

Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

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Department of Finance and Deregulation

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Senator Coonan asked:

Is it common practice for agencies or departments to engage consultants to perform work of this type [branding, naming and logo designs]?

Answer:

Finance does not hold the information that would allow us to respond to the question with any precision. If costings are provided to Finance that include branding, naming or logo design components, they are assessed taking account of the information relevant to the individual proposal.