

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

Additional Estimates Hearings February 2014

Communications Portfolio

Department of Communications

Question No: 341

Program No. Corporate

Hansard Ref: In Writing

Topic: Functions – Ministerial

Senator Ludwig asked:

1. Provide a list of all formal functions or forms of hospitality conducted for the Minister.
Include:
 - a. The guest list of each function
 - b. The party or individual who initiated the request for the function
 - c. The menu, program or list of proceedings of the function
 - d. A list of drinks consumed at the function
2. Provide a list of the current wine, beer or other alcoholic beverages in stock or on order in the Minister's office

Answer:

1. Over the period 1 November 2013 to 31 January 2014, there were no formal functions or forms of hospitality conducted for the Minister.
2. The Department is not aware of any wine, beer or other alcoholic beverages in stock or on order in the Minister's office.