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Fact Sheet Distribution

Senator ABETZ: I am sure it is an impressive email list, but it would not have too many subcontractors on it, would it? Mr Johns: I would have to take that on notice.

Answer

The Office of the Australian Building and Construction Commissioner has provided the following response:

Persons registering for the database are not required to specify information that would allow the ABCC to identify whether or not they may be subcontractors.

As such, we are not able to state the number of subcontractors that are on the distribution list.