Inquiry into referred 2018–19 Annual and Financial Reports

ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

4 November 2019

Asked by Alistair Coe MLA:

In relation to:

MR COE: Right. Is the information provided in the notifiable invoices register accessible on the data website, that is through CSV or Excel?

Mr Bain: I will check what formats it can be downloaded in, Mr Coe. I am not sure.

MR COE: Than you. If it is not available in CSV or Excel, will government commit to publishing it, from now on, in that format?

Mr Nicol: Yes, subject to technical ability to do so, which I expect would not be a problem. So, yes we can do that.

MR COE: Yes, well it looks like it is an excel sheet that has been converted to a PDF, so—

Mr Nicol: Yes, we will look into that.

ANDREW BARR MLA: The answer to the Member’s question is as follows: —

The list of notifiable invoices can be exported and downloaded from the Open Data Portal in a number of formats, namely: CSV, CSV for Excel, CSV for Excel (Europe), JSON, RDF, RSS, TSV for Excel and XML.

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By the Treasurer