

**QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**

**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING: 17 OCTOBER 2011**

**IMMIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP PORTFOLIO**

**(SE11/0036) Program : Internal Product**

Senator Humphries asked:

Does each Department and Agency stand by its current tenders on the AusTender 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?

*Answer:*

All DIAC Tenders currently published on AusTender are compliant with Commonwealth procurement policy.

DIAC commonly publishes addenda relating to Requests for Tender where information requires clarification or amendment. Where a Request for Tender requires an addendum it is published on AusTender in accordance with Commonwealth procurement policy.

DIAC is up to date with AusTender reporting requirements.