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Re: Information Request IR0793

Dear Mr. Giroux:

Thank you for your request of July 30, 2024, for information regarding the Canada Border Service Agency's (CBSA) informatics services payments.

For every company listed in the attached report, the CBSA's response provides: a list of contracts for IT consultants; categories and levels of resources on Task Authorizations; per diem rates and levels of IT consultants; and, total contract values.

Please note that the response does not include the total days worked per consultant, as this level of detail is not tracked in our financial and contracting systems, and would require a manual review of documents that is not possible in the timeframe provided for this request.

In preparing the response to this request, the team conducted a review of the data provided to ensure its accuracy. This included removing out-of-scope IT contracts (e.g., software) and validating the per diem rates based on Task Authorizations, rather than the contracts themselves, which could include different rates for future option years. It is also worth noting that in some contracts, per diem rates were provided for each category or resource, but specific resource levels were not identified. These resources are identified as "unspecified level" in the response.

I trust that this information responds to your request.

Yours sincerely,



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Enclosures: (3)

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