

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, LEGAL ADVICE, EXPENDITURE

1952. Mrs C.L. Edwardes to the Minister for Consumer and Employment Protection; Indigenous Affairs; Minister Assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management

For each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio, since 19 February 2001, will the Minister provide -

- (a) the total amount spent on legal advice;
- (b) the name of each provider of legal advice;
- (c) the amount paid to each provider of legal advice; and
- (d) the service for which the payments were made?

Mr J.C. KOBELKE replied:

Department of Consumer and Employment Protection

(a) \$1,087,085.00

(b)-d)

Name of provider	Amount paid \$	Service provided
Andrew Beech	2,200.00	Legal costs re: Home Start
Anna Ciffolilli	14,455.00	Legal consultancy fees re: Mr Soloman
Building Registration Board*	16,850.00	Re-imbursement of Gunning inquiry costs
C L Zelestis QC	17,000.00	Council fees – control of Finance brokers
Celia Searle	30,1170.00	Fees regarding advice (Lines v Clifton) & taxation
Christensen Legal	1,120.00	Professional fees for a litigation consultant
Christie Whyte, Moore	7,043.00	Fees for forensic value analysis
Clayton UTZ	8,054.00	Global supervisory legal fees
Commercial & Legal Services	367.00	Legal services for summons, affidavit and collection of documents
Concord Credit	295.00	Legal fees for D Markovic, DM D'Sena & PJ Hilton
Department of Justice	512,097.00	Finance Broker's Supervisory Board; pre-action discovery request for council & other various legal services
Halsey & Associates	3,188.00	Legal advice on taxation matters
Janet Stead	52,849.00	Various legal fees in relation to fuel watch, R McCormack
Jeremy Allanson	90,912.00	Legal fees re: Broking industry, and Royal Commission Fees into Broking Industry
JT Schoombee	14,600.00	Legal opinion on care and save
Ken Pettit	5250.00	FMA finance legal and council fees
Legal Process Services Pty	507.00	Various professional legal services re: Total Fluid Power Ltd., Curtin Hotels, Yule Brooke College
Mathew Howard	2,520.00	Legal consultant fees
Michael Buss	3,870.00	Legal fees re: Geraldton Finance Company
Michael Hawkins	1,975.00	Legal fees re: Global
Minter Ellison	3,587.00	Legal fees re: defamation charges
Narelle Johnson QC	350.00	Legal fees re: RAC joint venture
Patrick O'Neal	39,777.00	Legal fees re: injunction and restraint order proceedings
Penelope Giles	34,464.00	Grljusich v Andrews appeal & Blackburn and Dixon
Phillips Fox	175,486.00	Legal fees re: Shave, Skepper, Mitchell and Russell
R E Bermingham QC	9,850.00	Council fees re: Geraldton Finance Company and other various legal matters
Richard Hooker	23,570.00	Legal fees re: Walker v Holtz & Holtz
Skea Hagger & Co.	2,950.00	Legal fees for lease and lease registration
Wendy Buckley	3,700.00	Legal fees re: K Wright and Austar enterprises
Wray & Associates	8,082.00	Legal fees re: patent advice
Grand Total	1,087,085.00	

