Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012

Portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Australian Information Commissioner

Outcome/Program:

Topic: Executive coaching and Leadership Training for the year 2010-11

Senator: Senator Ryan

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Question:

- 1. In relation to the purchase of executive coaching and/or other leadership training services purchased by each portfolio department and agency, please provide the following information for the year 2010-11:
- a) Total spending on these services
- b) The number of employees offered these services and their employment classification
- c) The number of employees who have utilised these services, their employment classification and how much study leave each employee was granted
- d) The names of all service providers engaged
- 2. For each service purchased form a provider listed under (4), please provide:
- a) The name and nature of the service purchased
- b) Whether the service is one-on-one or group based
- c) The number of employees who received the service and their employment classification
- d) The total number of hours involved for all employees
- e) The total amount spent on the service
- f) A description of the fees charged (i.e. per hour, complete package)
- 3. Where a service was provided at any location other than the department or agency's own premises, please provide:
- a) The location used
- b) The number of employees who took part on each occasion
- c) The total number of hours involved for all employees who took part
- d) Any costs the department or agency's incurred to use the location

Answer:

- 1)
- a) \$12,877.37
- b) Coaching services were available to some Executive Level 1 and 2 and SES Band 1 officers.
- c) Eight Executive Level 1 and 2 and SES Band 1 officers used coaching services. No study leave was used for coaching or other leadership training services.
- d) The service providers engaged were P7 Consulting and the Centre for Public Management
- 2)
- a) P7 Consulting coaching Centre for Public Management – coaching
- b) P7 Consulting one on one Centre for Public Management – one on one
- c) P7 Consulting six Executive Level 1, Executive Level 2 and SES Band 1 officers Centre for Public Management two Executive Level 2 officers
- d) P7 Consulting 26 hours
 Centre for Public Management four hours
- e) P7 Consulting \$11,237.37 Centre for Public Management - \$1,640.00
- f) P7 Consulting hourly fee Centre for Public Management – hourly fee
- 3) All services were provided at the OAIC's premises.