

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES 2016-17

Finance Portfolio
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Senator: Bilyk
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Question:

In relation to any functions or official receptions hosted by Ministers or Assistant Ministers in the portfolio since 1 January 2016, can the following please be provided:

1. List of functions;
2. List of attendees including departmental officials and members of the Minister's family or personal staff;
3. Function venue;
4. Itemised list of costs;
5. Details of any food served;
6. Details of any wines or champagnes served including brand and vintage;
7. Details of any floral arrangements or other decorations; and
8. Details of any entertainment provided.

Answer:

Since 1 January 2016, there have been no functions or official receptions hosted by portfolio Ministers or Assistant Ministers paid for by the Finance portfolio.