

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE

Question Taken on Notice

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From: Mr Gerard Maley

To: Hon Selena Uibo

Portfolio: Attorney-General and Minister for Justice

Agency: Department of the Attorney-General and Minister for Justice

Subject: Local and interstate counsel costs

QUESTION:

Minister, out of the \$900,000-odd you just gave us, can you provide us a breakdown of how much was spent on local law firms, barristers or counsel, compared to how much was spent on interstate law firms, barristers or counsel?

ANSWER:

For the period 1 July 2020 and 31 March 2021 the following was paid on local and interstate providers:

Vendor	Local	Interstate
Alice Springs Family Law	3,420.00	
Caroline Morrissey		994.44
Catherine Newman - Wardell Chambers	545.45	
Chad Jacobi		30,889.13
Duncan McConnel	55,700.00	
Erin Longbottom QC		76,750.00
Giles O'Brien-Hartcher	16,707.70	
Helena Blundell Barrister At Law	34,100.00	
Hutton McCarthy	56,395.00	
JKW Law Practice	52,285.00	
Jodi Truman	14,800.00	
John McBride Barrister And Solicitor	27,996.00	
Joshua Ingrames	30,125.90	
Jude Lawyers	13,340.00	
Justin Gleeson SC		30,500.00
Lisa Papadinas	1,680.00	
Lyma Thuy Nguyen	6,300.00	
Mark Thomas Barrister	13,420.00	
Mary Chalmers Barrister	57,131.45	
Trevor Moses	16,315.73	

Vendor	Local	Interstate
Nicholas Papas QC		47,723.64
Nitra Kidson		41,600.00
Paul Walsh Barrister And Solicitor	19,520.00	
Peter Bellach	14,231.25	
Phillip Strickland SC		58,463.00
Piper Ellis Lawyers Pty Ltd	38,900.00	
Rebecca McEwen		2,700.00
Robert Welfare And Associates	11,320.00	
Ruth Morley Legal Services	720.00	
Sally Ozolins	63,735.00	
Sophie Callan		38,361.66
Stephen Robson	39,500.00	
Stephen Wright		6,045.00
Svenson Barristers		12,093.64
Tom Anderson	25,800.00	
Travis Jackson		15,000.00
Ward Keller Pty Ltd	4,514.00	
Withnall Halliwell Pty Ltd	4,260.00	
Grand Total	625,463.12	358,419.87