

**Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio**

**Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet**

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**Question: PM17**

**Outcome 1, Output 5**

**Topic: Report of Internal Audit Review of 2020 contracts**

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**Mr Mrdak-Following that estimates hearing, we initiated-through the department's audit committee, which I chair-an internal audit review of all of our 2020 contracts. That was undertaken by Acumen Alliance, our internal audit contractor-now renamed Oakton, following some recent corporate restructuring. That report was received in June this year and has been provided to the audit committee....**

**Senator FIERRAVANTI-WELLS-Are we going to get a copy of this?**

**Mr Mrdak-I am happy to take that on notice.**

**Answer: The report *2020 Procurement Compliance Review* undertaken by the Department's internal audit service provider, Oakton (formerly Acumen Alliance), has been provided to the Australian National Audit Office for consideration in its performance review of the Department's contract with CMAX.**