

## Question on Notice

No. 1569

Asked on Wednesday 31 October 2018

**DR C ROWAN** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT AND SMALL BUSINESS, MINISTER FOR TRAINING AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT, ACTING MINISTER FOR COMMUNITIES AND ACTING MINISTER FOR DISABILITY SERVICES AND SENIORS (HON S FENTIMAN)—

### QUESTION

With reference to the 2017-18 consultancy expenditure for the Department of Communities, Disability Services and Seniors (DCDSS) —

Will the Minister provide a detailed breakdown as to what projects/advice were completed in the 'professional/technical' category, and how much each project/advice cost?

### ANSWER

Total consultancy expenditure for DCDSS in 2017-18 was \$248,681, as per the public reporting in the Queensland Government open data website. However I note that the 2017-18 figure includes consultancies relating to Child and Family Services, incurred prior to machinery of government changes in December 2017, by the then Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services.

The table below details the 2017-18 consultancy expenditure for DCDSS:

Consultancy Title	Vendor	Actual 2017-18 \$
Review of the Queensland Forensic Disability Service System	Swinbourne University of Technology	143,519