

We were asked:

Q1. For each of the financial years 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/2013 and 2013/2014, please state the overall amount of money spent on consultants.

Q2. I would like a breakdown of the 2013/14 figure and I would like the following information. For each consultant, please state the company or organisation they represent. Please provide a short description as to why the department hired their services e.g. to carry out a study or produce a report on a certain topic. Please provide the starting date and end date of each consultant, and the amount of money charged by each consultant to the department.

We replied:

A1. The Wales Office spend on consultants in financial years 2010/11 to 2013/14 is set out in the table below:

Financial Year	Cost (£)
2010/11	6,871
2011/12	Nil
2012/13	3,100
2013/14	Nil

A2. N/A