

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

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Question: PM86

Asked By: Senator Abetz

Topic: INTANDEM services

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Did the Department engage the services of 'INTANDEM' to supply:

- a) **public relations services**
- b) **promotional material in the last 24 months:**

if so, for each instance:

- i. **what services**
- ii. **who requested these services**
- iii. **what did they cost?**

Answer:

The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet currently has a deed of standing offer with Intandem Holdings Pty Ltd in relation to the provision of government gifts for official presentation.

The service Intandem provide is to identify and supply a range of quality Australian manufactured, crafted and designed gifts sourced throughout Australia in a range of media, prices and sizes, which are suitable for presentation as official gifts by the Governor-General, the Prime Minister, Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and official Parliamentary Delegations.

The total cost for financial year 2008-09 was \$256,245 and \$223,573 in 2009-10.