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By email rose.conwaywalsh@oireachtas.ie

10th May 2023

RE: PQ 18725/23

Dear Deputy Conway-Walsh,

Please find Bord Iascaigh Mhara's response to your question below:

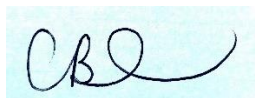
Question

To ask the Minister for Agriculture; Food and the Marine the details of each time his Department, or public bodies under the aegis of his Department, enlisted the services of consultants in 2022; the purpose and value of each contract; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Response

Please find enclosed list of consultants along with the purpose and value of their contracts.

Yours sincerely,



Caroline Bocquel
CEO

Financial Year 31/12/2022

Vendor	Purpose	Value of Contracts (Incl. VAT)
Marine Institute	Shellfish Monitoring and Food Safety and Sustainable Development of mesopelagic	€ 397,797.00
RS Standard Ltd	Development and Management of BIM's Certified Quality Aquaculture (CQA) Programme	€ 172,126.20
Kay McCarthy Communication Strategies T/A MCCP	Demersal (whitefish) sectoral engagement and strategy co-creation	€ 150,060.00
Murray Consultants Limited	Communications Support	€ 113,550.52
Munster Technological University	Clean Oceans Initiative	€ 112,053.00
Galway Mayo Institute Of Technology	Provision of Services - Research and Develop	€ 110,429.94
Client Solutions Limited	SLA for EU Map June 2022 to May 2023	€ 107,010.00
VERIFACT INTERNATIONAL LIMITED	Fishery Improvement Projects (FIPs) executive report	€ 99,814.50
Rps Group Ltd	SEA and AA services for the National Strategic Plan for Sustainable Aquaculture	€ 88,312.77
Catalyst Management Partners (Ire) Ltd	Provision of HR Strategic Support Services	€ 87,176.00
Gimaris	Invasive Alien Species Consultancy Services	€ 83,332.50
LGN Engineering Consultants Ltd	Ice Plant Engineering Consultancy	€ 62,000.00
KPMG	Independent Compromise Assessment & Technical Security Review	€ 51,832.20
Irish Observer Network Ltd	Fishery Improvement Projects (FIPs)	€ 50,038.86
Bid Services / Public Procurement Services	Provision of Procurement Support Services	€ 50,016.34
Poseidon Aquatic Resource Management Europe	Develop a Gear Taxonomy for the Single Use Plastics Directive	€ 48,926.03
Ergoservices Ltd	Business Intelligence Developer and Support Services	€ 40,886.34
Philip Lee	Legal Services	€ 38,307.93
Indecon International Economic Consultants	Labour Force Analysis of the Irish Fishing Fleet	€ 34,216.14
Grant Thornton	Talent Integration Programme for the Seafood Industry	€ 32,964.00
Bantry Marine Research Station Limited	Report on Seaweed hatchery & Sea Grow out of Site Design, Blueprint & Costs	€ 32,520.00
BDO Eaton Square Limited	Consultancy Services	€ 31,365.00
Mabbett & Associates Ltd	Carbon footprint study of the Irish seafood sector	€ 30,811.50
Theresa Daly Wilfied Consulting	Development of future of work strategy	€ 30,750.00
Scoot Science Inc	Data Compilation Services	€ 30,230.44
Tms Consultancy Ltd. T/A Antaris Consulting	Provision of BIM approved workplan	€ 29,889.00
Compass Informatics Ltd.	FMCO Maintenance and Support	€ 29,520.00
PwC	Executive Search for CEO post	€ 28,628.25
Invesco Ltd.	Provision of Pension Support Services	€ 25,215.00
Peter Tyndall	Development of best practice re transporting live prawns to the marketplace	€ 24,800.00
Col Fisher Sas	Whitefish Strategy Consultancy	€ 21,648.00
MP Technical Services Ltd.	Mentoring Support	€ 19,680.48
Burnell Mentors Consultants Ltd	Emerging Leaders Programme 2022	€ 19,680.00
Artemis Consulting Ltd	Mentoring Support	€ 18,682.15
Niall Heenan Training Ltd	Fisheries Digital Literacy Training	€ 18,000.00
Seaview Marine Economic Consultancy	Provision of Technical Support to CFP Review Group	€ 16,250.00
Promara	Various Reports on Decommissioning Scheme and Evaluation of Other Projects	€ 15,559.50
Majih Limited t/a Insight Statistical Consulting	Processor Economic Performance	€ 14,760.00
Savills	Property Consultancy Services	€ 14,452.50
CG Business Consulting Ltd	ISO 9001 Consultancy Services	€ 13,837.50
Lisa Jewell	Blue Economy Scheme Services	€ 12,600.00
Denis Walsh	Evaluation of SFS Part B Projects	€ 10,980.00
O'Callaghan Atlantic Marine Survey Limited	Evaluation of SFS Part B Projects	€ 10,270.50
La Tene Maps	Consultancy Mapping Services	€ 10,209.00
Mille Arnaud	Mentoring Support	€ 9,840.00
Padraig Brennan Consulting Ltd	Sustainability Consultancy Services	€ 9,840.00
QA Services	Quality Assurance Consultancy Services	€ 9,000.00
Arthur Cox	Legal Services	€ 8,605.25
Mizen Archaeology	Archaeological Diving Services	€ 7,776.06
Sealpac Process & Packaging Solutions Ltd	Cabinplant pilot equipment consultancy advice	€ 6,148.77
Sarah McEvoy	Finfish Operational Welfare Monitoring	€ 4,950.00
Plas Consulting Engineers	Mentoring Support	€ 4,920.02
Performansc Supply Chain Limited	Logistics Project Advice	€ 4,907.70
Paddy Gallagher	Blue Whiting Drying Trials and Shelf Life Studies	€ 4,800.00
Design Tactics Ltd trading as Donlon Brands	BIM Strategy Presentation	€ 4,505.49
Opd Consultancy Ltd	Consultancy Services with SLT	€ 4,305.00
xyMaths Ltd.	Work on Carbon Seafood Report	€ 4,305.00
Crowe Ireland	Provision of Taxation advisory Services	€ 4,194.30
Kaneco	Mentoring Support	€ 3,843.75
Agnes Doyle And Associates	Workplace Assessment Services for Fishmongers	€ 3,800.21
Frederick Adrian Barratt	Fishmongers Seafood Quality Assessment	€ 2,173.77
James Burke & Associates	Mentoring Support	€ 1,353.00
Avonbeg Consulting	Workshop Moderator Services	€ 1,199.25