Answers to questions on notice

Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates, October 2010

Program: Division or Agency: Corporate: CSD Question No: 111

Broad Topic: Staff travel

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or Written Question:

Senator Birmingham asked:

- 1. How many Departmental staff travelled overseas in the past financial year? Please detail by staff member, including their name and position, their total travel expenses.
- 2. How many staff travelled first class? How many travelled business class?
- 3. What was the total cost of overseas travel for the Department in the past financial year? Please include a list of all international travel itemised by trip, detailing the cost of each trip including the total amounts spent on accommodation and meals, cities or other destinations visited, the purpose of the travel and any specific outcomes achieved.
- 4. How many future overseas trips is the Department currently planning?
- 5. How many staff travelled interstate in the past financial year? What was the total accommodation and meals bill for staff travelling interstate over the past financial year?

Answer:

With respect to information provided for the past financial year, Departmental staff and related travel expenditure reflects staffing and expenditure incurred under the management of the former Department of Environment, Water, Herritage and the Arts (DEWHA).

- 1. The total number of former DEWHA staff that travelled overseas in the 2009/10 financial year was 202. Details of staff members that travelled overseas including name, position and total travel expenses are included at Attachment A.
- 2. The former DEWHA had no staff travel first class; 160 travelled business class.
- 3. The total cost of overseas travel for the former DEWHA in the 2009/10 financial year was \$2,821,731. A list of all international travel itemised by trip and detailing the cost of each trip, including the total amounts spent on: accommodation and meals, cities or other destinations visited, as well as the purpose is included at Attachment B.
- 4 As at 5 November 2010, the Department of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities has approved or is planning 126 future overseas trips for the 2010/11 financial year.
- 5. 1676 staff travelled interstate for the former DEWHA in the 2009/10 financial year. The total accommodation and meals bill for interstate travel for this period was \$3,325,369.

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Details for staff members that travelled overseas during the 2009/10 financial year, including name, position and total travel expenses.

| Name | Position (APS Classification) | Total Cost | |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|------------|--|
| Alan Hughes | SES Band 2 | \$11,131 | |
| Andrew Constable | EL 2 | \$16,384 | |
| Andrew Klekociuk | EL 2 | \$12,859 | |
| Andrew McNee | SES Band 1 | \$22,900 | |
| Andrew Sayers | SES Band 1 | \$2,740 | |
| Andrew Viduka | EL 1 | \$1,421 | |
| Angela Williamson | EL 1 | \$13,499 | |
| Anthony Hull | APS 6 | \$3,755 | |
| Anthony Worby | EL 2 | \$24,089 | |
| Barry Reville | SES Band 1 | \$48,146 | |
| Belinda Brown | EL 1 | \$47,629 | |
| Benjamin Phillips | EL 2 | \$38,523 | |
| Benjamin Raymond | EL 2 | \$1,401 | |
| Bronwen Jones | EL 1 | \$4,672 | |
| Bronwyn Dixon | EL 1 | \$11,747 | |
| Bruce Gray | EL 1 | \$2,227 | |
| Bruce Rose | EL 2 | \$0 | |
| Bruce Wellington | EL 1 | \$37,562 | |
| Cameron Slatyer | EL 2 | \$0 | |
| Candice Mohan | EL 1 | \$12,581 | |
| Carolyn Greenway | EL 2 | \$2,511 | |
| Cathy Skippington | SES Band 2 | \$6,089 | |
| Catriona Johnson | APS 6 | \$1,945 | |
| Celeste Powell | EL 2 | \$45,157 | |
| Charlie Zammit | SES Band 1 | \$24,591 | |
| Chris Chung | EL 2 | \$20,617 | |
| Christine Cargill | APS 6 | \$0 | |
| Christine Clark | EL 1 | \$9,843 | |
| Christopher Boland | APS 5 | \$0 | |
| Christopher Videroni | EL 1 | \$13,809 | |
| Claire Howlett | SES Band 1 | \$5,620 | |
| Claire SIM | APS 4 | \$2,585 | |
| Colin Southwell | EL 2 | \$24,370 | |
| Coral Rowston | APS 6 | \$0 | |
| Damian Murphy | EL 2 | \$10,305 | |
| Damien Hall | EL 2 | \$36,703 | |
| Dana Bergstrom | EL 2 | \$5,682 | |
| Daniel Rothenfluh | EL 1 | \$14,897 | |
| Dave Connell | APS 5 | \$8,948 | |

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|------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Dave Paton | APS 6 | \$1,454 |
| David Drynan | APS 6 | \$17,428 |
| David Jones | SPRS | \$9,492 |
| David Watts | APS 6 | \$9,337 |
| Davina Woodward | APS 5 | \$10,814 |
| Debra Callister-Carter | EL 2 | \$32,121 |
| Derek Hamer | APS 6 | \$0 |
| Derek White | EL 2 | \$16,950 |
| Dirk Welsford | EL 1 | \$14,716 |
| Donna Gabriel | EL 1 | \$75,147 |
| Donna Kwan | EL 1 | \$3,046 |
| Donna Petrachenko | SES Band 2 | \$146,169 |
| Dwayne Purdy | EL 1 | \$6,613 |
| Edwina Jones | APS 5 | \$12,102 |
| Ewan Mcivor | EL 1 | \$30,750 |
| Frances Knight | APS 6 | \$2,500 |
| Frank Antram | EL 2 | \$34,347 |
| Gavin Hinten | APS 6 | \$13,697 |
| Gerard Early | SES Band 3 | \$13,456 |
| Gillian Raymond | EL 1 | \$2,237 |
| Gillian Slocum | EL 2 | \$16,286 |
| Graeme Marshall | EL 2 | \$6,623 |
| Graham Hosie | EL 2 | \$8,183 |
| Graham Robertson | EL 2 | \$0 |
| Greg Plummer | EL 2 | \$25,961 |
| Greg Terrill | SES Band 1 | \$46,887 |
| Greg Whitbread | EL 1 | \$0 |
| Helen Hawke | EL 1 | \$12,312 |
| Henk Brolsma | APS 6 | \$0 |
| Hilton Taylor | SES Band 1 | \$9,512 |
| Ian Allison | EL 2 | \$4,536 |
| Ian Hay | EL 1 | \$14,092 |
| Ian Mclean | APS 6 | \$10,382 |
| Ian Snape | EL 2 | \$1,471 |
| Ilse Kiessling | EL 2 | \$1,344 |
| Inge Stokkel | APS 6 | \$13,551 |
| James Croft | EL 2 | \$0 |
| James Doube | EL 1 | \$190 |
| James Horne | SES Band 3 | \$13,708 |
| James Shevlin | SES Band 2 | \$8,453 |
| Jane O'Sullivan | EL 2 | \$33,439 |
| Jason Gedamke | EL 1 | \$16,519 |
| Jason Roberts | EL 1 | \$4,706 |
| Joanne Elphinstone | APS 6 | \$24,028 |

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|--------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| John French | EL 1 | \$9,302 |
| John Gunn | SES Band 3 | \$47,225 |
| John Lowry | EL 1 | \$520 |
| John McDougall | APS 6 | \$5,488 |
| John O'Neill | EL 1 | \$6,410 |
| John Van Den Hoff | APS 6 | \$18,965 |
| Karina McLachlan | EL 2 | \$8,671 |
| Kate Bowmaker | EL 2 | \$15,972 |
| Kate McMahon | APS 5 | \$24,658 |
| Katharine Feros | EL 1 | \$17,051 |
| Katy Nicholls | EL 2 | \$24,901 |
| Keith Martin-Smith | EL 1 | \$12,375 |
| Kenneth Heffernan | EL 2 | \$5,293 |
| Kerry Smith | SES Band 1 | \$14,423 |
| Kevin Keeffe | SES Band 1 | \$13,093 |
| Kim Allen | SES Band 1 | \$11,743 |
| Kim Finney | EL 2 | \$37,736 |
| Kirsty Altenburg | EL 1 | \$7,191 |
| Kylie Mullins | APS 6 | \$25,713 |
| Leah McKenzie | EL 2 | \$3,285 |
| Leanne Burrows | EL 1 | \$7,660 |
| Leanne Handreck | EL 1 | \$4,258 |
| Lee Eeles | EL 2 | \$35,189 |
| Leigh Taylor | APS 6 | \$16,403 |
| Lejla Buza | EL 1 | \$21,525 |
| Lelde Vitols | EL 1 | \$11,306 |
| Lesley Dowling | EL 2 | \$5,063 |
| Linda Meisel | EL 1 | \$7,473 |
| Lorraine Hitch | EL 1 | \$39,704 |
| Lucy Sutherland | EL 1 | \$0 |
| Luke Bond | EL 1 | \$1,191 |
| Lynn Bean | SES Band 2 | \$11,497 |
| Lynnita Maddock | SES Band 2 | \$19,133 |
| Malcolm Thompson | SES Band 3 | \$13,917 |
| Marcus Duldig | EL 2 | \$2,933 |
| Margaret Hammond | EL 1 | \$383 |
| Mark Flanigan | SES Band 2 | \$10,393 |
| Martin Riddle | EL 2 | \$17,008 |
| Mary Harwood | SES Band 2 | \$273 |
| Matthew Hopkins | APS 5 | \$10,346 |
| Matthew Johnston | EL 2 | \$22,537 |
| Melanie Slade | EL 2 | \$9,291 |
| Michael Deering | EL 2 | \$6,497 |
| Michael Desmond | EL 2 | \$16,253 |

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|--------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Michael Maslen | EL 2 | \$14,310 |
| Michael Smith | APS 6 | \$0 |
| Miguel De Salas | APS 6 | \$919 |
| Mike Double | EL 2 | \$9,282 |
| Milena Rafic | EL 1 | \$3,447 |
| Minouschka Lush | EL 1 | \$30,842 |
| Nadia Sirianni | EL 2 | \$17,358 |
| Nancy Dahl-Tacconi | EL 1 | \$1,117 |
| Natalie Schmitt | Graduate | \$1,275 |
| Neal Young | EL 2 | \$10,682 |
| Nick Gales | EL 1 | \$68,530 |
| Nigel Routh | SES Band 1 | \$28,529 |
| Nina Thappa | EL 1 | \$18,784 |
| Nisha Harris | APS 6 | \$3,229 |
| Patrick McInerney | EL 2 | \$38,625 |
| Patti Lucas | EL 1 | \$3,867 |
| Paul McInnes | SES Band 1 | \$11,220 |
| Peter Burnett | SES Band 2 | \$2,928 |
| Peter Komidar | EL 2 | \$22,081 |
| Peter Lin | APS 5 | \$6,101 |
| Peter Woods | SES Band 1 | \$9,911 |
| Petra Heil | EL 2 | \$7,327 |
| Phillip Tracey | EL 1 | \$17,743 |
| Phillippe Ziegler | EL 1 | \$14,820 |
| Randal Storey | APS 6 | \$10,048 |
| Raymond Morris | EL 2 | \$7,429 |
| Rebecca Jackson | APS 6 | \$2,606 |
| Rebecca Onken | APS 5 | \$16,352 |
| Richard McLoughlin | SES Band 1 | \$263 |
| Richard Mulligan | EL 2 | \$13,390 |
| Rick Van Den Enden | EL 1 | \$432 |
| Rob Bryson | EL 2 | \$15,501 |
| Robb Clifton | EL 2 | \$14,280 |
| Robert Kilpatrick | APS 5 | \$0 |
| Robert Massom | EL 2 | \$15,830 |
| Roberta Thorburn | EL 1 | \$15,355 |
| Robyn Kruk | SEC | \$0 |
| Robyne Leven | APS 6 | \$9,433 |
| Rodney Barlow | EL 2 | \$12,138 |
| Roger Handsworth | APS 6 | \$1,849 |
| Roland Warner | EL 2 | \$9,077 |
| Ross Carter | SES Band 2 | \$14,951 |
| Sahra Ryan | APS 6 | \$0 |
| Sally Basser | SES Band 2 | \$37,992 |

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|--------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Samantha Burt | APS 6 | \$7,478 |
| Sandra Potter | EL 1 | \$10,059 |
| Sandy Hollway | APS 6 | \$4,673 |
| Sara Williams | EL 2 | \$3,541 |
| Sarah Kerin | EL 2 | \$2,886 |
| Sarah Robinson | APS 5 | \$6,707 |
| Sarah Titchen | APS 6 | \$20,104 |
| Sean Sullivan | SES Band 2 | \$16,770 |
| Shane Holt | EL 2 | \$21,450 |
| Simon Cash | APS 6 | \$3,979 |
| Simon Childerhouse | EL 1 | \$24,673 |
| Simon Wong | EL 1 | \$4,750 |
| Simon Wright | EL 2 | \$5,186 |
| So Kawaguchi | EL 2 | \$4,419 |
| Stacey Campton | SES Band 1 | \$11,603 |
| Stephen Bates | EL 1 | \$21,765 |
| Stephen Boyd | EL 1 | \$3,161 |
| Stephen Nicol | EL 2 | \$2,795 |
| Stephen Powell | EL 2 | \$0 |
| Stuart McKay | EL 1 | \$5,898 |
| Tasman Van Ommen | EL 2 | \$12,701 |
| Tessa Vance | APS 5 | \$5,388 |
| Tessa Woollett | APS 5 | \$2,231 |
| Theodore Hooy | SES Band 1 | \$0 |
| Theresa Adams | APS 4 | \$1,955 |
| Thomas Maggs | SES Band 2 | \$13,698 |
| Tim Farrell | EL 1 | \$7,771 |
| Travis Bover | EL 2 | \$19,566 |
| Victoria Wadley | EL 2 | \$0 |
| Virginia Mudie | SES Band 1 | \$16,376 |
| William Riley | APS 6 | \$16,116 |

