

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**FAMILIES, HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND**  
**INDIGENOUS AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO**  
**2011-12 Supplementary Estimates Hearings**

**Outcome Number:** Cross

**Question No:** 17

**Topic:** Community Cabinets

**Hansard Page:** Written

**Senator McKenzie** asked:

"What was the cost of Ministers travel and expenses for the Community Cabinet meetings held for the year 2010-11?"

How many Ministerial Staff travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings for the year 2010-11? What was the total cost of this travel?

How many Departmental officers travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meetings for the year 2010-11? What was the total cost of this travel?

What was the total cost to the Department and the Ministers office for the Community Cabinet meetings for the year 2010-11?"

**Answer:**

Please refer to Senator the Hon Mark Arbib's response to Senate Parliamentary Question on Notice No. 914 on behalf of the Minister for Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs in the Senate Hansard for 31 October 2011 (page 120).