplier	This purchase request does not require any tender process as it involves the transfer of a pre-existing contract from ECEF to DEST. Melbourne University completed the first 2 stages of this project.	07-Apr-04	No	75209	28-Aug-03	30-Jun-04	University of Melbourne	Young Visions Phase 3	\$170,458.15	\$170,458.20	Yes	Young Visions 2003: A follow up study of Young Visions participations and their destinations one year later.	Yes	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5450	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	31-Jul-03	No	75116	12-Aug-03	31-May-04	University of Sydney	Graduate Destination Survey - Testing of survey questions	\$21,000.00	\$21,000.00	Yes	Graduate Destination Survey - Results of Survey Testing Exercise	Available on request	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5454	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	24-Jan-04	No	75104	28-Apr-04	30-Jun-04	The Social Research Centre Pty Ltd	Survey of Long Term New Apprenticeship Outcomes	\$146,878.00	\$146,878.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5545	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	30-Mar-04	No	75210	08-Jun-04	17-Dec-04	KPA Consulting Pty Ltd	Focus groups with parents and interviews with senior staff at high demand government schools	\$99,770.00	\$69,885.00	Yes	High Demand Government Schools - Interviews and Focus Groups	Awaiting third party consultation	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5555	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	26-May-04	No	75262	19-Jul-04	31-Mar-05	Acumen Alliance (ACT) Pty Ltd	2004 Survey of Independent Schools	\$35,750.00	\$17,875.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5581	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	Urgency and Practicality	Extension and update of previous work done by this supplier (Access Economics).	03-May-04	No	75159	05-May-04	30-Jun-04	Access Economics Pty Ltd	Future demand for vocational education and training - proposal by Access Economics Pty Ltd	\$39,237.00	\$39,237.00	Yes	Future demand for Vocational Education and Training. Report by Access Economics Pty Ltd for Department of Education, Science and Training	Available on request	N/a

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STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5641	Consultancy	Training - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	10-Mar-04	No	75174	29-Mar-04	29-Mar-04	Palm Consulting Group Pty Ltd	Palm Consultancy Group	\$13,420.00	\$13,420.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5885	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	02-Jun-04	No	75216	16-Jun-04	30-Jun-04	Health Futures Pty Ltd	Good Health, Great Future Program to be run in Economic Analysis, Growth and Evaluation Branch	\$9,000.00	\$7,012.50	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5896	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	19-May-04	No	75230	06-Jun-04	30-Nov-04	Howard Partners Pty Ltd	Measuring the full impact of research commercialisation	\$69,300.00	\$69,300.00	Yes	The Emerging Business of Knowledge Transfer: Creating Value from Intellectual Products and Services	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5900	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	19-May-04	No	75225	10-Jun-04	30-Sep-04	The Allen Consulting Group Pty Ltd	Return on investment of publicly funded research	\$86,625.00	\$86,625.00	Yes	Measuring the impact of publicly funded research	Available on request	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5929	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	This research project will involve at least ten in-depth case studies in teaching practices in schools which have been proven effective in motivating and engaging boys, and improving boys' academic and social outcomes. This requires specialist expertise as well as high level of resourcing and infrastructure to complete within the time frame and to the quality required.	14-Oct-04	No	75449	23-Dec-04	30-Jun-05	University of Western Sydney	Motivation and engagement of boys: evidence-based teaching practices for boys	\$338,234.00	\$4,871.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN5965	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	16-Jun-04	No	75246	17-Jun-04	14-Apr-05	Micro Training	Update the 'Atlas of Higher Education: A Community Focus'	\$27,500.00	\$13,750.00	Yes	Update: Atlas of Higher Education. A community focus	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN6342	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	Three Written Quotes	Approach a Minimum of 3 Suppliers for Written Quotes	N/a	N/a	29-Sep-04	Yes	75493	15-Dec-04	16-Apr-05	Access Economics Pty Ltd	Review of higher education performance indicators	\$76,071.60	\$0.00	Yes	Review of Higher Education Performance Indicators	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN6519	Consultancy	Research Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	01-Oct-04	No	75388	01-Oct-04	31-Mar-05	Quantitative Evaluation & Design Pty Ltd	Data analyst for LLNP evaluation	\$49,000.00	\$39,600.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN6559	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	17-Sep-04	No	75451	17-Sep-04	17-Sep-04	TMP/Hudson Global Resources Australia Pty Ltd	Contract Buyout- APS 4 Personal Assistant	\$5,042.85	\$5,042.84	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN6848	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	06-Dec-04	No	75487	17-Dec-04	30-Jun-05	Informed Sources Pty Ltd	Contract cataloguer	\$5,500.00	\$2,358.64	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	BUYIT PRN7045	Consultancy	HR - Other Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	31-Jan-05	No	75538	04-Feb-05	31-Mar-05	Lynn Farkas Info Services Pty Ltd	Writing meta data for electronic publications for the new DEST Corporate website	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a