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A list of all international travel itemised by trip and detailing the cost of each trip, including the total amounts spent on: accommodation and meals, cities or other destinations visited, as well as the purpose.

| Allowances | Airfares | Total | Destination | Purpose & Outcomes |
|-------------|----------|-------------|-------------|---|
| | | | | Attendance at the French-Australian symposium |
| | | | | entitled 'The Kerguelen Plateau, marine |
| | | | | ecosystems & Fisheries has assisted in |
| | | | | progressing towards Australia's goal of a joint stock |
| | | | | assessment of toothfish stocks on the Kerguelen |
| \$5,456 | \$10,928 | \$16,384 | FRANCE/UK | Plateau leading to a more sustainable fishery. |
| . , | | | | Attendance at the International Polar Year Science |
| | | | | Conference allowed for the presentation of results |
| | | | | of Australian Antarctic research during the |
| | | | | International Polar Year to an international |
| | | | | audience. Progress was also made in relation to |
| | | | | Australian research collaborations in atmospheric |
| | | | | chemistry and stratospheric ozone recovery |
| | | | | through direct interaction with international |
| \$3,268 | \$2,927 | \$6,195 | NORWAY | colleagues. |
| | | | | Attendance at the 36th Annual European meeting |
| | | | | on Atmospheric Studies established an extremely |
| | | | | valuable new collaboration with Ukrainian |
| | | | | colleagues as part of the international CCM-Val |
| | | | | program (Coupled Chemistry Model Validation) that |
| | | | | will deliver into future International Panel on |
| | | | | Climate Change (IPCC) reports. Presentations |
| | | | | were also made on the outputs of Australian |
| \$3,719 | \$2,946 | \$6,664 | UKRAINE | research to an international audience. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| | | | | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| \$1,798 | \$1,957 | \$3,755 | NEW ZEALAND | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | To attend the annual meeting of The World Climate |
| | | | | Research Program's Climate and Cryosphere |
| | | | | Scientific Steering Group in Chile (Trip AAD). |
| | | | | Representational travel allowed for the |
| | | | | development and influence of strategic directions |
| | _ | 4 - | | and research priorities for the World Climate |
| \$3,475 | \$0 | \$3,475 | CHILE | Research Program's Cryosphere program. |
| | | | | Attendance at the International Glaciological |
| | | | | Society's Symposium on Sea Ice in the climate |
| | | | | system and the International Polar Year conference |
| | | | | provided an opportunity for the presentation of the |
| | | | | results of Australian sea ice zone research |
| | | | | conducted during the International Polar Year. |
| | | | NORWAN | Attendance provided the additional opportunity to |
| ^- : | . | A- : | NORWAY, | convene an international workshop to set new |
| \$7,351 | \$0 | \$7,351 | DENMARK | research priorities for Antarctic sea ice zone |

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| | | | | research. |
| | | | | To attend the Antarctic Treaty Meeting of experts on Climate Change Implications for Antarctic management and Governance in Svolvaer, Norway AAD participants comprised Australia's delegation, and progressed Australia's objectives for Antarctic environmental protection. AAD participants highlighted Australia's scientific contribution to understanding climate impacts on Antarctica, and presented Australia's initial risk assessment to identify potential climate change implications for current and future Antarctic infrastructure, logistics and environmental values (the first such assessment conducted by an Antarctic Treaty Party). The meeting recognised the value of this approach, and encouraged other Parties to conduct |
| \$1,106 | \$12,157 | \$13,263 | NORWAY | similar assessments. Travelling to New Zealand to conduct a data analysis and writing workshop with the ecosystem modelling team at the National Institute of Water & Atmospheric Research Wellington. By invitation conducted a data analysis and writing workshop with the ecosystem modelling team at the National Institute of Water & Atmospheric Research. As a result forged a closer working relationship with this group that can now be exploited in future |
| \$519 | \$882 | \$1,401 | NEW ZEALAND | collaborative research. |
| \$874 | \$1,071 | \$1,945 | NEW ZEALAND | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, New Zealand (Trip AAD). Successful completion of the first major whale research voyage of the Australian-led Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support the Australian initiative of moving the International Whaling Commission towards a more science and conservation focused organisation. |
| \$214 | \$0 | \$214 | JAPAN | Attendance at the Australia/Japan Joint Workshop on Antarctic Science, Australia Japan (Nippon) Research on East Antarctic Climate Change has led to the development of an East Antarctic network of monitoring sites to detect the effects of fisheries and climate change. |
| | | | JAPAN, | To attend the CCAMLR working group on Statistics, Assessments & modelling (WG-SAM) in Bergen, Norway also visiting University of Tokyo to discuss preparation for the Australia - Japan Workshop to be held in Japan in September 2009 & the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) in Seattle USA to discuss plans for the completion of the analysis of a multinational survey of pack-ice seals. Attendance at the CCAMLR working group on Statistics, Assessments & modelling (WG-SAM) has assisted in progressing Australia's policy for sustainable |
| \$9,837 | \$14,319 | \$24,156 | NORWAY, USA | management of Southern Ocean Fisheries using |

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| | | | | an ecosystem based approach. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| | | | | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| \$486 | \$1,796 | \$2,282 | NEW ZEALAND | conservation focused organisation. |
| Ψ100 | Ψ1,100 | ΨΖ,ΖΟΖ | THE WE ZENTENTO | Attendance at the Australia Japan Joint Workshop |
| | | | | on Antarctic Science was in response to imprimatur |
| | | | | from joint Prime Ministerial statement, developed a |
| | | | | strategy for closer scientific engagement between |
| | | | | the Australian and Japanese Antarctic programs, in |
| #750 | | #750 | 10000 | particular in the climate and marine ecosystem |
| \$752 | \$0 | \$752 | JAPAN | programs. |
| | | | | Attending the American Geophysical Union |
| | | | | Meeting in San Francisco, California and attending Aeronomy of Ice in the atmosphere Mission |
| | | | | satellite science team meeting in Boulder, |
| | | | | Colorado. Attendance at the American Geophysical |
| | | | | Union Meeting allowed for the establishment of |
| | | | | closer ties with key researchers at the US Naval |
| | | | | Research laboratories; advanced discussions on |
| | | | | new research directions including model |
| #0.750 | 05.704 | 00.550 | | experiments and data sharing for satellite |
| \$3,759 | \$5,794 | \$9,553 | USA | interpretation. Attendance at the Scientific Committee on Antarctic |
| | | | | Research (SCAR) Xth Biology Symposium allowed |
| | | | | for conducting a workshop on future biodiversity |
| | | | | research in Antarctica which initiated the |
| | | | | development of a new strategy for international |
| | | | | Antarctic Life Sciences research for the Scientific |
| | | | | Committee on Antarctic Research. Achieved |
| | | | | agreement that the research direction should be |
| # 0.04.4 | #0.000 | ΦΕ 000 | IADANI | closely aligned to Australian research in support of |
| \$3,014 | \$2,668 | \$5,682 | JAPAN | Australian policy interests for Antarctica. |
| | | | | Travelling to Washington USA to participate in general work at the Global Change Master |
| | | | | Directory (GCMD), attend a meeting of the Science |
| | | | | Users Working Group at the GCMD & to travel to |
| | | | | participate in the International Polar Year (IPY) |
| | | | | Oslo Science Conference. Participated in the USA |
| | | | | Global Change Master Directory Science Users |
| | | | | Group meeting because Australia uses this |
| | | | | metadata system (for free). As a result we were |
| ΦA 740 | 04.00 5 | #0.040 | NODVAVA | able to influence future directions for the |
| \$4,713 | \$4,235 | \$8,948 | NORWAY | development of this system. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| | | | | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International |
| \$498 | \$956 | \$1,454 | NEW ZEALAND | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |

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| | | | | conservation focused organisation. |
| \$0 | ФО. | \$0 | USA | Participated in the Global Biodiversity Information Facility Metadata Infrastructure Framework Task Group workshop which led to the development and circulation of an international community discussion paper on metadata for biodiversity data. The object of which was to improve documentation of, and |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | USA | therefore the ability to re-use, biodiversity data. Participated in a biodiversity data group meeting in the margins of the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research Xth Biology Symposium. Australia is the international host for the key Antarctic biodiversity database. This meeting of the international biological community was an opportunity to get feedback on how the database should grow in the future and to encourage submissions to it. An outcome of the meeting was the decision to amalgamate Australia's databases |
| \$2,593 | \$1,826 | \$4,419 | JAPAN | with that of SCARMarBIN. |
| | | | GREAT | Participation in the 5th Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) MarBIN International Steering Committee meeting has provided guidance in the development of the SCAR MarBIN data centre in Belgium. This data centre is the largest marine data node of the Global Biodiversity Information Facility and has compiled all data from |
| \$2,273 | \$2,646 | \$4,918 | BRITAIN | the 10 year Census of Marine Life program. |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | FIJI, SAMOA | To visit Samoa & Fiji to establish links with fishers in the local commercial long line fishery, long line fishery managers & whale conservation officials. The visitation to Samoa and Fiji has led to the establishment of partnerships for experiments in 2011 to decrease whale interactions with fisheries in the Pacific in order to increase regional support for whale conservation. |
| 40 | 3 0 | Ψ0 | 1101, 071111071 | Attendance at the French-Australian symposium entitled 'The Kerguelen Plateau, marine ecosystems & Fisheries' has assisted in progressing towards Australia's goal of a joint stock assessment of toothfish stocks on the Kerguelen |
| \$4,400 | \$9,983 | \$14,383 | FRANCE | Plateau leading to a more sustainable fishery. |
| \$333 | \$0 | \$333 | JAPAN | Attendance at the Australia/Japan Joint Workshop on Antarctic Science, Australia Japan (Nippon) Research on East Antarctic Climate Change has led to the development of an East Antarctic network of monitoring sites to detect the effects of fisheries and climate change. |
| \$1,623 | \$2,561 | \$4,185 | NEW ZEALAND | To attend as part of the Australian delegation to the Antarctic treaty Meeting of Experts on the management of ship-borne Tourism in the Antarctic treaty area in Wellington, New Zealand. AAD participants ensured Australia's Antarctic interests, including sovereignty, environmental protection, ship safety, shipping regulation, and industry interests were advanced. Australia was a leading |

