

Senate Economics Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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2015 - 2016

Department/Agency: TREASURY
Question: AET 1744-1746
Topic: Consultancies
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Senator: Ludwig, Joe/Wong, Penny

Question:

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

1744. How many consultancies have been undertaken? 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.

1745. 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.

1746. Have any consultancies not gone out for tender?

- a) List each, including name, cost and purpose
- b) If so, why?

Answer:

1744. This information is publically available on the AusTender website at <https://www.tenders.gov.au/>

- Please refer to the attached AusTender report listing Treasury's consultancies.

1745. No consultancies are currently listed on Treasury's Annual Procurement Plan for this calendar year.

1746. Yes

- (a) Please refer to attached list of consultancies.
- (b) Please refer to column G in the below list of consultancies.

Name of Consultant	Contract Start Date	Contract End Date	Cost of the arrangement (GST inclusive)	Subject matter of the consultancy	Method of procurement	Response to question 1746
Queensland University of Technology	14-Jan-16	1-Apr-16	53,210.00	Management advisory services	Limited tender	Under the procurement threshold
Oliver Wyman Pty Ltd	21-Nov-15	10-Dec-15	310,200.00	Management advisory services	Limited tender	Original value under the procurement threshold. Subsequent variations met conditions for limited tender under 10.3 b and 10.3 e of CPR's.
Pricewaterhouse Coopers	6-Jan-16	25-Jan-16	74,000.00	Management advisory services	Open tender	Not applicable
Peter Achterstraat	20-Oct-15	30-Jun-16	30,000.00	Management advisory services	Limited tender	Under the procurement threshold
Garry Downes AM QC	20-Oct-15	30-Jun-16	30,000.00	Management advisory services	Limited tender	Under the procurement threshold
Life Unlimited Health Solutions Pty	2-Oct-15	31-Dec-15	31,570.00	Management advisory services	Limited tender	Under the procurement threshold
EY Sweeney Research Pty Ltd	21-Sep-15	30-May-16	373,076.00	Management Advisory Services	Open tender	Not applicable
Bull and Bear Special Assignments	17-Sep-15	30-Jun-16	27,000.00	Management advisory services	Open tender	Not applicable
COMBUS PTY LTD	22-Sep-15	30-Nov-15	15,840.00	Management advisory services	Limited tender	Under the procurement threshold