

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

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65. Government Contracts

Mr. EDE to MINISTER for ASIAN RELATIONS TRADE and INDUSTRY

QUESTION

1. What was the total value of contracts, with individual values of more than \$50,000.00, issued by Northern Territory Government Departments and agencies in the 1994-95 financial year.
2. How many of the contracts referred to in question 1 were awarded to Northern Territory-owned firms.

ANSWER

Answered on 20/02/96

1. Data used for this threshold has only specifically been captured on a service-wide basis since 1 January 1995.

In this time the Procurement Review Board reviewed recommendations by Agencies for the award of tenders which totalled \$56.7m.

2. Of this total, \$4.5m involved interstate tenders, i.e. 8.7%.

Total procurement expenditure, as published in the NT Government Gazette (award of contracts/purchases/services valued at \$5,000+) for financial year 1994/95 was \$150.6m.

\$15.8m (approx 10%) of this was expended outside of the Northern Territory.