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| | | | | participant in the work of the meeting, and |
| | | | | proposed mechanisms for cooperation between the |
| | | | | Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting and the |
| | | | | International Maritime Organisation, which were |
| | | | | supported by the meeting. Australia's assessment |
| | | | | of the environmental impacts of ship-borne tourism |
| | | | | was welcomed as a comprehensive basis for |
| | | | | understanding environmental risks associated with |
| | | | | shipping activity. |
| | | | | To attend the Antarctic Treaty Meeting of experts on Climate Change Implications for Antarctic |
| | | | | management and Governance in Svolvaer, |
| | | | | Norway. AAD participants comprised Australia's |
| | | | | delegation, and progressed Australia's objectives |
| | | | | for Antarctic environmental protection. AAD |
| | | | | participants highlighted Australia's scientific |
| | | | | contribution to understanding climate impacts on |
| | | | | Antarctica, and presented Australia's initial risk |
| | | | | assessment to identify potential climate change |
| | | | | implications for current and future Antarctic |
| | | | | infrastructure, logistics and environmental values |
| | | | | (the first such assessment conducted by an |
| | | | | Antarctic Treaty Party). The meeting recognised |
| | | | | the value of this approach, and encouraged other |
| \$1,349 | \$9,513 | \$10,862 | NORWAY | Parties to conduct similar assessments. |
| | | | | To travel to Punta del Este, Uruguay to attend the |
| | | | | 13th meeting of the Committee for Environmental |
| | | | | Protection (CEP) and the 33rd Antarctic Treaty |
| | | | | Consultative Meeting (ATCM). AAD participants |
| | | | | engaged in plenary and the multiple working |
| | | | | groups of the meetings, and represented Australia's Antarctic interests, including in |
| | | | | discussions on climate change impacts and |
| | | | | adaptation, environmental protection (including |
| | | | | area protection, and preventing the introduction of |
| | | | | non-native species), tourism management and |
| | | | | vessel safety, interactions with other international |
| | | | | regimes, and Australian inspections of other |
| | | | | national Antarctic facilities. AAD also holds the role |
| | | | | of vice-chair of the Committee for Environmental |
| | | | | Protection, and contributes to the effective |
| \$1,810 | \$13,894 | \$15,703 | URUGUAY | functioning of both forums. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| | | | | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| \$1,618 | \$1,644 | \$3,262 | NEW ZEALAND | conservation focused organisation. |
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| | | | | 13th meeting of the Committee for Environmental |
| | | | | Protection (CEP) and the 33rd Antarctic Treaty |
| | | | | Consultative Meeting (ATCM). AAD participants |
| \$977 | \$12,047 | \$13,024 | URUGUAY | engaged in plenary and the multiple working |
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| | | | | groups of the meetings, and represented Australia's Antarctic interests, including in discussions on climate change impacts and adaptation, environmental protection (including area protection, and preventing the introduction of non-native species), tourism management and vessel safety, interactions with other international regimes, and Australian inspections of other national Antarctic facilities. AAD also holds the role of vice-chair of the Committee for Environmental Protection, and contributes to the effective |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | GREAT BRITAIN, BRAZIL | functioning of both forums. Travelling to Rio de Janerio Brazil to conduct a workshop on plankton observations using the Continuous Plankton Recorder and to discuss collaboration in plankton research with the Director of the Sir Alistair Hardy Foundation for Ocean Science (SAHFOS) at Plymouth UK. Developed climate change research capability in several South American countries that is aligned to Australian priorities for detecting the ecosystem effects of climate change in the Southern Ocean using the Continuous Plankton Recorder as part of the Australian Integrated Marine Observing System (IMOS) |
| \$469 | \$0 | \$469 | GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE | Attending the Sir Alistair Hardy Foundation for Ocean Science (SAHFOS) in Plymouth from 27-28 April and then attending the Census of Antarctic Marine Life (CAML) Biogeographic Synthesis Workshop 18-21 May in France. Better alignment of UK and Australian priorities for detecting ecosystem effects of climate change in the Southern Ocean using the Continuous Plankton Recorder. |
| \$962 | \$0 | \$962 | JAPAN | To attend the Australia/Japan Joint Workshop on Antarctic Science, Australia Japan (Nippon) Research on East Antarctic Climate Change, Tokyo, Japan. Agreement between Japan and Australia on priorities, scope and broad milestones for the program of collaborative research on climate change in East Antarctica in response to the Prime Ministers' Joint Communiqué released in June 2008. |
| \$1,944 | \$882 | \$2,826 | NEW ZEALAND | Travelling to New Zealand to conducting a data analysis and writing workshop with the ecosystem modelling team. Analysis of long-term data sets to provide a baseline for detecting the ecosystem impacts of climate change in Southern Ocean plankton communities. |
| \$3,926 | \$0 | \$3,926 | JAPAN | Attend the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) X Biology Symposium in his role as a member of the Local Organising Committee, the International Steering Committee, convenor of the symposium sub-theme 3 on "Marine Biodiversity & Processes" in Japan. Promoted |

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| | | | | Australian research interests in Antarctica and the Southern Ocean as a member of the conference organising committee. Participated in the workshop organised by the Australian delegation which initiated the development of a new strategy for international Antarctic Life Sciences research for the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research. The workshop achieved agreement that the research direction should be closely aligned to Australian research in support of Australian policy interests for Antarctica. |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | ARGENTINA, SOUTH GEORGIA, CHILE | To travel to South Georgia to conduct a research project on albatrosses. Also visit colleagues in Uruguay & Chile before and after the cruise to discuss collaborations in science project of mutual interest. Successful implementation of seabird bycatch mitigation strategies. |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | ARGENTINA, URUGUAY | Attend the 3rd meeting of the Seabird By-Catch Working group in Mar del Plata, participate in the Agreement on the Conservation of Albatrosses and Petrels (ACAP) meeting and visit Montevideo, Uruguay to prepare for an experiment designed to avoid the incidental capture of seabirds in pelagic long line fisheries. Attendance at the meeting has led to the implementation of Australia's approach to seabird conservation and successful implementation of seabird bycatch mitigation strategies. |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NETHERLANDS | To attend & chair the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) Standing Committee on Antarctic Geographic Information (SCAGI) intersessional meeting in Amsterdam, Netherlands. This meeting was held jointly with the SCAR Antarctic Data Management (SCADM) Committee and as a result the SCAR Data and Information Strategy was finalised. |
| \$172 | \$0 | \$172 | NEW ZEALAND | Travel to Invercargill New Zealand to join ship to Macquarie Island. Operational travel to participate in fieldwork. |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | Participate as a member of the Advisory Group in the assessment of Antarctic research investment proposals submitted for funding & logistic support to the New Zealand Foundation for research Science & technology & to Antarctic New Zealand. |
| \$90 | \$0 | \$90 | USA | Participate as a member in a meeting of the inaugural Selection committee for the Martha T Muse Prize to select the first winner of this prize in Washington DC USA. |
| \$2,696 | \$1,751 | \$4,446 | CANADA | To participate & serve as session convenor in the 2009 International assembly of Meteorological, Oceanographic & Cryospheric Sciences Assembly (MOCA-09) in Montreal, Canada. Dr Ian Allison was elected as President of the International Association of Cryospheric Sciences (IACS). It also allowed advancement of Australia's scientific |

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| | | | | interests internationally through engagement with |
| | | | | the IACS Bureau and Association of Early Career |
| | | | | Scientists. |
| | | | | Attend meetings of the ACAP Advisory Committee |
| | | | | (AC) & three of its working Groups (Breeding sites, |
| | | | | Status & Trends, Seabird By catch). in Mar del |
| | | | | Plata, Argentina. AAD representatives pursued Australia's priority outcomes for ACAP including the |
| | | | | development and adoption of fishing industry |
| | | | | bycatch mitigation measures by ACAP parties, and |
| | | | | the research and monitoring necessary to underpin |
| | | | | species recovery. Australia was the prime instigator |
| | | | | of the Agreement and remains key to its continued |
| | . | | | effectiveness and to its adoption by significant |
| \$2,638 | \$11,453 | \$14,092 | ARGENTINA | range states. |
| | | | | Attending the Open BTS Workshop in Germany to |
| | | | | provide mobile telephone services in rural and |
| | | | | remote areas. To investigate the viability of establishing mobile phone networks at Australia's |
| | | | | Antarctic stations. The establishment of mobile |
| | | | | phone networks would provide significant |
| \$818 | \$9,563 | \$10,382 | GERMANY | improvements to our communication network. |
| · | . , | . , | | To attend conference on Contaminants in Freezing |
| | | | | Ground, coordinate network as chairperson, |
| | | | | develop international collaborations. Chair |
| | | | | workshops & coordinate scientific Program, |
| | | | | Kingston, Canada. Attendance at the Conference |
| | | | | allowed for the achievement of consensus among |
| | | | | Antarctic and Arctic scientists on the priorities for research in support of the remediation of |
| | | | | contaminated sites in polar regions. As a result, US |
| | | | | and Canadian research groups will be directing |
| | | | | significant resources to solve practical problems |
| | | | | previously identified by Australia as priorities for |
| | | | | cost-effective remediation of contaminated sites in |
| \$1,471 | \$0 | \$1,471 | CANADA | the Australian Antarctic Territory. |
| | | | | Travel to New Zealand then on to Macquarie Is - |
| ¢400 | Φ0 | £400 | | medical changeover. Operational Requirements - |
| \$190 | \$0 | \$190 | NEW ZEALAND | transitting to Macquarie Island. Attendance at a multi-disciplinary working group on |
| | | | | the cumulative effects of anthropogenic underwater |
| | | | | sound on marine mammals has progressed |
| | | | | Australian Government engagement in |
| | | | | understanding best practice of science and |
| | | | | management of the complex effects of sounds on |
| \$374 | \$0 | \$374 | USA | marine mammals (particularly whales) |
| | | | | Attending the International Whaling Commission |
| | | | | (IWC) to be held in Agadir, Morocco. Participation |
| | | | | on the Australian Government scientific committee |
| ΦE 000 | ¢0.400 | ¢14 100 | MOROCCO | delegation in order to support Australia's policy and |
| \$5,086 | \$9,100 | \$14,186 | MOROCCO | conservation objectives at the IWC Commission. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| \$257 | \$1,702 | \$1,959 | NEW ZEALAND | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
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| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| | | | | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | Participation at the Antarctic Ice Bridge planning |
| | | | | meeting allowed for the provision of expert advice |
| | | | | on planning a major international field program in |
| | | | | Antarctica in the 2010/11 summer, including |
| | | | | airborne measurements from Australia's Casey |
| | | | | station. This is a joint Australian - US program |
| ФС <u>Е</u> С | #4.050 | ¢4.700 | 1104 | funded in part by the US National Science |
| \$656 | \$4,050 | \$4,706 | USA | Foundation and NASA. |
| | | | | Attend the European Geosciences Union General Assembly in Vienna Austria and to attend the third |
| | | | AUSTRIA, | meeting of the Network for the Detection of |
| \$4,276 | \$5,027 | \$9,302 | GERMANY | Mesospheric Change Ammersee Germany. |
| ΨΨ,ΖΤΟ | Ψ5,021 | Ψ5,502 | OLIMANI | Attendance at the Scientific Committee on Oceanic |
| | | | | Research Workshop on ocean Biology |
| | | | | observatories, OceanObs09 Conference & the |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Observing system (SOOS) |
| | | | | Implementation meeting provided an opportunity for |
| | | | | significant planning and reporting on Global ocean |
| | | | | observations including the Southern Ocean and |
| \$5,474 | \$7,751 | \$13,225 | ITALY | Antarctica. |
| | | | | Attending the Global Ocean Observing System |
| | | | | Scientific Steering Committee in London. Meeting |
| | | | | provided an opportunity for significant planning and |
| Ф0.000 | 044.000 | A45.050 | GREAT | reporting on Global ocean observations including |
| \$3,090 | \$11,966 | \$15,056 | BRITAIN | the Southern Ocean and Antarctica. |
| | | | | To travel to Punta del Este, Uruguay to attend the 13th meeting of the Committee for Environmental |
| | | | | Protection (CEP) & the 33rd meeting of the |
| | | | | Antarctic Treaty Committee Meeting (ATCM) & |
| | | | | travel to Los Angeles to attend inaugural meeting to |
| | | | | develop an Integrated Framework for Sustained |
| | | | | Ocean Observations. AAD participants engaged in |
| | | | | plenary and the multiple working groups of the |
| | | | | meetings, and represented Australia's Antarctic |
| | | | | interests, including in discussions on climate |
| | | | | change impacts and adaptation, environmental |
| | | | | protection (including area protection, and |
| | | | | preventing the introduction of non-native species), |
| | | | | tourism management and vessel safety, |
| | | | | interactions with other international regimes, and |
| | | | | Australian inspections of other national Antarctic facilities. AAD also holds the role of vice-chair of |
| | | | URUGUAY, | the Committee for Environmental Protection, and |
| | | | ARGENTINA, | contributes to the effective functioning of both |
| \$4,065 | \$14,879 | \$18,944 | USA | forums. |
| <i>ţ</i> 1,22 0 | + , | , | - | Completing two research papers at the laboratories |
| | | | GREAT | of the Scottish Association for Marine Science, |
| \$15,237 | \$3,728 | \$18,965 | BRITAIN | Oban Scotland. |
| | | | | Attendance at the Commission for the |
| 40.55 | ^ | A400 | | Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources |
| \$2,625 | \$9,750 | \$12,375 | USA | (CCAMLR) Workshop on Vulnerable Marine |

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| | | | | non-native species), tourism management and |
| | | | | vessel safety, interactions with other international |
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| | | | | national Antarctic facilities. AAD also holds the role |
| | | | | of vice-chair of the Committee for Environmental |
| | | | | Protection, and contributes to the effective |
| | | | | functioning of both forums. |
| | | | | Attendance at the 6th Asia Oceania Geoscience |
| | | | | Society meeting allowed for presentations on |
| | | | | Australian Antarctic research results, fulfilling |
| | | | | international responsibilities as Secretary of |
| | | | | organisation and Editor-in -Chief of international |
| | | | | volume and progressed Australian research |
| | | | | program (particularly on stratospheric ozone and |
| ¢4 002 | ¢4 020 | #2.022 | CINICADODE | climate processes related to the sun's activity) |
| \$1,903 | \$1,030 | \$2,933 | SINGAPORE | through discussions with colleagues. Attendance at the Australia/Japan Joint Workshop |
| | | | | on Antarctic Science allowed for the agreement |
| | | | | between Japan and Australia on priorities, scope |
| | | | | and broad milestones for the program of |
| | | | | collaborative research on climate change in East |
| | | | | Antarctica in response to the Prime Ministers' Joint |
| | | | | Communiqué released in |
| \$333 | \$0 | \$333 | TOKYO | June 2008. |
| | | | | Attendance at the Scientific Committee on Antarctic |
| | | | | Research (SCAR) Xth Biology Symposium allowed |
| | | | | for the leading of an international workshop that |
| | | | | initiated the development of a new strategy for |
| | | | | Antarctic Life Sciences research for the Scientific |
| | | | | Committee on Antarctic Research. Achieved |
| | | | | agreement that the research direction should be |
| \$2,550 | \$3,288 | \$5,839 | JAPAN | closely aligned to Australian research and policy interests for Antarctica. |
| \$2,550 | Φ 3,∠00 | φυ,ουθ | JAPAN | To attend a Scientific Committee on Antarctic |
| | | | | Research (SCAR) planning workshop in |
| | | | | Castiglioncello, Italy, and to Oslo to attend the Final |
| | | | | Conference of the International Polar Year. |
| | | | | Attendance at the Scientific Committee on Antarctic |
| | | | | Research planning workshop allowed for the |
| | | | | development of a proposal for international |
| | | | | Antarctic Life Sciences research for the Scientific |
| | | | | Committee on Antarctic Research that is closely |
| | | | FRANCE, | aligned to Australian research in support of |
| \$3,510 | \$7,326 | \$10,836 | NORWAY | Australian policy interests for Antarctica. |
| | | | | To participate in a workshop on the |
| | | | | Cryopreservation of Protist Cultures in Nelson, New |
| | | | | Zealand. Learnt new scientific techniques for |
| \$919 | \$0 | \$919 | NEW ZEALAND | studying climate change impacts on the base of the Southern Ocean food chain |
| | | | | Collect tagging equipment from Timaru |
| \$244 | \$882 | \$1,126 | NEW ZEALAND | Christchurch, New Zealand. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
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| \$257 | \$1,702 | \$1,959 | NEW ZEALAND | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |

