

**EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING**

**SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE – QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
2003-2004 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING**

**Outcome:** CSIRO  
**Output Group:** CSIRO

**DEST Question No. E195\_04**

Senator Carr asked on 4 June 2003.

**Question:**

- (a) How much work did this firm (Taylor Brothers) undertake?
- (b) What was the total value of this work? What was the value of each item?
- (c) How much of this work was put out to tender?
- (d) How much of this work was won by tender?

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*Southern Surveyor – refurbishment – Taylor Brothers*

- (a) Taylor Brothers undertook \$1.0M work on the Southern Surveyor conversion (see question E194\_04).
- (b) Table 2 (question E194\_04), outlines how much Taylor Brothers were paid on each item.
- (c) None of the CSIRO projects on which Taylor Brothers were engaged was put out to tender.
- (d) None of the CSIRO projects on which Taylor Brothers were engaged was won by tender.