

MINISTER FOR CHILD PROTECTION — PORTFOLIOS —
COMPUTER NETWORK SECURITY — CONSULTANTS

3804. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services:

For all departments, agencies, government trading enterprises or boards within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities, I ask since 11 March 2017:

- (a) Have any independent consultants or companies been engaged to run penetration or 'White Hat' tests on any internal or external network systems:
 - (i) If so, what consultant or company was engaged and on what date;
 - (ii) If so, did it include any social engineering or phishing tests; and
 - (iii) If not, why not; and
- (b) Have any independent consultants or companies been engaged to run penetration or 'White Hat' tests on any websites:
 - (i) If so, what consultant or company was engaged and on what date; and
 - (ii) If so, what website (domain only) was tested?

Ms S.F. McGurk replied:

This answer covers multiple Ministers' portfolios, including Disability Services, Seniors and Ageing, Volunteering, Housing, Veterans Issues, Youth, as well as my Child Protection, Women's Interests, Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence and Community Services portfolios.

- (a) Yes.
 - (i) OPTUS/Hivint Cybersecurity Consultancy in December 2017 and ES2 Security Solutions in April 2018.
 - (ii) Yes.
 - (iii) Not applicable.
- (b) Yes.
 - (i) CQR Consulting Pty Ltd in December 2017.
 - (ii) CPFS.WA.GOV.AU.