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| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| | | | | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | Attendance at the Steering Group Meeting for |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnerships has led to |
| | | | | the development of research projects for the |
| | | | | Australian-led, multi-national Southern Ocean |
| | | | | Research Partnership which supports the |
| | | | | Australian initiative of moving the International |
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| \$1,318 | \$4,879 | \$6,197 | USA | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| | | | | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| \$257 | \$1,017 | \$1,275 | NEW ZEALAND | |
| \$257 | φ1,017 | φ1,275 | INEW ZEALAND | conservation focused organisation. Attendance at the European Space Agency's Living |
| | | | | Planet Symposium allowed for the presentation of |
| | | | | Australian Antarctic research results to international |
| | | | | audience, developing closer ties to European |
| | | | | space agency that has led directly to additional |
| | | | | funding for airborne surveys over Australian |
| | | | | Antarctic Territory for satellite calibration and |
| | | | | validation studies. This involves Australian |
| | | | | scientists and directly addresses strategic goals of |
| \$5,718 | \$4,964 | \$10,682 | NORWAY | the Australian Antarctic program. |
| . , | . , | . , | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| | | | | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| \$175 | \$1,664 | \$1,839 | NEW ZEALAND | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | Participation in the two day planning meeting for |
| | | | | the Antarctic Whale Expedition (AWE) led to the |
| | | | | advancement of plans for the Antarctic Whale |
| | | | | Expedition which supports the Australian initiative |
| | | | | of move the International Whaling Commission |
| # 000 | ¢4 CO4 | #0.005 | | towards a more science and conservation focused |
| \$662 | \$1,624 | \$2,285 | NEW ZEALAND | organisation. |
| | | | | Attendance at an International Scientific |
| | | | | Symposium on Cetaceans & Cetacean Research strengthened and defined the role of the Australian |
| | | | | Government as an important stakeholder and |
| | | | | contributor to important whale conservation and |
| \$3,495 | \$2,007 | \$5,502 | MALDIVES | science in the Indian Ocean region. |
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| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnerships has led to |
| | | | | the development of research projects for the |
| \$2,013 | \$4,942 | \$6,956 | USA | Australian-led, multi-national Southern Ocean |
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| | | | | Research Partnership which supports the |
| | | | | Australian initiative of moving the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| | | | | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | Attend meetings in Hawaii to finalise and arrange |
| | | | | whale conservation. Then travel to New Zealand to |
| | | | | board the RV Tangaroa to participate in the |
| | | | | Australian - New Zealand Antarctic Whale |
| | | | | Expedition. Attendance at meetings for the |
| | | | | International Whaling Commission provided the |
| | | | | required science and technical support for the |
| | | | | Australian Government delegation in its role of |
| | | | | negotiating a future for the International Whaling |
| | | | USA, NEW | Commission and influencing a stronger |
| \$2,861 | \$7,144 | \$10,005 | ZEALAND | conservation focus. |
| | | | | Representational travel as part of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission provided the required science |
| | | | | and technical support for the Australian |
| | | | | Government delegation in its role of negotiating a |
| | | | | future for the International Whaling Commission |
| \$1,428 | \$8,821 | \$10,248 | CHILE | and influencing a stronger conservation focus. |
| | | | | Representational travel as part of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission provided the required science |
| | | | | and technical support for the Australian |
| | | | | Government delegation in its role of negotiating a |
| | | | | future for the International Whaling Commission |
| \$3,343 | \$11,237 | \$14,580 | USA | and influencing a stronger conservation focus. |
| | | | | Participation on the Australian Government |
| | | | | scientific committee delegation (as Head of |
| | | | | delegation) and the Commission delegation in |
| . | ^ | | | order to support Australia's policy and conservation |
| \$8,051 | \$9,065 | \$17,115 | MOROCCO | objectives at the IWC Commission. |
| | | | | To coordinate media coverage for the return of the |
| | | | | Antarctic Whale voyage to Wellington, New |
| | | | | Zealand. Achieved significant National and |
| ¢4.040 | #2 240 | #2.220 | | International media coverage for the Minister and |
| \$1,019 | \$2,210 | \$3,229 | NEW ZEALAND | the AAD. |
| | | | | To coordinate media coverage for the return of the Antarctic Whale voyage to Wellington, New |
| | | | | Zealand. Achieved significant National and |
| | | | | International media coverage for the Minister and |
| \$1,618 | \$2,249 | \$3,867 | NEW ZEALAND | the AAD. |
| Ψ1,010 | Ψ2,2-0 | Ψ0,007 | | Attend at the International Glaciological Society |
| | | | | "International Symposium on Sea Ice" and the |
| | | | | International Space science Institute Workshops on |
| | | | | "Monitoring of Antarctic Sea Ice During the |
| | | | | International Polar Year" and "Space-borne |
| | | | | Monitoring of the Polar Year" allowed for the |
| | | | | communication of results of Australian sea ice zone |
| | | | | research during this period and facilitated |
| | | | | discussions on international research priorities for |
| | | | | new Antarctic sea ice research. Convened |
| | | | | workshop on Antarctic sea ice drift and improved |
| | | | | international coordination and availability of |
| \$6,306 | \$1,021 | \$7,327 | NORWAY | research data. |

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| | | | | To attend as part of the Australian delegation to the |
| | | | | Antarctic treaty Meeting of Experts on the |
| | | | | management of ship-borne Tourism in the Antarctic |
| | | | | treaty area in Wellington, New Zealand. AAD |
| | | | | participants ensured Australia's Antarctic interests, |
| | | | | including sovereignty, environmental protection, |
| | | | | ship safety, shipping regulation, and industry |
| | | | | interests were advanced. Australia was a leading |
| | | | | participant in the work of the meeting, and |
| | | | | proposed mechanisms for cooperation between the |
| | | | | Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting and the |
| | | | | International Maritime Organisation, which were |
| | | | | supported by the meeting. Australia's assessment |
| | | | | of the environmental impacts of ship-borne tourism |
| | | | | was welcomed as a comprehensive basis for |
| | | | | understanding environmental risks associated with |
| \$1,571 | \$2,322 | \$3,893 | NEW ZEALAND | shipping activity. |
| | | | | To travel to Punta del Este, Uruguay to attend the |
| | | | | 13th meeting of the Committee for Environmental |
| | | | | Protection (ČEP) and the 33rd Antarctic Treaty |
| | | | | Consultative Meeting (ATCM). AAD participants |
| | | | | engaged in plenary and the multiple working |
| | | | | groups of the meetings, and represented |
| | | | | Australia's Antarctic interests, including in |
| | | | | discussions on climate change impacts and |
| | | | | adaptation, environmental protection (including |
| | | | | area protection, and preventing the introduction of |
| | | | | non-native species), tourism management and |
| | | | | vessel safety, interactions with other international |
| | | | | regimes, and Australian inspections of other |
| | | | | national Antarctic facilities. AAD also holds the role |
| | | | | of vice-chair of the Committee for Environmental |
| | | | | Protection, and contributes to the effective |
| \$1,782 | \$12,069 | \$13,850 | URUGUAY | functioning of both forums. |
| | | | | Attendance at the French-Australian symposium |
| | | | | entitled 'The Kerguelen Plateau, marine |
| | | | | ecosystems & Fisheries has led to progress |
| | | | | towards Australia's goal of a joint stock assessment |
| | | | | of toothfish stocks on the Kerguelen Plateau |
| \$2,548 | \$12,272 | \$14,820 | FRANCE | leading to a more sustainable fishery. |
| | | | | Attendance at the "9" international Workshop on |
| | | | | layered Phenomena in the Layered Phenomena in |
| | | | | the Mesopause Region allowed for the presentation |
| | | | | of papers on Antarctic mesosphere summer ice- |
| _ | | 4. | SWEDEN, | aerosol layers and participation as a chair of a |
| \$3,119 | \$4,310 | \$7,429 | NORWAY | conference session. |
| | | | | To attend the 21st annual general meeting of the |
| | | | | Council of Managers of National Antarctic |
| | | | | Programs (COMNAP) in Punta arenas, Chile. The |
| | | | | visit meeting was used to pursue our Antarctic |
| | | | | policy objectives through active participation in the |
| | | | | meeting. Of particular importance with the |
| | | | | opportunity to discuss collaboration and resource |
| *** | 040.555 | 0.40.0 | 0 | sharing activities with other nations active in the |
| \$2,457 | \$10,933 | \$13,390 | CHILE | Australian Antarctic Territory. Discussions led to |

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| | | | | the charter of the Chinese vessel Xue Long to ship |
| | | | | waste from Casey station back to Australia and |
| | | | | support to/from the US Antarctic Program for |
| | | | | aviation operations. |
| | | | | Tokyo JAPAN - EM training at Joel. Learnt new |
| | | | | scientific techniques for studying climate change |
| | | | | impacts on the base of the Southern Ocean food |
| | | | | chain using the AAD's newly acquired Field |
| \$432 | \$0 | \$432 | JAPAN | Emission Scanning Electron Microscope. |
| | | | | To attend the annual International research Ship |
| | | | | operators Meeting (ISOM) to be held in Kiel, |
| | | | | Germany. Also visit design houses and shipyards |
| | | | | engaged in building ice capable ships. Visit was |
| | | | | used to gather information regarding ship design |
| | | | | and current state of icebreaker building capacity in |
| | | | | northern hemisphere. Learnings have been and will |
| | | | | continue to be used in the planning for the anticipated replacement of Australia's Antarctic |
| | | | | shipping capability in the near to medium term. The |
| | | | | International Research Ship Operators' meeting is |
| | | | | the one forum allowing the world's scientific vessel |
| | | | | managers to meet to discuss current developments |
| | | | | and issues effecting their operations. It also |
| | | | FINLAND, | provided valuable information on current new |
| \$3,560 | \$11,941 | \$15,501 | GERMANY | building programs. |
| | | | | Attend NZ Island Eradication Advisory Group |
| | | | | Meeting and Facilitate Selection Centre in |
| | | | | Wellington NZ. Recruitment of appropriate people |
| | | | | for the Eradication Program on Macquarie Island. |
| | | | | Finalisation of the operational plan with expert |
| \$979 | \$0 | \$979 | NEW ZEALAND | advisory input from the New Zealand Government. |
| | | | | To attend the Antarctic Treaty Meeting of experts |
| | | | | on Climate Change Implications for Antarctic |
| | | | | management and Governance in Svolvaer, |
| | | | | Norway. AAD participants comprised Australia's |
| | | | | delegation, and progressed Australia's objectives |
| | | | | for Antarctic environmental protection. AAD participants highlighted Australia's scientific |
| | | | | contribution to understanding climate impacts on |
| | | | | Antarctica, and presented Australia's initial risk |
| | | | | assessment to identify potential climate change |
| | | | | implications for current and future Antarctic |
| | | | | infrastructure, logistics and environmental values |
| | | | | (the first such assessment conducted by an |
| | | | | Antarctic Treaty Party). The meeting recognised |
| | | | GREAT | the value of this approach, and encouraged other |
| \$1,919 | \$11,382 | \$13,301 | BRITAIN | Parties to conduct similar assessments. |
| | | | | Travelling to Mauritius to prepare the vessel & train |
| | | | | personnel to ensure that Australian Antarctic |
| | | | | Division (AAD) deep sea video equipment is |
| | | | | deployed by the Australian Fisheries Management |
| | | | | Authority (AFMA) observers. Preparation and |
| | | | | training of personnel in the use of deep sea video |
| | Φ. | • | MALIDITUIO | equipment has led to the effective deployment of |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | MAURITIUS | scientific equipment on fishing vessel to detect the |

