

Senate Economics Legislation Committee
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Department/Agency: ASIC

Question: AET 1765-1767

Topic: Consultancies

Reference: written - 19 February 2016

Senator: Ludwig, Joe

Question:

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

1765. 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.
1766. 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.
1767. Have any consultancies not gone out for tender?
- a) List each, including name, cost and purpose
 - b) If so, why?

Answer:

1765. There have been 12 consultancies commenced from 14 September 2015 to 29 February 2016. A list of these consultancies including the name of the consultant, the subject matter of the consultancy, the duration and cost of the arrangement, the method of procurement (ie. open tender, direct source, etc) and the total value for all consultancies is included at Attachment A.
1766. There are no consultancies planned for the remainder of this calendar year per the Annual Procurement Plan.
1767. No, all consultancies engaged from 14 September 2015 to 29 February 2016 have gone to tender in accordance with the tender method listed in Attachment A.

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Attachment A - Consultancies commenced between 14 September 2015 and 29 February 2016 (all values include GST)

Supplier Name	Description	Procurement Method	Start Date	End Date	Value (AUD)
Shelde Pty Ltd	Arcsight Consultant (Software) CN 2671	Open tender	17-Feb-16	30-Jun-16	29,700.00
Empired Limited	Senior Consultant - Sharepoint CN 2657	Open tender	11-Feb-16	26-Feb-16	15,840.00
Business Aspect Pty Ltd	Business Processes and Patterns Consultant (IT) CN 2554 (FA632789) 2015-011397	Open tender	14-Jan-16	15-Jul-16	174,240.00
Shelde Pty Ltd	CISCO Sourcefire Consultant CN 2463 2015-010698 (FA630009)	Open tender	11-Jan-16	5-Feb-16	13,860.00
Empired Limited	Consultancy Services for the Sharepoint Project CN 2532 2015-011209 (FA632228)	Open tender	8-Dec-15	21-Dec-15	17,600.00
Transactionware Pty Ltd	Mainframe Consultant CN 2565	Limited tender	17-Dec-15	26-Feb-16	39,600.00
Cogility Consulting Pty Ltd	Information Technology Consultation Services CN 2550 2014-003956 (FA632781)	Open tender	17-Dec-15	30-Jun-16	217,250.00
Preemptive Consulting Pty Ltd	Protective Markings Renewal for 2,500 users. CN 2542	Limited tender	6-Dec-15	21-Dec-15	11,443.30
Blue Sky Life Pty	Consulting Services - Consumer Credit Insurance CN 2507 A4666511	Limited tender	1-Dec-15	2-Dec-16	33,000.00
Redcore Pty Ltd	Senior Consultant IAM Specialist CN 2459 2015-010635	Open tender	11-Nov-15	27-May-16	217,800.00
Towers Watson Australia Pty Ltd	Actuarial Research - ASIC's MoneySmart Investment Risk Tool CN 2456 2015-000359	Limited tender	10-Nov-15	31-May-16	12,500.00
UXC Limited	PeopleSoft Peopletools Consultancy CN 2378 (FA624955) 2015-007188	Open tender	2-Oct-15	30-Oct-15	14,300.00
Total including GST					\$797,133.30