

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

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**Department/Agency:** Australian Sports Commission

**Outcome/Program:**

**Topic:** Consultancies

**Senator:** Senator Ryan

**Question reference number:** 137S

**Type of question:** Written

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**Question:**

1. How many consultancies were undertaken in 2010-11? Identify the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement, and the method of procurement (ie. open tender, direct source, etc). Also include total value for all consultancies.
2. Were there any changes to any of the portfolio's tenders in 2010-11? Detail any changes
3. How many consultancies have been undertaken or are underway this FYTD? Identify the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement, and the method of procurement (ie. open tender, direct source, etc). Also include total value for all consultancies.
4. Does each department and agency stand by its current tenders on the AusTenders website? Have any changes or corrections been made for any tenders advertised on to Government Tenders website([www.tenders.gov.au](http://www.tenders.gov.au)) for tenders advertised this financial year? Explain. Are up to date with reporting requirements?
5. How many consultancies are planned for this calendar year? Have these been published in your Annual Procurement Plan (APP) on the AusTender website and if not why not? In each case please identify the subject matter, duration, cost and method of procurement as above, and the name of the consultant if known.

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**Answer:**

1. The number of consultancies in 2010-11 was 44 with a total cost of \$1.743million. The total estimated value for all consultancies over the life of the service was \$1.950m. The details are as follows:

<b>Consultancies Summary For QON 137-Q1 2010-11</b>								
<b>No</b>	<b>Name of Consultant</b>	<b>Subject Matter</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Division</b>	<b>Procurement Method</b>	<b>Jul - Dec 2010 \$</b>	<b>Jan - Jun 2011 \$</b>	<b>Total Cost 2010-2011 \$</b>
<b>1</b>	GEMBA Group Pty Ltd	Sport and Entertainment Report	2 years	Sports Dev.	Direct Source		160,000.00	<b>160,000</b>
<b>2</b>	Lateral Interactive Pty Ltd	Broadcasting New Digital Projects	8 months	Sports Dev.	Select Tender	104,613.15	5,000.00	<b>109,613</b>
<b>3</b>	Marketworthy	Cycling Australia - Technology Master Plan	3 months	Sports Dev.	Select Tender	26,518.18	34,622.73	<b>61,141</b>
<b>4</b>	Marketworthy	Swimming Technology Plan	6 months	Sports Dev.	Select Tender	27,525.45	39,251.82	<b>66,777</b>
<b>5</b>	QLBS.com Pty Ltd	Club Health Check Tool	6 months	Sports Dev.	Select Tender		30,000.00	<b>30,000</b>
<b>6</b>	University of Queensland	Alcohol Sponsorship Effect Research Project	3 years	Sports Dev.	Direct Source		20,000.00	<b>20,000</b>
<b>7</b>	WebXpress Pty Ltd	Surfing Australia - Website	3 months	Sports Dev.	Select Tender		34,477.27	<b>34,477</b>
<b>8</b>	Working Three Pty Ltd	Netball Technology Plan	3 months	Sports Dev.	Select Tender	33,666.49	5,100.00	<b>38,766</b>

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<b>9</b>	University of Queensland	Empirical Research Project-Capacity Building and Social Capital in Indigenous Community Sport Programs	3 years	Sports Dev.	Direct Source	73,224.08	40,000.00	<b>113,224</b>
<b>10</b>	Patrick Gerry	Optical Screenings	One off advice	Sports Dev.	Direct Source		7,200.00	<b>7,200</b>
<b>11</b>	DUET Consulting Pty Ltd	AIS Review Implementation	12 months	AIS	Direct Source	95,206.59	61,690.65	<b>156,897</b>
<b>12</b>	Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu	AIS Structure Review	1 month	AIS	Select Tender	95,693.00		<b>95,693</b>
<b>13</b>	Dr Peter Harcourt	Sports Medicine Review	3 months	AIS	Direct Source		15,000.00	<b>15,000</b>
<b>14</b>	Julie Harrick Consulting	Sports Medicine Review	3 months	AIS	Direct Source		15,000.00	<b>15,000</b>
<b>15</b>	Beams & Associates	Business, finance and tax advice in relation to a redundancy	One off advice	AIS	Direct Source	250.00		<b>250</b>
<b>16</b>	Rouse Representatives	Provide High performance Strategy leadership	3 months	AIS	Direct Source	5,500.00	18,787.50	<b>24,287</b>
<b>17</b>	Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu	Enabling Services Review	2 months	Executive	Select Tender	61,644.00		<b>61,644</b>
<b>18</b>	Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu	Review of Financial Management Framework	4 months	Corporate	Select Tender	11,000.00		<b>11,000</b>
<b>19</b>	Preston Rowe Paterson	Plant Equipment & Software Valuation	1 month	Corporate	Select Tender		13,636.36	<b>13,636</b>