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| | | | | effects of fishing on seafloor communities. |
| \$380 | \$0 | \$380 | TOKYO | Attendance at the Australia/Japan Joint Workshop on Antarctic Science, in response to imprimatur from joint Prime Ministerial statement, allowed for the development of a strategy for closer scientific engagement between the Australian and Japanese Antarctic programs, in particular in the climate and marine ecosystem programs. |
| \$2,027 | \$0 | ¢2 027 | JAPAN | Attendance at the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) Xth Biology Symposium following an invitation to present a keynote address that show speed Australian Antarctic research |
| \$3,927 | \$0 | \$3,927 | | that show-cased Australian Antarctic research Attendance at the International Glaciological Society "International Symposium on Sea Ice" and the International Space science Institute Workshops on "Monitoring of Antarctic Sea Ice during the International Polar Year" and "Space- borne Monitoring of the Polar Year allowed for the communication of the results of Australian sea ice zone research during the International Polar Year, and facilitated discussions on international research priorities for new Antarctic sea ice |
| \$6,693 \$590 | \$4,830 \$1,259 | \$11,523 \$1,849 | NORWAY NEW ZEALAND | research. Deliver essential equipment for repair of an Automatic Weather Station (AWS) to the Chinese Antarctic vessel at Lyttleton, New Zealand and train a Chinese scientist to repair the AWS - New Zealand. Operational requirements - essential. |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | Participate as a member of the Advisory Group in the assessment of Antarctic research investment proposals submitted for funding & logistic support to the New Zealand Foundation for research Science & technology & to Antarctic New Zealand. Fulfilled role as an invited international panel member on NZ advisory committee. Australian participation reflects the standing of our program internationally. |
| \$2,000 | \$ 5.460 | \$0.077 | CEDMANIV | Attendance at the General Assembly of the European Geophysical Union (EGU) and visiting the Uni Of Hamburg allowed for the presentation of Australian research results to international audience and the development of closer links with German program on ice sheet modelling that has led to improved links between Australian ice rheology (laboratory) experiments and end-user (modelling) groups |
| \$3,909 | \$5,168 | \$9,077 | GERMANY | (modelling) groups. To attend the 21st annual general meeting of the Council of Managers of National Antarctic Programs (COMNAP) in Punta arenas, Chile. The visit meeting was used to pursue our Antarctic policy objectives through active participation in the meeting. Of particular importance with the opportunity to discuss collaboration and resource sharing activities with other nations active in the |
| \$2,136 | \$7,923 | \$10,059 | CHILE | Australian Antarctic Territory. Discussions led to |

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| | | | | the charter of the Chinese vessel Xue Long to ship |
| | | | | waste from Casey station back to Australia and |
| | | | | support to/from the US Antarctic Program for |
| | | | | aviation operations. |
| | | | | The New Zealand and Australian Governments are |
| | | | | sponsoring the Antarctic Whale Expedition (AWE) |
| | | | | aboard the R.V. Tangaroa in the Ross Sea and |
| | | | | Southern Ocean. A two day planning meeting for |
| | | | | the AWE will be held in Wellington NZ from 21-23 |
| | | | | Oct 2009. Attendance at the two day planning |
| | | | | meeting for the Antarctic Whaled Expedition led to |
| | | | | successfully advancing plans for the Antarctic |
| | | | | Whale Expedition which supports the Australian |
| | | | | initiative of move the International Whaling |
| A. 000 | A 4 000 | | | Commission towards a more science and |
| \$1,268 | \$1,639 | \$2,907 | NEW ZEALAND | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | Participation in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) has led to the successful completion of the |
| | | | | first major whale research voyage of the Australian- |
| | | | | led Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support the Australian initiative of moving the |
| | | | | International Whaling Commission towards a more |
| \$1,798 | \$2,001 | \$3,800 | NEW ZEALAND | science and conservation focused organisation. |
| Ψ1,700 | Ψ2,001 | ΨΟ,ΟΟΟ | THE VV ZET (ET (IND | To travel to Christchurch, New Zealand to escort |
| | | | | cargo by C17 to McMurdo and then by LC130 to |
| | | | | Casey. Operational requirements -Antarctic |
| \$1,308 | \$2,671 | \$3,979 | NEW ZEALAND | logistics. |
| | | | | To participate in the Antarctic Whale Expedition |
| | | | | (AWE) onboard the R.V. Tangaroa, Wellington, |
| | | | | New Zealand. Successful completion of the first |
| | | | | major whale research voyage of the Australian-led |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership to support |
| | | | | the Australian initiative of moving the International |
| COO 4 | Φ4 7 Γ4 | ФО ООО | | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| \$334 | \$1,754 | \$2,088 | NEW ZEALAND | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | Conducted successful collaborative whale research |
| | | | | with New Zealand as part of the Australian-led, multi-national, Southern Ocean Research |
| \$758 | \$1,407 | \$2,165 | NEW ZEALAND | Partnership. |
| Ψ130 | Ψ1,707 | Ψ2,100 | INCAN CEVEVIAND | Attendance at the Steering Group Meeting for the |
| | | | | Southern Ocean Research Partnership has led to |
| | | | | the development of research projects for the |
| | | | | Australian-led, multi-national Southern Ocean |
| | | | | Research Partnership which supports the |
| | | | | Australian initiative of moving the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission towards a more science and |
| \$1,318 | \$4,790 | \$6,108 | USA | conservation focused organisation. |
| | | | | Representational travel for the participation on the |
| | | | | Australian Government scientific committee |
| AF 016 | # 0.400 | Φ4 4 O 4 O | MODOCCC | delegation in order to support Australia's policy and |
| \$5,212 | \$9,100 | \$14,312 | MOROCCO | conservation objectives at the IWC Commission. |
| | | | | To attend the Scientific Committee on Antarctic |
| | | | | Research (SCAR) Xth Biology Symposium in |
| ¢2 124 | ¢2 062 | ¢ 5 100 | IADAN | Sapporo, Japan. Promoted Australian research |
| \$3,124 | \$2,062 | \$5,186 | JAPAN | interests in Antarctica by presenting results of |

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| | | | | research on Southern Ocean ecosystems. |
| | | | | Participated in international workshop that initiated |
| | | | | the development of a new strategy for Antarctic Life |
| | | | | Sciences research for the Scientific Committee on |
| | | | | Antarctic Research |
| | | | | Attendance at the Australia/Japan Joint Workshop |
| | | | | on Antarctic Science, Australia Japan (Nippon) |
| | | | | Research on East Antarctic Climate Change has |
| | | | | led to the development of joint research program |
| | | | | on the ecological effects of climate change on the |
| \$1,056 | \$0 | \$1,056 | JAPAN | Antarctic ecosystem. |
| | | | | Attendance at the International Symposium |
| | | | | 'Climate Change Effects of Fish Sendai, Japan and |
| | | | | conducting a steering group meeting & database |
| | | | | Workshop for the Japan Science and Technology |
| | | | | Agency and the Australian Department of |
| | | | | Innovation Industry Science and Research (JST- |
| | | | | DIISR) Project at National Institute of Polar |
| | | | | Research (NIPR) has led to the development of |
| #0.000 | Φ0 | #0.000 | LADANI | effective research linkages to investigate the |
| \$3,363 | \$0 | \$3,363 | JAPAN | effects of climate change on Antarctic fisheries. |
| | | | | Attending the launch of the Joint Australian-New |
| | | | | Zealand Antarctic Whale Expedition aboard the RV |
| | | | | Tangaroa in New Zealand. Representational travel |
| | | | | on behalf of the Australian Antarctic Division |
| Ф4 C40 | C4 477 | #0.70 5 | | resulted in the successful departure of the voyage |
| \$1,618 | \$1,177 | \$2,795 | NEW ZEALAND | and Ministerial media event. |
| | | | | Attendance at the Australia/Japan Joint Workshop |
| | | | | on Antarctic Science, was in response to imprimatur from joint Prime Ministerial statement, |
| | | | | allowing for the development of a strategy for |
| | | | | closer scientific engagement between the |
| | | | | Australian and Japanese Antarctic programs, in |
| | | | | particular in the climate and marine ecosystem |
| \$285 | \$0 | \$285 | TOKYO | programs. |
| Ψ203 | ΨΟ | Ψ200 | 101110 | Attendance at Scientific meeting for planning the |
| | | | | international partnerships in Ice Core Sciences |
| | | | | allowed for the provision of expert advice to an |
| | | | | international advisory forum responsible for guiding |
| \$2,625 | \$2,287 | \$4,912 | USA | ice coring activities in Antarctica and Greenland. |
| +-, | , — , — • · | , ., <u>.</u> | - | Attendance at the International Polar Year Science |
| | | | | Conference allowed for the presentation of results |
| | | | | of Australian Antarctic research during the |
| | | | | International Polar Year to an international |
| | | | | audience; coordinated research effort with |
| | | | | international co-authors on peer-reviewed |
| | | | | publications; elected Head of PAGES 2k (Past |
| | | | | Global Changes - 2000 years) ice coring research |
| | | | | program as a direct result of this international |
| \$3,320 | \$4,185 | \$7,504 | NORWAY | engagement. |
| | | | | Attendance at the Surface Ocean - Lower |
| | | | | Atmosphere Study Open Science Conference |
| | | | | provided an opportunity for engagement with senior |
| | | | | scientists internationally on a major Australian |
| \$1,679 | \$3,709 | \$5,388 | SPAIN | research program that directly aligns with new |

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| | | | | strategic plan |
| | | | | To attend as part of the Australian delegation to the Antarctic treaty Meeting of Expert s on the management of ship-borne Tourism in the Antarctic treaty area in Wellington, New Zealand. AAD participants ensured Australia's Antarctic interests, including sovereignty, environmental protection, ship safety, shipping regulation, and industry interests were advanced. Australia was a leading participant in the work of the meeting, and proposed mechanisms for cooperation between the Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting and the International Maritime Organisation, which were supported by the meeting. Australia's assessment |
| \$1,834 | \$11,864 | \$13,698 | URUGUAY | of the environmental impacts of ship-borne tourism was welcomed as a comprehensive basis for understanding environmental risks associated with shipping activity. |
| | . , | | GERMANY, | To attend the Biogeographic Synthesis Workshop to be held in Paris France and to visit Dr M Schroedi en route. Promoted Australia's lead in Antarctic bioregionalisation studies through the |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | FRANCE | international Census of Antarctic Marine Life the |
| | | | GREAT | To attend a budget meeting of the Scientific Committee on Antarctic research (SCAR) and meetings of the Census of Antarctic marine Life and its associated data portal, SCAR-MarBIN in Cambridge United Kingdom. Consolidated Australia's role in setting the strategic direction for the international coordination of Antarctic biodiversity data. Australia's leadership in this area affords considerable national profile and influence |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | BRITAIN | through the Antarctic Treaty System. Recall to duty to attend series of meetings in the |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | GREAT BRITAIN, BELGIUM | UK & Brussels. to preparing highlights of the Census of Antarctic Marine Life (CAML) for project promotion video & signature paper. She will also attend the Gap Analysis workshop with the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) MarBin data portal team in Brussels. Provided extensive international media exposure for the Australian initiated and coordinated Census of Antarctic Marine Life. |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | JAPAN | Attend the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) X Biology Symposium & make presentation on education & Outreach activities of CAML in Japan. Promoted Australia's lead role in initiating the first coordinated international investigation of biodiversity of the Southern Ocean (Census of Antarctic Marine Life). |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | WELLINGTON | Lead meetings on data management from New Zealand's Tangaroa CAML-IPY voyage, make presentation on analysis & synthesis activities of CAML & meet CAML partners in MAF Fish & NIWA, Wellington. Integration and synthesis of data |

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| | | | | acquired during the Australian and New Zealand |
| | | | | components of the Census of Marine Life as a |
| | | | | baseline for detecting future change including the |
| | | | | ecosystem impacts of climate change. |
| | | | | Attend the council of managers of national Antarctic Program (COMNAP) Executive Committee |
| | | | | (EXCOM) Meeting in Christchurch, New Zealand. |
| | | | | Representation on the Executive of the Council of |
| | | | | Managers of National Antarctic Program |
| | | | | (COMNAP) used to pursue our Antarctic policy |
| | | | | objectives. This position increases Australia's |
| \$1,333 | \$900 | \$2,233 | NEW ZEALAND | influence within the Antarctic community. |
| | | | | To attend the 21st annual general meeting of the |
| | | | | Council of Managers of National Antarctic |
| | | | | Programs (COMNAP) in Punta arenas, Chile. The |
| | | | | visit meeting was used to pursue our Antarctic policy objectives through active participation in the |
| | | | | meeting. Of particular importance with the |
| | | | | opportunity to discuss collaboration and resource |
| | | | | sharing activities with other nations active in the |
| | | | | Australian Antarctic Territory. Discussions led to |
| | | | | the charter of the Chinese vessel Xue Long to ship |
| | | | | waste from Casey station back to Australia and |
| # 0.040 | 040.000 | 044440 | 0 | support to/from the US Antarctic Program for |
| \$3,210 | \$10,933 | \$14,143 | CHILE | aviation operations. |
| \$4,132 | \$9,819 | \$13,951 | SWITZERLAND | Represent Australia's membership of Convention |
| | | | | on International Trade in Endangered Specificies (CITES) Standing Committee in Geneva, |
| | | | | Switzerland 3-13 July 2009. The 58th meeting of |
| | | | | the Standing Committee of CITES was held in |
| | | | | Geneva from 6-10 July. Australia attended as the |
| | | | | Oceania representative. Key issues for Australia |
| | | | | included the relationship of CITES and the |
| | | | | Standing Committee with UNEP, interpretation of |
| | | | | criteria for listing species on CITES Appendices as |
| | | | | they relate to marine species, finance & budget, |
| | | | | sustainable harvesting of ramin, elephants, tigers and confirmation that the 15th CITES Conference. |
| \$4,634 | \$9,789 | \$14,423 | SWITZERLAND | Represent Australia's membership of CITES |
| ψ 1,004 | ψο,,, ου | ψ. 1, 120 | | Standing Committee in Geneva, Switzerland 3-13 |
| | | | | July 2009. The 58th meeting of the Standing |
| | | | | Committee of CITES was held in Geneva from 6-10 |
| | | | | July. Australia attended as the Oceania |
| | | | | representative. Key issues for Australia included |
| | | | | the relationship of CITES and the Standing |
| | | | | Committee with UNEP, interpretation of criteria for listing species on CITES Appendices as they relate |
| | | | | to marine species, finance & budget, sustainable |
| | | | | harvesting of ramin, elephants, tigers and |
| | | | | confirmation that the 15th CITES Conference. |
| \$4,706 | \$9,895 | \$14,601 | SWITZERLAND, | Represent Australia's membership of Convention |
| | , | | UNITED | on International Trade in Endangered Species |
| | | | KINGDOM | (CITES) Standing Committee in Geneva, |
| | | | | Switzerland 3-13 July 2009. The 58th meeting of |
| | | | | the Standing Committee of CITES was held in |

