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STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS  
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(Deputy Chair), Mr Andrew Braddock MLA (Member)

Inquiry into Auditor - General's Performance Audit Reports January - June  
2023

Question Taken on Notice (Committee)

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Asked by: Mr Andrew Braddock MLA

Addressed to: Minister for Police and Emergency Services

Reference: UPT p 15

Hearing date: 09/11/2023

In relation to: AG Performance audit report 4/2023 and Hybrid fire truck and Conflicts of Interest

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**MR BRADDOCK:** A supplementary on that, were any of the senior executives involved in this project, did they have a perceived or actual conflict of interest?

**Mr Phillips:** I am unaware of that. I would have to take that on notice. There will be documentation in regards to that as part of the project plan and consultation works, et cetera. When you are on a procurement panel you sign another conflict of interest form similar to, you know, recruitment plus our conflict of interest for our procurement interest as executives as well.

**Ms Krajina:** So, within ESA all of our procurements, the delegate and the evaluation team members as well as anybody else that is involved maybe as a technical advisor are required to sign both the conflict of interest form and the confidentiality undertaking.

**MR BRADDOCK:** Can you please take it on notice in terms of whether, as I said, any of the senior executives involved in this project did have a perceived or an actual conflict of interest.

**Mr Phillips:** We will.

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

All parties involved in the procurement process signed Conflict of Interest Declarations. No known or perceived conflicts were declared.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts

Signature: 

Date: 26/1/2023

By the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Mick Gentleman MLA