



Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services

Inquiry into Annual and Financial Reports 2022-2023 **ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

Asked by Mr Peter Cain MLA:

Reference: Hearing on 14 November 2023, Annual Report of the Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate

In relation to: Planning System Review and Reform Project

1. Please provide the total amount spent on the ACT Planning System Review and Reform Project to date separated by:
 - a. payments to suppliers (consultants, stewards, contractors, labour-hire); and
 - b. in-house costs across the public service.

2. Please outline all suppliers (consultants, stewards, contractors, labour-hire) employed on the ACT Planning System Review and Reform Project.

Mr Mick Gentleman MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:


The Planning System Review and Reform Project has received funding through the 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2022-23 Budget cycles, details of this funding can be found in the Budget Statements online at the following links –

- https://www.treasury.act.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0020/1318151/2018-19-Budget-Review-Web-Version-PDF.pdf;
- https://www.treasury.act.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0006/1479975/2019-20-budget-review.pdf; and
- https://www.treasury.act.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0014/2051303/2022-23-Budget-Outlook.pdf.

Contracts for consultancy services engaged by the ACT Government as part of the Planning System Review and Reform Project can be found on the Tenders ACT website (<https://www.tenders.act.gov.au/>).

It would be an unreasonable diversion of resources to prepare an itemised response to each item included in the member's question for the duration of the Planning System Review and Reform Project.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Planning, Transport and City Services

Signature: 

Date: 24/11/2023

By the Minister for Planning and Land Management, Mick Gentleman MLA