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| \$1,191 | \$0 | \$1,191 | NEW ZEALAND | Provide Training Assistance at the Oceania Wildlife Enforcement Workshop in Auckland, NZ 23-29 Aug 2009. Capacity development in terms of implementation of CITES enforcement projects in Oceania countries. |
| \$3,231 | \$11,328 | \$14,558 | UNITED KINGDOM | Member of Australian delegation to 2009 London Protocol/Convention Consultative Meetings of Parties in London, UK 23 Oct - 2 Nov 2009. New resolution adopted by parties to allow export of CO2 for geosequestration (in line with Australian policy objectives for geosequestration). |
| \$3,637 | \$11,477 | \$15,114 | UNITED KINGDOM | Member of Australia's delegation to 2009 London Protocol/Convention Consultative Meeting of Parties in Aberdeen/London, United Kingdom 21 Oct - 1 Nov 2009. New resolution adopted by parties to allow export of CO2 for geosequestration (in line with Australian policy objectives for geosequestration). |
| \$970 | \$985 | \$1,955 | NEW ZEALAND | Attend Australasian Wildlife Management Society Annual Conference in Napier New Zealand, 27 Nov - 6 December 2009. Staff development regarding latest research on wildlife management, to ensure effective regulation of impacts under the EPBC Act. |
| \$1,086 | \$1,414 | \$2,500 | NEW ZEALAND | Attend Australasian Wildlife Management Society Annual Conference in Napier New Zealand, 27 Nov - 6 December 2009. Staff development regarding latest research on wildlife management, to ensure effective regulation of impacts under the EPBC Act. |
| \$1,080 | \$1,151 | \$2,231 | NEW ZEALAND | Attend Australasian Wildlife Management Society Annual Conference in Napier New Zealand 27 November - 6 December 2009. Staff development regarding latest research on wildlife management, to ensure effective regulation of impacts under the EPBC Act. |
| \$1,012 | \$1,573 | \$2,585 | NEW ZEALAND | Attend Australasian Wildlife Management Society Annual Conference in Napier New Zealand, 27 Nov - 6 December 2009. Gained information from leading scientific experts on latest trends in small population management, assisted colonisation, pest species management and the impacts of invasive species on native biodiversity. Information learned relates directly to core work in environmental species management. |
| \$1,325 | \$6,098 | \$7,423 | PHILIPPINES | Provide training assistance at London Protocol Workshop in Manila, Philippines 13-20 Feb 2010. Environmental training and support provided within Asia-Pacific region. |

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| \$6,342 | \$9,901 | \$16,242 | UNITED KINGDOM | Participate in Ocean Fertilization Legal and Related Issues Working Group Meeting in London, UK and meetings in Canberra, Aust. 25 Feb - 5 Mar 2010. Analysis paper completed of options for regulation of ocean fertilisation. |
| \$10,991 | \$7,793 | \$18,784 | QATAR | Member of Australia's delegation to 15th Conference of the Parties/59th and 60th Standing Committee meetings (SC59, SC60) of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (COP15) in Doha, Qatar 9-29 Mar 2010. Australia engaged actively on a range of issues at CoP15 including: marine species trade and CITES implementation; budget and governance; ranching; permit issuing processes; great whales; and regional capacity building and engagement. There were 72 Agenda items and 40 proposals for consideration. Other than some marine proposals and polar bears, most of the CoP15 outcomes aligned with Australian Government positions. Australia was instrumental in getting agreement to a broad definition of ranching to ensure recognition of the conservation benefits of this management tool for a range of species. Australia worked with like-mindeds in the lead up to CoP15 and at the meeting and succeeded in retaining Decision 14.81 relating to whales which agreed that no periodic review of any great whale listing on the CITES appendices would occur while the International Whaling Commission moratorium is in place. |
| \$11,394 | \$8,093 | \$19,488 | QATAR | Member of Australia's delegation to 15th Conference of the Parties/59th and 60th Standing Committee meetings (SC59, SC60) of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (COP15) in Doha, Qatar 9-29 Mar 2010. Australia supported calls for tiger range states to abide by previous resolutions of the Conferences of the Parties, particularly in relation to reporting requirements. Standing Committee agreed to Australia's proposal to refer the issue of interpretation of listing criteria as they relate to marine species to COP15 given the differing views of FAO and the CITES Secretariat. |
| \$11,735 | \$8,011 | \$19,746 | QATAR | Member of Australia's delegation to 15th Conference of the Parties/59th and 60th Standing Committee meetings (SC59, SC60) of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (COP15) in Doha, Qatar 9-29 May 2010 Australia supported calls for tiger range states to abide by previous resolutions of the Conferences of the Parties, particularly in relation to reporting requirements. Standing Committee agreed to Australia's proposal to refer the issue of interpretation of listing criteria |

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| | | | | as they relate to marine species to COP15 given |
| | | | | the differing views of FAO and the CITES |
| | | | | Secretariat. |
| \$24,014 | \$8,107 | \$32,121 | QATAR | Member of Australia's delegation to 15th |
| | | | | Conference of the Parties/59th and 60th Standing |
| | | | | Committee meetings (SC59, SC60) of the |
| | | | | Convention on International Trade in Endangered |
| | | | | Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (COP15) in Doha, Qatar 9-28 Mar 2010. Australia engaged |
| | | | | actively on a range of issues at CoP15 including: |
| | | | | marine species trade and CITES implementation; |
| | | | | budget and governance; ranching; permit issuing |
| | | | | processes; great whales; and regional capacity |
| | | | | building and engagement. There were 72 Agenda |
| | | | | items and 40 proposals for consideration. Other |
| | | | | than some marine proposals and polar bears, most |
| | | | | of the CoP15 outcomes aligned with Australian |
| | | | | Government positions. Australia was instrumental in getting agreement to a broad definition of |
| | | | | ranching to ensure recognition of the conservation |
| | | | | benefits of this management tool for a range of |
| | | | | species. Australia worked with like-mindeds in the |
| | | | | lead up to CoP15 and at the meeting and |
| | | | | succeeded in retaining Decision 14.81 relating to |
| | | | | whales which agreed that no periodic review of any |
| | | | | great whale listing on the CITES appendices would |
| | | | | occur while the International Whaling Commission |
| ¢0 007 | \$8,137 | \$17,124 | QATAR | moratorium is in place. |
| \$8,987 | φο, 137 | Φ17,124 | QATAN | Member of Australia's delegation to 15th Conference of the Parties/59th and 60th Standing |
| | | | | Committee meetings (SC59, SC60) of the |
| | | | | Convention on International Trade in Endangered |
| | | | | Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (COP15) |
| | | | | in Doha, Qatar 11 - 28 Mar 2010. Australia |
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| | | | | implementation; budget and governance; ranching; |
| | | | | permit issuing processes; great whales; and regional capacity building and engagement. There |
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| | | | | consideration. Other than some marine proposals |
| | | | | and polar bears, most of the CoP15 outcomes |
| | | | | aligned with Australian Government positions. |
| | | | | Australia was instrumental in getting agreement to |
| | | | | a broad definition of ranching to ensure recognition |
| | | | | of the conservation benefits of this management |
| | | | | tool for a range of species. Australia worked with like-mindeds in the lead up to CoP15 and at the |
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| | | | | relating to whales which agreed that no periodic |
| | | | | review of any great whale listing on the CITES |
| | | | | appendices would occur while the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission moratorium is in place. |
| \$2,617 | \$311 | \$2,928 | SWITZERLAND | Present at and participate in Conference of the |
| | | | | International Association for Impact Assessment |

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| | | | | (IAIA) in Geneva, Switzerland 4-16 Apr 2010. Co- |
| | | | | presented a workshop that provided a 'comparative |
| | | | | review of three distinct environmental impact |
| | | | | assessment (EIA) regimes, sharing experiences |
| | | | | and approaches to addressing common |
| | | | | challenges, including lessons learned and best |
| | | | | practices in applying EIA to complex |
| | | | | multijurisdictional projects and Aboriginal |
| | | | | engagement'. The three regimes were Australia, |
| | | | | Canada and USA. Engaged with a range of |
| | | | | international practitioners on recent developments |
| | | | | in impact assessment to determine implications for environmental management in Australia, in |
| | | | | particular, in the context of the EPBC Act review. |
| \$391 | \$13,966 | \$14,357 | AUSTRALIA, | Represent Australia at London Protocol and |
| φοστ | ψ10,000 | ψ14,007 | SAMOA | Convention Scientific Group's Meeting - London, |
| | | | <i>C</i> , | UK. Adopted the Assessment Framework for |
| | | | | Scientific Research Involving Ocean Fertilization |
| | | | | and agreed to work towards a regulatory |
| | | | | mechanism for ocean fertilisation activities. |
| | | | | World Summit on Arts and Culture and for bilateral |
| | | | | meetings with South African cultural agencies and |
| | | | | organisations - Johannesburg and Cape Town, |
| \$3,397 | \$7,823 | \$11,220 | SOUTH AFRICA | South Africa 20 Sep - 1 Oct 2009. |
| | | | | World Summit on Arts and Culture and for bilateral |
| | | | | meetings with South African cultural agencies and |
| ¢2 674 | \$7,823 | ¢11 407 | SOUTH AFRICA | organisations - Johannesburg and Cape Town, |
| \$3,674 | \$1,023 | \$11,497 | 3001H AFRICA | South Africa 20 Sep - 1 Oct 2009. Exhibition condition check on Balgo: Contemporary |
| | | | | Australian Art from the Balgo Hills - Beijing, China |
| \$1,882 | \$4,219 | \$6,101 | CHINA | 6-18 June 2010. |
| ψ.,σσ <u>=</u> | Ψ .,= . σ | Ψο, | UNITED | Give presentations and participate on panel at |
| | | | STATES OF | Asphalt's 'Make it in Australia' film mission in Los |
| \$3,014 | \$9,471 | \$12,485 | AMERICA | Angeles, USA 11-19 Oct 2009. |
| | | | AUSTRIA, | |
| | | | UNITED ARAB | VIENNA, Austria - Meeting of Protection Against |
| \$2,170 | \$9,573 | \$11,743 | EMIRATES | Trafficking in Cultural Property Expert Group |
| | | | | ROME - XXVITH Session of The General |
| | | | | Assembly of the Centre for the Study of the |
| *** | 07.00 | Φ4 0 0 | IT 41.37 | Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property |
| \$2,770 | \$7,984 | \$10,753 | ITALY | (ICCROM) |
| Ø4 70F | ¢0.070 | ¢44.600 | CWITZEDI AND | Attend UNESCO Human Rights Conference |
| \$1,725 | \$9,878 | \$11,603 | SWITZERLAND | Geneva Switzerland 30 Jan - 05 Feb 2010. |
| \$1,162 | \$1,349 | \$2,511 | NEW ZEALAND | Australasian Registrars Committee Conference in Christchurch, NZ 23-27 Feb 2010. |
| \$1,102 | ψ1,349 | Ψ∠,ΌΙΙ | INL VV ZĽALAINU | Take part in expert panel at Assail forum and lead |
| | | | | meetings with the British Film Commissioner, Film |
| | | | UNITED | London, Screen Wales and the Australian High |
| \$5,021 | \$9,732 | \$14,754 | KINGDOM | Commission in London, UK 7-16 May 2010. |
| 7-, | + - 1· · · · | , ,· - · | | 29th Open Ended Working Group, Meeting of the |
| | | | | Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that |
| | | | | Deplete the Ozone Layer in Montreal, Canada and |
| | | | CANADA, | Geneva, Switzerland 3 - 21July 2009 - ensured |
| | | | SINGAPORE, | Australia's interests were incorporated in the |
| \$7,060 | \$22,757 | \$29,817 | SWITZERLAND | preparation of draft decisions regarding methyl |

