

Expenditure on Consultancy by Department of Education and Skills in 2012

Consultants, Experts, Advisors	Start date	Completion date	Status of Report	Reports/Reviews/Studies	Total Cost 2012
Analysis Mason	July-11	March-13	*	Commercial, financial and technical advice on the procurement of broadband services for schools	€52,040.42
Goodbody Economic Consultants	April-11	December-11	Published	Evaluation of the Initial Implementation of Siolta, the National Quality framework for Early Childhood Education	€16,747.68
Mazars	2012	2012	*	IT Security Audit of the EUSF IT Database	€5,063.91
Mazars	July-11	June-12	*	Audit of Labour Market Activation Fund (LMAF)	€9,839.14
Version 1	April-12	December-12	No Report	Provision of Oracle Financials training support along with training documentation in the implementation of Performance Budgeting	€2,070.00
Mokum Change Management Ltd	April-12	December-12	No Report	Provision of Oracle Financials training support along with training documentation in the implementation of Performance Budgeting	€17,302.88
Seamus O'Dwyer-Consulting and Training	July-12	January-13	No Report	Training and expert advice relating to the Public Service Pensions Bill and training and advice in relation to the Legal Framework and Family Law	€2,700.00
Sydney Blain	October-11	February-12	*	Review of an appeal against an inspection under section 13(9) of the Education Act	€718.75
Mokum Change Management Ltd	April-12	December-12	No Report	Provision of Oracle Financials functional & accounting advice in moving from a four vote operating unit to a single operating unit	€11,606.90
Sir Jim Rose	December-12	2020	No Report	Provision of international expertise on Literacy & Numeracy to the Literacy and Numeracy Implementation Advisory Committee	€3,870.13
Gartner	October-11	October-14	No Report	Subscription for provision of ICT research, advice, guidance & related services	€36,788.67
Sion Quality Healthcare Solutions	October-12	October-12	*	Completion of a workplace assessment for staff member with a disability and resulting report	€370.00
Pat McLoughlin	February-11	April-11	No Report	Costs relating to Recommendations to the Minister on the preferred proposal for designation of a single awarding authority together with recommendations considered necessary in relation to modification or development of the preferred proposal for implementation purposes which were paid in 2012	€83.66
The Centre for Cross Border Studies	October-12	December-12	*	2012 annual review paper on Northern Ireland Postgraduate Courses	€1,845.00
Deloitte	March-12	April-12	*	Audits of the national agencies for the Lifelong Learning Programme in Ireland to serve as the basis for the submission of Declarations of Assurance from International Section to the European Commission	€16,568.10
			* Internal reports -not for publication	2012 Total:	€177,615.24