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<b>20</b>	Threesides	Tourism Awards Submission Development	2 month	Corporate	Direct Source	5,200.00		<b>5,200</b>
<b>21</b>	Prime PMG Pty Ltd	Business Mapping Process	2 months	Corporate	Select Tender	11,511.00	26,859.00	<b>38,370</b>
<b>22</b>	Dialogue IT Pty Ltd	CRM Proof of concept	3 months	Corporate	Select Tender		57,750.00	<b>57,750</b>
<b>23</b>	Dimension Data	ASC Enterprise Architecture	3 months	Corporate	Select Tender		76,280.00	<b>76,280</b>
<b>24</b>	Q-Armada Pty Ltd	Altiris Workflow Service Desk	5 months	Corporate	Direct Source		39,000.00	<b>39,000</b>
<b>25</b>	Adelaide Research and Innovation	Integrity in Sport Literature Review	1 month	GRCR	Direct Source		7,887.27	<b>7,887</b>
<b>26</b>	ALBOROQ Solution	Technical Advisor - ASOP India	1 month	GRCR	Direct Source		10,000.00	<b>10,000</b>
<b>27</b>	Australian Drug Foundation	Resource for cultural change in alcohol management	1 month	GRCR	Direct Source		27,000.00	<b>27,000</b>
<b>28</b>	Better Stories Limited	Communications - ASOP India	12 months	GRCR	Open Tender		25,000.00	<b>25,000</b>
<b>29</b>	BH Impact Assessment	Impact Assessment - ISD Swaziland	12 months	GRCR	Direct Source	27,845.45		<b>27,845</b>
<b>30</b>	Cinden Lester	Communication Strategy - Play for Life	3 months	GRCR	Direct Source	8,220.00	10,440.00	<b>18,660</b>
<b>31</b>	Colin Higgs	Sport in the Caribbean Plan development	12 months	GRCR	Direct Source	3,357.09		<b>3,357</b>
<b>32</b>	DASRA	Technical Advisor - ASOP	12 months	GRCR	Direct Source	10,652.91		<b>10,652</b>

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<b>33</b>	Davidson Consulting	Integrity - Program preparation	1 month	GRCR	Direct Source	3,973.83		<b>3,974</b>
<b>34</b>	ECORYS	Technical Advisor - ASOP India	12 months	GRCR	Open Tender		50,000.00	<b>50,000</b>
<b>35</b>	Going to School	Technical Advisor - ASOP India	12 months	GRCR	Select Tender		10,866.40	<b>10,866</b>
<b>36</b>	Griffith University	National Sport Volunteer Strategy	3 months	GRCR	Direct Source		7,689.50	<b>7,689</b>
<b>37</b>	Kylie Bates	Technical Advisor - ASOP India	12 months	GRCR	Direct Source	6,252.70	61,044.10	<b>67,296</b>
<b>38</b>	Leadership Strategy	Design docs for ASOP Caribbean	12 months	GRCR	Direct Source	41,643.33	50,000.00	<b>91,643</b>
<b>39</b>	Merom Dafna	AASC - HEPA	1 month	GRCR	Direct Source		2,390.00	<b>2,390</b>
<b>40</b>	Rhodes Shapter	ETC Marketing Intent & Strategy	2 months	GRCR	Direct Source	5,000.00	2,500.00	<b>7,500</b>
<b>41</b>	Ronan MacDomhnaill	Clearinghouse - Risk Mgmt Plan, Evaluation, monitoring	1 month	GRCR	Direct Source	9,636.36		<b>9,636</b>
<b>42</b>	Spinifex Communication	AASC - Play for Life	6 months	GRCR	Direct Source	31,535.95	6,660.00	<b>38,196</b>
<b>43</b>	WomenWin	Technical Advisor - ASOP India	3 months	GRCR	Direct Source		50,000.00	<b>50,000</b>
					<b>Total</b>	<b>699,669.56</b>	<b>1,021,132.60</b>	<b>1,720,802</b>

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3. The number of consultancies undertaken to 30 September 2011 is 7 with a total cost of \$0.159m. The total estimated value for all consultancies over the life of the service is \$1.823m. The details are as follows:

<b>Consultancies Summary For QON 137-Q3 FYTD</b>						
<b>No.</b>	<b>Name of Consultant</b>	<b>Subject Matter</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Division</b>	<b>Procurement Method</b>	<b>Cost \$</b>
<b>1</b>	DUET Consulting Pty Ltd	Psychology Review	As required	AIS	Direct Source	<b>11,546</b>
<b>2</b>	TransAct Capital	Infrastructure Audit & Voip Compliance	5 months	Corporate Services	Direct Source	<b>17,894</b>
<b>3</b>	Threesides	Tourism Awards Submission Development	2 months	Corporate Services	Direct Source	<b>2,273</b>
<b>4</b>	Addison Lawyers	Advice on a constitution template	3 months	Sports Development	Direct Source	<b>9,287</b>
<b>5</b>	QLBS	Club Health Check Tool	6 months	Sports Development	Select Tender	<b>20,000</b>
<b>6</b>	Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu	European Training Centre Tax Consulting Services	2 months	Sports Development	Direct Source	<b>25,000</b>
<b>7</b>	Sustineo	Evaluation and Research for ASOP	3 years	GRCR	Open Tender	<b>72,892</b>
					<b>Total</b>	<b>158,891</b>

4. The Australian Sports Commission is not required to comply with, nor does it have access to, the contract reporting requirements on AusTender as outlined in the Commonwealth Procurement Guidelines and as applicable to the *Financial Management and Accountability Act*

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1997 and prescribed *Commonwealth Authorities and Companies Act 1997* (Regulation 9). The ASC is not a prescribed CAC Act body for these purposes.

5. The number of consultancies currently planned for the remainder of the calendar year is 2 with a total cost of \$107,250. The details are as follows:

<b>Consultancies Summary For QON 137-Q5 Oct - Dec 2011</b>						
<b>No.</b>	<b>Name of Consultant</b>	<b>Subject Matter</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Division</b>	<b>Procurement Method</b>	<b>Cost \$</b>
<b>1</b>	Pacific Strategy Partners	ASC High Performance Strategy	2 months	AIS	Direct Source	<b>95,000</b>
<b>2</b>	QLBS	Club Health Check Tool	6 months	Sports Development	Select Tender	<b>12,250</b>
					<b>Total</b>	<b>107,250</b>

See response to question 4.