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| | | | | bromide use, the phase out of ozone depleting |
| | | | | substances and the potential use of funding from |
| | | | | the Multilateral Fund for the destruction of ozone |
| | | | | depleting substances. The possible incorporation of |
| | | | | hydrofluorocarbons under the Montreal Protocol |
| | | | | was discussed extensively. |
| | | | | 29th Open Ended Working Group, Meeting of the |
| | | | | Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that |
| | | | | Deplete the Ozone Layer in Montreal, Canada and |
| | | | | Geneva, Switzerland 3 - 21July 2009 (Trip 38225) - |
| | | | | ensured Australia's interests were incorporated in |
| | | | | the preparation of draft decisions regarding methyl |
| | | | | bromide use, the phase out of ozone depleting |
| | | | | substances and the potential use of funding from |
| | | | CANADA | the Multilateral Fund for the destruction of ozone |
| | | | CANADA, | depleting substances. The possible incorporation of |
| \$6,636 | \$11,870 | \$18,506 | SINGAPORE, SWITZERLAND | hydrofluorocarbons under the Montreal Protocol was discussed extensively. |
| \$0,030 | \$11,670 | \$10,500 | SWITZERLAND | Asia Pacific Economic Countries (APEC) 8th |
| | | | | Chemical Dialogue meeting in Singapore 29 July - |
| | | | | 3 August 2009 (Trip 38896) - coordinated and |
| | | | | represented Australia's position on chemical |
| | | | | regulatory and trade issues for chemicals in the |
| \$2,327 | \$4,937 | \$7,265 | SINGAPORE | APEC region. |
| , | . , | | | Montreal Protocol: South East Asia and Pacific |
| | | | | Regional Network for the phase out of ozone |
| | | | | depleting substances, Chiang Mai, Thailand 7-13 |
| | | | | Oct 2009 (Trip 39514) - represented Australia's |
| | | | | interests and provided regional liaison in regional |
| \$639 | \$4,209 | \$4,847 | THAILAND | implementation of the Montreal Protocol. |
| | | | | 5th Meeting of the Persistent Organic Pollutants |
| | | | | Review Committee under the Stockholm |
| | | | | Convention in Geneva, Switzerland 7-18 Oct 2009 |
| | | | | (Trip 39730) - participated as scientific expert nominated by Australia in determining the |
| | | | | Committee's recommendations for listing of |
| | | | | hazardous chemicals under the Stockholm |
| | | | | Convention which has legally binding obligations |
| | | | | for Australia in controlling the use of listed |
| \$4,295 | \$7,129 | \$11,424 | SWITZERLAND | chemicals. |
| | | | | 5th Meeting of the Persistent Organic Pollutants |
| | | | | Review Committee under the Stockholm |
| | | | | Convention in Geneva, Switzerland 9-19 Oct 2009 |
| | | | | (Trip 40709) - successfully promoted Australia's |
| | | | | interests in the review of hazardous chemicals for |
| | | | | listing under the Stockholm Convention which has |
| #4.050 | #0.707 | #40.040 | CMITZEDI AND | legally binding obligations for Australia in |
| \$4,050 | \$9,797 | \$13,848 | SWITZERLAND | controlling the use of listed chemicals. |
| | | | | Open-Ended Working Group to prepare for the First |
| | | | | Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee on Mercury and UNEP Committee on Financing |
| | | | | Chemicals and Waste in Bangkok, Thailand 16-28 |
| | | | | Oct 2009 (Trip 39266) - ensured that Australia's |
| | | | | interests were protected in reaching agreement on |
| \$1,940 | \$4,746 | \$6,686 | THAILAND | the procedure proposed for drafting the new legally |

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| | | | | binding instrument which will affect mercury |
| | | | | emissions and trade in mercury products. |
| | | | | Open-Ended Working Group to prepare for the First |
| | | | | Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee on |
| | | | | Mercury and UNEP Committee on Financing |
| | | | | Chemicals and Waste in Bangkok, Thailand 16-25 |
| | | | | Oct 2009 (Trip 40239) - ensured that Australia's |
| | | | | interests were protected in reaching agreement on |
| | | | | the procedure proposed for drafting the new legally |
| #4.700 | Φ4. 7 40 | CO 400 | THAIL AND | binding instrument which will affect mercury |
| \$1,722 | \$4,746 | \$6,468 | THAILAND | emissions and trade in mercury products. |
| | | | | 21st Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol |
| | | | | on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer in |
| | | | | Port Ghalid, Egypt 31 Oct - 16 Nov 2009 (Trip 40782) - achieved Australia's objectives in retaining |
| | | | | the use of methyl bromide for critical agricultural |
| | | | | and quarantine purposes, while increasing |
| | | | | progress in the phase out of ozone depleting |
| \$3,102 | \$6,386 | \$9,488 | EGYPT | substances overall. |
| +5,15= | 4 0,000 | 40,100 | | 21st Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol |
| | | | | on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer in |
| | | | | Port Ghalid, Egypt 31 Oct - 16 Nov 2009 (Trip |
| | | | | 40783) - achieved Australia's objectives in retaining |
| | | | | the use of methyl bromide for critical agricultural |
| | | | | and quarantine purposes, while increasing the |
| \$2,847 | \$6,161 | \$9,008 | EGYPT | phase out of ozone depleting substances overall. |
| | | | | 21st Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol |
| | | | | on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer in |
| | | | | Port Ghalid, Egypt 31 Oct - 10 Nov 2009 (Trip |
| | | | | 40782) - achieved Australia's objectives in retaining the use of methyl bromide for critical agricultural |
| | | | | and quarantine purposes, while increasing the |
| \$1,511 | \$8,061 | \$9,572 | EGYPT | phase out of ozone depleting substances overall. |
| ψ1,σ11 | φο,σσι | Ψο,ο. Σ | 2011 1 | Montreal Protocol: Pacific Island Committee |
| | | | | Regional Network for the phase out of ozone |
| | | | | depleting substances, Fiji, Suva - National |
| | | | | Inception - represented Australia's interests and |
| | | | | provided regional liaison in regional implementation |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | FIJI | of the Montreal Protocol. |
| | | | | Basel Convention - 2nd Meeting of the Indonesian- |
| | | | | Switzerland Country Lead Initiative to address the |
| | | | | challenges associated with the Ban Amendment in |
| | | | | Wildhaus, Switzerland 9-18 Jan 2010 (Trip 42252) - |
| | | | | protected Australia's interests in application of its |
| | | | | hazardous waste legislation which would be compromised by the adoption of the Ban |
| \$3,054 | \$10,279 | \$13,332 | SWITZERLAND | Amendment. |
| ψυ,υυ- | Ψ10,213 | ψ10,002 | OWITZERCAND | International Energy Agency - Advanced Motor |
| | | | | fuels Meeting - pre-eminent international platform |
| | | | | for co-operation to develop cleaner and more |
| | | | | energy efficient fuels and vehicle |
| | | | | technologies. Participation provided access |
| | | | | to international data and ability to influence |
| \$317 | \$4,745 | \$5,063 | THAILAND | future research priorities, Bangkok, Thailand |
| \$2,304 | \$5,984 | \$8,288 | JAPAN | Basel Convention - Asian Network for Prevention of |

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Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities portfolio

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| | | | | Illegal Transboundary Movement of Hazardous |
| | | | | Wastes in Yokohama, Japan 24-31 Jan 2010 - |
| | | | | provided regional liaison in enforcing Australia's |
| | | | | hazardous waste legislation and obligations under |
| | | | | the Basel Convention. |
| | | | | Australian Federal Police (AFP) nominated expert |
| | | | | in joint operation with UN Office on Drugs and |
| | | | | Crime to destroy illicit chemicals, Phnom Penh, |
| | | | | Cambodia 24 Jan - 9 Feb 2010 - helped the AFP in |
| \$247 | \$0 | \$247 | CAMBODIA | safely destroying illicit drugs. |
| | | | | OECD 45th Joint Meeting on Chemicals |
| | | | | Management - pre-eminent world body for the |
| | | | | harmonisation and standard setting for chemicals |
| | | | | management, biotechnology and nanotechnology. |
| | | | | Paris, France - ensured Australia's involvement in, |
| | _ | | | and agreement to, the setting of new international |
| \$3,669 | \$8,431 | \$12,100 | FRANCE | standards. |
| | | | | OECD 45th Joint Meeting on Chemicals |
| | | | | Management - pre-eminent world body for the |
| | | | | harmonisation and standard setting for chemicals |
| | | | | management, biotechnology and nanotechnology. |
| | | | | Paris, France - ensured Australia's involvement in, |
| | _ | | | and agreement to, the setting of new international |
| \$3,618 | \$8,129 | \$11,747 | FRANCE | standards. |
| | | | | Extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the |
| | | | | Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm |
| | | | | Conventions (hazardous wastes and chemicals) |
| | | | | and the 11th special session of the Governing |
| | | | | Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum |
| | | | | (GCSXXI) in Bali, Indonesia 19-28 Feb 2010 - |
| | | | | achieved Australia's objectives in obtaining |
| | | | | agreement on greater synergies and effectiveness |
| Φ0 | ФО. | ФО. | INDONECIA | in the management of hazardous wastes, |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | INDONESIA | chemicals and heavy metals. |
| | | | | Extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the |
| | | | | Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm |
| | | | | Conventions (hazardous wastes and chemicals) |
| | | | | and the 11th special session of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum |
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| | | | | (GCSXXI) in Bali, Indonesia 19-28 Feb 2010-achieved Australia's objectives in obtaining |
| | | | | agreement on greater synergies and effectiveness |
| | | | | in the management of hazardous wastes, |
| \$3,111 | \$2,952 | \$6,064 | INDONESIA | chemicals and heavy metals. |
| ΨΟ,ΤΙΤ | ΨΖ,ΞΊΖ | ψυ,υυ ή | "ADOINEOIA | Asia Pacific Economic Countries (APEC) Chemical |
| | | | | Dialogue Meetings in Tokyo/Hiroshima, Japan 21 |
| | | | | Feb - 6 Mar 2010 - coordinated and represented |
| | | | | Australia's position on chemical regulatory and |
| \$4,438 | \$9,822 | \$14,260 | JAPAN | trade issues for chemicals in the APEC region. |
| ψ+,+50 | Ψ0,022 | Ψ17,200 | J/ II / II 1 | Asia Pacific Economic Countries (APEC) Chemical |
| | | | | Dialogue Meetings in Tokyo/Hiroshima, Japan 21 |
| | | | | Feb - 6 Mar 2010 - coordinated and represented |
| | | | | Australia's position on chemical regulatory and |
| \$5,084 | \$9,822 | \$14,906 | JAPAN | trade issues for chemicals in the APEC region. |
| \$3,439 | \$8,674 | \$12,113 | SWITZERLAND | 6th Meeting of the Chemical Review Committee of |
| φ3,439 | ψ0,074 | ل با∠,۱۱۵ | OWITZERLAND | out meeting of the Ohermoal Neview Committee of |

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| | | | | the Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed |
| | | | | Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous |
| | | | | Chemicals/Pesticides in International Trade - |
| | | | | Geneva, Switzerland 12-21 Mar 2010 - successfully |
| | | | | promoted Australia's interests in the review of |
| | | | | hazardous chemicals for listing under the |
| | | | | Rotterdam Convention which has legally binding |
| | | | | obligations for Australia in the trade of listed |
| | | | | chemicals. |
| | | | | 60th meeting of the Executive Committee of the |
| | | | | Montreal Protocol Multilateral Fund (MLF) in |
| | | | | Montreal Canada 10-18 Apr 2010 - as a member of |
| | | | | the committee, Australia determined funding |
| \$2,440 | \$12,391 | \$14,830 | CANADA | allocations to developing countries from the MLF. |
| | | | | Montreal Protocol: South East Asia and Pacific |
| | | | | Regional Network for the phase out of ozone |
| | | | | depleting substances, Manilla, Philippine 25-30 Apr |
| | | | | 2010 - represented Australia's interests and |
| | | | | provided regional liaison in regional implementation |
| \$941 | \$4,992 | \$5,933 | PHILIPPINES | of the Montreal Protocol. |
| | | | | Open-ended Working Group of the Basel |
| | | | | Convention on the Control of Transboundary |
| | | | | Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their |
| | | | | Disposal in Geneva, Switzerland 7-18 May 2010 - |
| | | | | ensured Australia's interests were met in the |
| | | | | drafting of decisions on the transboundary |
| # 4 500 | # 40 5 00 | 045.000 | 014/177501 4110 | movement of hazardous wastes for adoption at the |
| \$4,522 | \$10,560 | \$15,083 | SWITZERLAND | Conference of Parties in 2011. |
| | | | | Open-ended Working Group of the Basel |
| | | | | Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their |
| | | | | Disposal in Geneva, Switzerland 7-18 May 2010 - |
| | | | | ensured Australia's interests were met in the |
| | | | | drafting of decisions on the transboundary |
| | | | | movement of hazardous wastes for adoption at the |
| \$4,090 | \$10,560 | \$14,650 | SWITZERLAND | Conference of Parties in 2011. |
| Ψ-7,000 | ψ.ο,οοο | Ψ. 4,000 | SWITZEREAND | Mercury UNEP First Meeting of the |
| | | | | Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee on a |
| | | | | legally Binding Instrument for Mercury, Stockholm, |
| | | | | Sweden 3-14 Jun 2010 - ensured Australia's |
| | | | | interests were met in the first negotiating session |
| | | | | on drafting of a new legally binding instrument |
| | | | | which will affect mercury emissions and trade in |
| \$3,910 | \$9,905 | \$13,815 | SWEDEN | mercury products. |
| . , | . , | , | | Mercury UNEP First Meeting of the |
| | | | | Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee on a |
| | | | | legally Binding Instrument for Mercury, Stockholm, |
| | | | | Sweden 3-14 Jun 2010 - ensured Australia's |
| | | | | interests were met in the first negotiating session |
| | | | | on drafting of a new legally binding instrument |
| | | | | which will affect mercury emissions and trade in |
| \$3,819 | \$9,905 | \$13,724 | SWEDEN | mercury products. |
| | | | | 30th meeting of the Open Ended Working Group, |
| | | | | Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the |
| \$3,082 | \$7,548 | \$10,631 | SWITZERLAND | Ozone Layer in Geneva, Switzerland 11-21 Jun |