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STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN01130	Consultancy	Programme Delivery	Open Tender	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	The supplier is the only company capable of providing this service and they conducted the first cycle of PISA satisfactorily	11-Dec-00	Approved by minister on recommendation by department	1191	14-Jun-02	30-Dec-04	Australian Council for Education Research	Provision of a National Project Manager for the OECD Programme for International Student Assessment (Second Cycle- PISA 2003)	\$1,588,621.00	\$199,700.00	Yes	3 Reports: Learning for tomorrows world, First Results from PISA 2003, Volume 1 of the OECDs international report on PISA 2003; "Facing the future: A focus on mathematical literacy among Australian 15 year-old students in PISA 2003", the Australian national report based on the OECD Programme For International Student Assessment;	Yes	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN01345	Consultancy	Statistical analysis	Open Tender	Three Written Quotes	Pre-eminent Expertise	There are a limited number of organisations with the experience in data collection and analysis and have the capacity to undertake a project of the size and type as the NIPC	26-Mar-01	N/a	1311	01-Aug-01	30-Jun-04	Data Analysis Australia	Conduct of the National Indigenous Preschool Census, involving extensive Data collection and statistical analysis	\$191,780.00	\$166,624.33	Yes	Report on the National Indigenous Pre School census	Available on request	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN01710	Consultancy	Conduct study	Open Tender	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	TIMSS studies are managed internationally by the IEA. ACER is the organisation appointed by the IEA for Australia. ACER has successfully conducted 2 other TIMSS studies in Australia in a very satisfactory manner.	11-Oct-00	N/a	1661	12-Jun-02	30-Oct-04	Australian Council for Educational Research Limited (ACER)	Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study 2003 (TIMSS 2003)	\$910,121.00	\$169,923.60	Yes	Summing it up: Mathematics achievement in Australian schools in TIMSS 2002 Year 8 students; and Examining the Evidence: Science achievement in Australian schools in TIMSS 2002	Yes	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN02725	Consultancy	Conduct research	Open Tender	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	No other organisation or individual has the capability of performing the full range of contract requirements	14-Nov-02	N/a	2335	18-Jun-03	31-Dec-05	Australian Council for Educational Research Limited	To produce and disseminate survey findings and research results from the Longitudinal Surveys of Australian Youth.	\$1,550,577.00	\$589,569.00	Yes	There will be a number of reports produced under this contract.	Awaiting Departmental Clearance	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN02925	Consultancy	Contract Management*	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	05-Apr-03	N/a	2480	11-Jun-03	30-Apr-04	Swinburne University of Technology	Furthering Success: Strategies for improving the participation of disadvantaged mature aged workers in accredited training and their transition to employment.	\$228,140.00	\$85,140.00	Yes	Furthering Success: Strategies for Improving the Participation of Disadvantaged Mature Aged Workers	Yes	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN02940	Consultancy	Conduct research	Three Written Quotes	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	05-Mar-03	N/a	2637	12-Sep-03	31-Aug-04	Curtin University	Longitudinal Surveys of Australian Youth - Analysis Grants	\$15,338.00	\$13,805.00	Yes	Assessing the value of additional years of schooling for the non-academically inclined	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN02940	Consultancy	Conduct research	Three Written Quotes	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	05-Mar-03	N/a	2664	15-Aug-03	31-Mar-04	University of Sydney	Longitudinal Surveys of Australian Youth - Analysis Grants	\$17,192.00	\$8,606.00	Yes	Employer provided training in the Australian youth labour market	Not yet complete	N/a

