

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2017 - 2018**

Outcome: Agency: AIATSIS

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-001016

Senator Bilyk, Catryna provided in writing

AIATSIS: functions

Question

In relation to expenditure on any functions or official receptions etc hosted by the Department or agencies in the portfolio since 1 March 2017, can the following please be provided:

- List of functions;
- List of attendees;
- Function venue;
- Itemised list of costs (GST inclusive);
- Details of any food served;
- Details of any wines or champagnes served including brand and vintage; and
- Details of any entertainment provided.

Answers

AIATSIS has held one function since 1 March 2017. Details are as follows:

Russell Taylor Oration – External Event – 30 May 2017	
Inaugural Russell Taylor Oration, in honour of the service of the former CEO, coinciding with celebrations for the 50th Anniversary of the 1967 Referendum, showcasing of senior Indigenous public servants, providing inspiration to Indigenous people in the Service, and encouraging others to consider joining.	
List of attendees	83 people - list at Attachment A
Function venue	Museum of Australian Democracy - Old Parliament House
Itemised list of costs (GST inclusive)	Catering package costs as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Finger foods \$3,855• Drinks \$2,700 Total \$6,555
Details of any food served	Standard catering package including finger food and drinks.
Details of any entertainment provided	Nil