



**Inquiry into Annual and Financial Reports 2020-2021**  
**ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

Asked by Elizabeth Lee MLA:

**In relation to: Tenders awarded by CRA**

1. How many tenders were awarded by the City Renewal Authority in the financial years:
  - a. 2021-22
  - b. 2020-21
  - c. 2019-20
  - d. 2018-19
  - e. 2017-18
2. Of those, how many were awarded to an entity that was not the preferred tenderer for each financial year:
  - a. 2021-22
  - b. 2020-21
  - c. 2019-20
  - d. 2018-19
  - e. 2017-18
3. Please provide the tender evaluation reports and delegate's recommendations for each of the cases identified in the answers to question 2.
4. For all procurements entered into with an exemption in financial year 2020-21, please provide:
  - a. The vendor
  - b. The contract title
  - c. The estimated value
  - d. The final value

Acting Chief Minister Berry: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

1. Tenders awarded by the City Renewal Authority in the financial years 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22 can be located on the published contracts register available at <https://www.tenders.act.gov.au/contract/search>. Please note that for selected projects tendering may be undertaken on the Authority's behalf by Major Projects Canberra as project manager.
2. The procurement framework provides scope for delegates to make a decision that differs from the recommendation of the evaluation team if circumstances warrant. This discretion is specifically allowed because the delegate is expected to use their expertise and judgment, within clearly set out parameters, to ensure the most effective and efficient delivery of procured projects.

There is no specific requirement to report information on cases where delegates depart from a panel's recommendation. Identifying and providing the data for the purpose of this request by the committee would represent an unreasonable diversion of directorate resources.

3. See response to question 2.
4. Procurements by the City Renewal Authority in the financial year 2020-21 can be located on the published contracts register available at <https://www.tenders.act.gov.au/contract/search>. Please note that for selected projects tendering may be undertaken on the Authority's behalf by Major Projects Canberra as our project manager.

Approved for circulation to the Planning, Transport and City Services

Signature:



Date:

10/03/22

By the Acting Chief Minister, Minister Yvette Berry MLA