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STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN02974	Consultancy	Conduct research	One Written Quote	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	13-Aug-03	N/a	2792	17-Dec-03	31-May-05	Melbourne University Private Ltd	Development of Schooling Issues Digest No.6 Student Motivation and Engagement.	\$27,096.76	\$10,838.40	Yes	Schooling Issues Digest No 6: Student motivation and engagement	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN03149	Consultancy	Conduct survey	Three Written Quotes	One Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	The selected consultant has successfully completed the survey since 1997 and has now set up an online response process	29-Apr-03	N/a	2910	01-Jun-03	31-Mar-04	Acumen Alliance	Conduct 2003 Survey of Independent Schools	\$32,450.00	\$16,225.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN03261	Consultancy	Conduct study	Open Tender	Select Tender	Pre-eminent Expertise	Specialised technical skills and organisational resources required in education assessment, measurement and analysis. There are very few organisations in Australia with this capability.	21-Nov-04	Minister approved proposal and funding on advice of department	N/a	01-Aug-04	01-Dec-09	Australian Council for Educational Research Limited (ACER)	Provision of a National Project Manager for the OECD Programme for International Student Assessment (Third Cycle-PISA 2006)	\$1,661,385.00	\$140,030.00	Yes	To be advised	Not yet complete	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN03521	Consultancy	Conduct survey	Open Tender	Open Tender	N/a	N/a	11-Oct-03	N/a	2789	09-Dec-03	30-Nov-04	The Social Research Centre Pty Ltd	Survey of New Apprenticeship Outcomes	\$242,735.00	\$216,604.18	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
STRATEGIC, ANALYSIS & EVALUATION GROUP	PROMISE PRN03739	Consultancy	Conduct research	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	27-Jan-04	N/a	2900	26-Feb-04	30-Apr-04	National Centre for Vocational Education Research Ltd	Conduct Research for a literature review of New Apprenticeships and desk-top analysis on trends in Government and industry expenditure on New Apprenticeships	\$33,550.00	\$33,550.00	Yes	Literature review of New Apprenticeships and desk-top analysis on trends in Government and industry	Not yet complete	N/a
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	BUYIT PRN5449	Consultancy	Advice - Business	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	Pre-eminent Expertise	Max Shanahan & Associates has significant expertise with the business practices and IT systems of New Apprenticeships Centres	06-Feb-04	No	75122	08-Mar-04	26-Mar-04	Max Shanahan & Associates Pty Ltd	IT Review of ABEN New Apprenticeships Centre	\$11,825.00	\$11,825.00	Yes	A Review of ABEN's system for administrating new apprenticeships and its interface iwth TYIMS	Available on request	N/a
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	BUYIT PRN5888	Consultancy	Promotional Material Development Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	09-Jun-04	No	75203	04-Jun-04	30-Jun-04	Sean Booth	Design and construction of Minister's Awards	\$9,800.00	\$9,800.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	BUYIT PRN5963	Consultancy	Advice - Other	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	31-May-04	No	75243	31-May-04	30-Jun-04	Noel Arnold & Associated Pty Ltd	OH&S advice for filming television campaign	\$2,062.50	\$2,062.50	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	BUYIT PRN5981	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	OneWritten Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	21-Jun-04	No	75310	22-Jun-04	30-Sep-04	The Social Research Centre Pty Ltd	Targeted Monitoring Survey Tool	\$35,940.00	\$25,158.00	No	N/a	N/a	N/a
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	BUYIT PRN6306	Consultancy	Promotional Material Development Consultancies	One Written Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	06-Jul-04	No	75334	19-Aug-04	30-Nov-04	Wordwallah	Job Guide 2005 National Skills Shortages Strategy (NSSS)	\$30,778.00	\$30,778.00	Yes	Job Guide Insert	Available on request	N/a
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	BUYIT PRN6348	Consultancy	Audit Services - IT	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Written Quote	N/a	N/a	27-Aug-04	No	75340	30-Aug-04	29-Oct-04	Max Shanahan & Associates Pty Ltd	TYIMS Operations and Governance Review	\$9,900.00	\$9,900.00	Yes	TYIMS Operations and Governance Review.	Available on request	N/a
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	BUYIT PRN6517	Consultancy	Programme and Policy - Consultancies	One Oral Quote	Minimum of 1 Oral Quote	N/a	N/a	24-Sep-04	No	75384	11-Oct-04	30-Nov-04	Max Shanahan & Associates Pty Ltd	Review of the impact of NAC e-lodgement of Training Contracts with the STA for South Australia	\$8,377.03	\$8,377.03	Yes	Review of the impact of NAC e-lodgement of Training Contracts with the STA for South Australia	Available on request	N/a

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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING GROUP	PROMISE PRN03661	Consultancy	Conduct review	One Written Quote	One Written Quote	N/a	N/a	19-Nov-03	N/a	2819	05-Dec-03	30-Jun-04	Max Shanahan & Associates	Review of the impact of NAC elodgement of Training Contracts with the STA via the TYIMS training contract module	\$35,000.00	\$25,327.50	Yes	Review of the impact of NAC elodgement of Training Contracts with the STA via the TYIMS training con	Available on request	N/a