* re-imbursement of legal expenses

Department of Indigenous Affairs

(a) \$44,430.30

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(b)-(d)		
Name of provider	Amount paid \$	Service provided
Clayton Utz	7,614.00	Legal Advice Industrial Commission Brief
Clayton Utz	3,181.00	Legal Advice Staff Discipline
Crown Solicitors Office	70.00	Lease Austral Terrace Katanning
Crown Solicitors Office	154.00	Lease Austral Terrace Katanning
Crown Solicitors Office	64.00	Lease Tarunda Shop Fitzroy Cross
Crown Solicitors Office	318.64	Lease Tarunda Shops Fitzroy Cross
Crown Solicitors Office	84.00	Sub Lease Tarunda Shops
Crown Solicitors Office	35.00	Lease Reserve 13515 Meekatharra
Crown Solicitors Office	45.50	Lease Onslow Post Office
Crown Solicitors Office	172.64	Lease Portion Reserve 13515
Crown Solicitors Office	55.00	Kerry Invest Pty Lease 78 Marine Tce Fremantle
Crown Solicitors Office	22.00	Lease Marine Tce Fremantle
Crown Solicitors Office	100.50	Overpaid salary
Crown Solicitors Office	30.00	Lease Katanning
Crown Solicitors Office	353.00	Lease Albany
Crown Solicitors Office	36.00	Lease Fitzroy Crossing Office
Crown Solicitors Office	12.00	Lease Meekatharra
Crown Solicitors Office	512.00	Lease Northam
Crown Solicitors Office	234.55	Lease Newman
Crown Solicitors Office	97.00	Lease Onslow Office
Crown Solicitors Office	169.09	Lease Onslow
Crown Solicitors Office	188.50	Lease Fremantle Office
Crown Solicitors Office	12.73	Exchange Program Costs
Crown Solicitors Office	19.09	Exchange Program Costs
Crown Solicitors Office	108.00	Lease Aberdeen St Albany
Crown Solicitors Office	17.00	Sub Lease Tarunda Fitzroy Crossing
Crown Solicitors Office	84.00	Lease Tarunda Shop Fitzroy Crossing
Crown Solicitors Office	113.00	Lease Tarunda Shop Fitzroy Crossing
Crown Solicitors Office	62.00	Legal Ngoonjuwah Council
Crown Solicitors Office	70.00	Legal Lease Fitzgerald St Northam
Crown Solicitors Office	197.00	Legal Lease Fitzgerald St Northam
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Lease Aberdeen St Albany
Crown Solicitors Office	132.00	Lease Aberdeen St Albany
Crown Solicitors Office	18.00	Lease Fitzgerald St Northam
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Lease Marine Tce Fremantle
Crown Solicitors Office	121.50	Lease Marine Tce Fremantle
Crown Solicitors Office	190.00	Lease Sutton Sq Mandurah
Crown Solicitors Office	21.00	Overpaid Salary
Crown Solicitors Office	126.00	Legal Service G Cerini
Crown Solicitors Office	265.20	Legal Service G Cerini
Crown Solicitors Office	30.00	Lease Aberdeen St Albany
Crown Solicitors Office	28.00	Overpaid Salary
Crown Solicitors Office	48.00	Lease Laver Place Laverton
Crown Solicitors Office	199.00	Lease Laver Place Laverton
Crown Solicitors Office	41.00	Lease Austral Tce Katanning
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Lease Fortune Street Narrogin
Crown Solicitors Office	95.00	Lease Fortune Street Narrogin
Crown Solicitors Office	132.00	Lease Darlot and High Sts Meekatharra
Crown Solicitors Office	54.00	Lease Mitchell Street Merredin
Crown Solicitors Office	24.00	Lease Lockyer Way Roebourne
Crown Solicitors Office	44.00	Lease Lockyer Way Roebourne
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Lease Lockyer Way Roebourne
Crown Solicitors Office	22.00	Lease Sutton Sq Centre Mandurah
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Lease Sutton Sq Centre Mandurah
Crown Solicitors Office	101.00	Lease Sutton Sq Centre Mandurah
Crown Solicitors Office	33.00	Legal overpaid salary
Crown Solicitors Office	62.60	Legal overpaid salary

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Crown Solicitors Office	38.18	Back pay district allowance dispute
Crown Solicitors Office	46.00	Legal lease Laverton
Crown Solicitors Office	49.00	Lease Reserve 13515 Darlot and High Sts
Crown Solicitors Office	217.00	Legal Lease Newman
Crown Solicitors Office	22.00	Legal Lease Mandurah
Crown Solicitors Office	5.00	Lease Katanning
Crown Solicitors Office	38.18	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	168.00	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	43.00	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	66.00	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	15.00	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	21.00	Lease Salary Recovery
Crown Solicitors Office	21.00	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	14.00	Overpayment of salary collection
Crown Solicitors Office	187.00	Lease Merredin
Crown Solicitors Office	59.00	Lease Onslow
Crown Solicitors Office	14.00	Mawarnkarra Health Services lease Roebourne
Crown Solicitors Office	56.00	Spencer Street Bunbury lease
Crown Solicitors Office	30.00	Lease Newfields Shopping Centre Merredin
Crown Solicitors Office	114.00	Lease Newfield Shop Centre Merredin
Crown Solicitors Office	56.00	Marine Tce Fremantle lease
Crown Solicitors Office	70.00	ALT - Lease portion of Reserve 13515 Meekatharra
Crown Solicitors Office	76.00	Conservator P/L, AAPA lease shop TCY5 Merredin
Crown Solicitors Office	15.00	Ex-lease Onslow post office
Crown Solicitors Office	119.00	Kerry Investments - lease
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Merman P/L lease period
Crown Solicitors Office	528.00	Reconciliation WA Inc lease
Crown Solicitors Office	30.00	Merman P/L lease
Crown Solicitors Office	42.00	Reconciliation WA Inc lease
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Spencer St Bunbury Registrar of Titles
Crown Solicitors Office	108.00	Spencer St Bunbury Registrar of Titles
Crown Solicitors Office	8.00	Lease Simpson St Onslow
Crown Solicitors Office	92.50	Lease 17 Morrell Pk Broome Reserve 38518
Crown Solicitors Office	62.50	Lease Laverton Lot 498 Laver Pl
Crown Solicitors Office	114.00	Conservator P/L lease
Crown Solicitors Office	24.00	Reconciliation WA lease
Crown Solicitors Office	199.00	Merman P/L lease
Crown Solicitors Office	107.50	Slobbe J T lease
Crown Solicitors Office	92.50	Lease
Crown Solicitors Office	54.50	Conservator P/L Newfields Shopping Cntr lease
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Merman P/L Lease 19/22 Chesterfield Rd, Mirrabooka
Crown Solicitors Office	40.00	Merman P/L Lease 19/22 Chesterfield Rd, Mirrabooka
Crown Solicitors Office	54.00	Merman P/L Lease 19/22 Chesterfield Rd, Mirrabooka
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Conservator P/L Newfields Shopping Centre lease
Crown Solicitors Office	64.00	Lease 1/36-40 Commerce Ave, Armadale
Crown Solicitors Office	75.00	Lease 1/36-40 Commerce Ave, Armadale
Crown Solicitors Office	83.00	Lease 1/36-40 Commerce Ave, Armadale
Dr Sally Cawley	16,800.00	Report - suspected breach staff discipline
Dwyer Durack	2,000.00	Legal costs - Aboriginal heritage penalties
Kott Gunning Lawyers	77.88	Legal sub-lease shop 7 Fitzroy Crossing
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Minter Ellison	9.00	Lease Chapman Rd Geraldton
Minter Ellison	209.51	Lease Chapman Rd Geraldton
Minter Ellison	475.00	Lease Chapman Rd Geraldton
Minter Ellison	170.00	Lease Boulevard Carnarvon
Minter Ellison	70.00	Lease Chapman Rd Geraldton
Minter Ellison	220.00	Lease Chapman Rd Geraldton
Minter Ellison	174.00	Lease Boulevard Shop Centre Carnarvon
Skea Hager & Co	36.00	Geraldton Yamatji Patrol lease

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Skea Hager & Co	481.25	Geraldton Yamatji Patrol lease
Skea Hager & Co	735.00	Geraldton Yamatji Patrol lease
Skea Hager & Co	332.50	Yamatji Patrol lease
Skea Hager & Co	380.03	Lease Community Resource Centre Halls Creek
Skea Hager & Co	210.00	Lease Yamatji Patrol
Skea Hager & Co	36.00	Halls Creek lease office 5, Cnr Roberta and Thomas Sts
Skea Hager & Co	560.00	Halls Creek lease office 5, Cnr Roberta and Thomas Sts
Skea Hager & Co	252.00	Office Leases Community Resources Center Halls Creek
Skea Hager & Co	75.00	Lease offices 4 & 6 Halls Creek
Skea Hager & Co	540.00	Lease offices 4 & 6 Halls Creek
Vic Smith & Associates	240.00	Lease Yamatji Patrol
Grand Total	44430.30	

Construction Industry Long Service Leave Payments Board

(a) \$102,000.00

(b)-(d)

Name of provider	Amount paid \$	Service provided
Jackson McDonald Solicitors, Perth	102,000.00	Appearances at Court and attendance at hearings in the Industrial Relations Commission on behalf of the Board, general legal advice given to the Board.

Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission

(a) \$29,651.50

(b)-(d)

Name of provider	Amount paid \$	Service provided
Crown Solicitor's Office	26,180.00	Industrial Relations Advice
Deacons Lawyers	3,471.50	Property Lease Advice
Grand Total	29,651.50	

WorkCover WA

- (a) WorkCover obtains all legal advice from Ministry of Justice.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Not applicable.
- (d) Not applicable.