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| 2010 - ensured Australia's interests were incorporated in the draft decisions for considerat at the Meeting of Parties in November 2010. Issuincluded: proposals to extend coverage of the Montreal Protocol to hydrofluorocarbons, which a not ozone depleting, but are greenhouse gases; methyl bromide issues (2012 Critical Use Exemption for rice and strawberry runners, and Quarantine and pre-shipment consumption); environmentally sound management of ozone depleting substances under the Montreal Protocoreview of the financial mechanism of the Montreal | ies |
|---|------|
| at the Meeting of Parties in November 2010. Issuincluded: proposals to extend coverage of the Montreal Protocol to hydrofluorocarbons, which a not ozone depleting, but are greenhouse gases; methyl bromide issues (2012 Critical Use Exemption for rice and strawberry runners, and Quarantine and pre-shipment consumption); environmentally sound management of ozone depleting substances under the Montreal Protocol | ies |
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| depleting substances under the Montreal Protoco | |
| | ol: |
| review of the infancial mechanism of the Monite | |
| Protocol; and preparations for the funding | • |
| replenishment negotiations next year. | |
| 30th meeting of the Open Ended Working Group | |
| Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the | |
| Ozone Layer in Geneva, Switzerland 11-21 Jun | C |
| 2010 - ensured Australia's interests were | |
| incorporated in the draft decisions for considerat | ion |
| at the Meeting of Parties in November 2010. Issu | |
| included: proposals to extend coverage of the | 162 |
| | |
| Montreal Protocol to hydrofluorocarbons, which a | are |
| not ozone depleting, but are greenhouse gases; | |
| methyl bromide issues (2012 Critical Use | |
| Exemption for rice and strawberry runners, and | |
| Quarantine and pre-shipment consumption); | |
| environmentally sound management of ozone | . 1. |
| depleting substances under the Montreal Protoco | |
| review of the financial mechanism of the Montrea | al |
| Protocol; and preparations for the funding | |
| \$3,163 \$7,548 \$10,712 SWITZERLAND replenishment negotiations next year. | |
| Attend and present at the Environmental | |
| Assessment in Federations: Current and Emergi | ng |
| \$2,952 \$10,503 \$13,456 CANADA Issues Conference. | |
| Chair closing session and provide keynote closing | g |
| address for OECD workshop on 'Improving the | |
| information base to better guide water resource | |
| management decision making in Zaragoza, Spa | |
| 1-9 May 2010. Showcasing holistic Australian wa | |
| management and importance of quality informati | on |
| \$1,400 \$12,308 \$13,708 ITALY, SPAIN in decision making. | |
| Provide assistance to PNG's Kokoda Track | |
| Authority (KTA) to implement priorities of the Join | nt |
| Understanding between PNG and Australia to | |
| PAPUA NEW protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 1 | - |
| \$7,973 \$3,927 \$11,901 GUINEA 17 July 2009. | |
| High level meetings with PNG agencies and | |
| announcement of projects implemented through | |
| Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia | |
| PAPUA NEW protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 1 | 9- |
| \$2,499 \$3,622 \$6,121 GUINEA 24 July 2009. | |
| Lead high level meetings with PNG agencies and | |
| announcement of projects implemented through | the |
| PAPUA NEW Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia | to |
| \$1,401 \$3,946 \$5,347 GUINEA protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 1 | 9- |

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| | | | | 23 July 2009. |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | Prime Minister's Special Envoy on Kokoda high level meetings with PNG agencies and announcement of projects implemented through the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 19- |
| \$2,367 | \$3,887 | \$6,254 | GUINEA | 24 July 2009. |
| \$12,013 | \$4,104 | \$16,116 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Support the PNG Environment Department in development of technical geographical information system expertise to implement priorities of the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 12 Aug - 11 Dec 2009. |
| \$3,051 | \$3,830 | \$6,881 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Support to PNG Ministers' walk of the Kokoda Track and meetings on the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track, PNG 26 Aug-1 Sep 2009. |
| \$3,365 | \$4,269 | \$7,634 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Provide assistance to the Kokoda Track Authority (KTA) to implement priorities of the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 24 Aug - 11 Sep 2009. |
| \$2,699 | \$3,389 | \$6,089 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Participation in PNG Ministers' walk of the Kokoda Track and meetings on the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track PNG 26 Aug - 7 Sep 2009. |
| \$2,392 | \$3,842 | \$6,235 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Participation in PNG Ministers' walk of the Kokoda Track and meetings on the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track PNG 26 Aug - 7 Sep 2009. |
| \$1,300 | \$3,373 | \$4,673 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Visit by Prime Minister's Special Envoy on Kokoda to agree Kokoda Track Safety Package with PNG Ministers, Port Moresby, PNG 23-25 Aug 2009. |
| \$2,169 | \$4,397 | \$6,566 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Meetings in Port Moresby with PNG agencies to develop and agree a bilateral package to improve safety along the Kokoda Track, PNG 23-26 Aug 2009. |
| \$5,113 | \$1,609 | \$6,722 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | Meetings to implement Kokoda Track Safety Upgrades following announcement by Australian and PNG Ministers - Port Moresby, PNG 6-16 Sep 2009. |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | Deployment of land use planning expert to assist PNG Environment Department to progress priorities of the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track - Port |
| \$6,373 | \$3,674 | \$10,048 | GUINEA | Moresby, PNG 12 Oct - 11 Dec 2009. Co-organised (with China) the first global World Heritage policy-making workshop on tourism, China 19 Sep - 2 Oct 2009. Outcomes for Australia included its perspective on World Heritage Management included in the Operational Guidelines, new policy orientations to define the relationship between tourism and heritage and enhanced reputation for Australia as an active |
| \$2,555 | \$5,105 | \$7,660 | CHINA | contributor to global World Heritage development. |

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| Heritage policy-making worksh | |
| 19 Sep - 2 Oct 2009. Outcome | |
| included its perspective on Wo | |
| Management included in the C | |
| Guidelines, new policy oriental | |
| relationship between tourism a | |
| enhanced reputation for Austra | |
| \$2,086 \$5,105 \$7,191 CHINA contributor to global World Hei | |
| Co-chaired (with China) the first | |
| Heritage policy-making worksh | |
| 24 Sep - 2 Oct 2009. Outcome | |
| included its perspective on Wo | |
| Management included in the C | |
| | |
| Guidelines, new policy oriental | |
| relationship between tourism a | U |
| enhanced reputation for Austra | |
| \$1,349 \$5,161 \$6,510 CHINA contributor to global World Hel | |
| Meetings on planning and bud | |
| the future implementation of the | |
| Understanding between Austra | |
| PAPUA NEW protect the Kokoda Track - Po | rt Moresby, PNG 21- |
| \$473 \$3,653 \$4,126 GUINEA 25 Sep 2009. | |
| Assist PNG agencies to impler | |
| Safety Package activities and | |
| level meeting with Australian of | |
| development of a Second Join | |
| PAPUA NEW between PNG and Australia to | |
| \$9,756 \$3,906 \$13,662 GUINEA Track in Port Moresby, PNG 1 | |
| Assist the PNG Environment D | |
| prepare for critical National Ko | |
| Taskforce meetings, including | |
| PAPUA NEW bilaterally-agreed Kokoda Trac | |
| \$5,178 \$4,254 \$9,433 GUINEA Port Moresby, PNG 27 Sep - 9 | |
| Joint PNG-Australia review of | the Kokoda Initiative, |
| a requirement of the Joint Und | erstanding between |
| PNG and Australia to protect the | he Kokoda Track - |
| PAPUA NEW Port Moresby and other location | ons, PNG 4-16 Oct |
| \$4,979 \$4,254 \$9,234 GUINEA 2009. | |
| Drafted background document | s and final report |
| (both on behalf of UNESCO Se | ecretariat) 17th |
| General Assembly of States P | |
| Heritage Convention in Paris, | |
| for Australia included agreeme | |
| to our strategy to strengthen th | • |
| World Heritage Convention, w | |
| major World Heritage policy in | |
| Convention's 40th anniversary | |
| Australian representative at ex | , , , |
| Workshop on Serial World Her | |
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| | e wona nentade |
| key contested policy area in th | |
| key contested policy area in th Convention, Germany 21 Oct | - 13 Nov 2009. |
| key contested policy area in th | - 13 Nov 2009. ed positive influence |

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Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities portfolio

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| | | | | Assist the Kokoda Track Authority to implement the |
| | | | | Kokoda Livelihoods Project and Kokoda Track |
| | | | | Safety Package, key projects under the Joint |
| | | | DADILA NEVA | Understanding between PNG and Australia to |
| £4.404 | CO 044 | #0.400 | PAPUA NEW | protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 20- |
| \$4,491 | \$3,911 | \$8,402 | GUINEA | 30 Oct 2009. Attend as member of World Heritage Committee |
| | | | | the 17th General Assembly of States Parties to the |
| | | | | World Heritage Convention in Paris, France |
| | | | | (chaired discussions on Australia's initiative to |
| | | | | promote reflection upon the future of the World |
| | | | | Heritage Convention) and attended 2009 Pacific |
| | | | ED ANIOE | World Heritage Workshop in French Polynesia (a |
| | | | FRANCE, | regional initiative to build capacity on World |
| \$5,465 | \$18,831 | \$24,296 | FRENCH POLYNESIA | Heritage co-sponsored by Australia) 21 Oct - 8 Nov 2009. |
| φ5,405 | काठ,ठउ। | φ24,290 | FOLTNESIA | Attended 2009 Pacific World Heritage Workshop (a |
| | | | | regional initiative to build capacity on World |
| | | | FRENCH | Heritage co-sponsored by Australia), French |
| \$1,138 | \$4,156 | \$5,293 | POLYNESIA | Polynesia 1 - 8 Nov 2009. |
| | | | | Progress implementation of activities under the |
| | | | | Kokoda Track Safety Package, including |
| | | | | consultation with PNG agencies, and priorities of |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda Track - Port |
| \$3,820 | \$3,884 | \$7,704 | GUINEA | Moresby, PNG 4-13 Nov 2009. |
| ψ0,020 | φο,σοι | Ψ1,101 | 00111271 | Work within the PNG Environment Department to |
| | | | | assist implementation of priorities under the Joint |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | Understanding between PNG and Australia to |
| \$11,197 | \$2,036 | \$13,233 | GUINEA | protect the Kokoda Track. |
| | | | | Lead Australian delegation to 20th SPREP |
| \$788 | \$2,935 | \$3,723 | SAMOA | Meeting, the key regional environment organisation, Apia, Samoa 14-22 Nov 2009. |
| Ψίου | Ψ2,500 | ΨΟ,720 | O/ (IVIO/ C | Handover activities and management of the |
| | | | | Kokoda Track Safety Package to new Safety |
| | | | | Project Manager in the Kokoda Track Authority and |
| | | | | liaise with AusAID, and PNG officials to finalise |
| D4 400 | 04.070 | 00.405 | PAPUA NEW | project planning - Port Moresby, PNG 15-18 Dec |
| \$1,462 | \$1,673 | \$3,135 | GUINEA | 2009. |
| | | | | Workshop (co-sponsored by Australia) on decision making procedures in statutory organs of the World |
| | | | | Heritage Convention (drafted background papers |
| \$108 | \$0 | \$108 | BAHRAIN | and final report), Bahrain 14-19 Dec 2009. |
| | | | | Assist PNG Environment Department to finalise |
| | | | | project plans and new PNG Government budget |
| | | | | allocations for Kokoda Initiative for the |
| | | | | implementation of the Joint Understanding between |
| \$6,397 | \$3,317 | \$9,714 | PAPUA NEW GUINEA | PNG and Australia - Port Moresby, PNG 17-29 Jan 2010. |
| ΨΟ,ΟΘΙ | ΨΟ,Ο17 | Ψυ, ι ι τ | JUNEA | Chaired the 2010 meeting of delegates to the |
| | | | | Historic Shipwrecks Act (1976) and attended the |
| | | | | Heritage Chairs and Officials of Australia and New |
| | | | | Zealand meetings, Wellington and Christchurch, |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | NZ 22-25 Feb 2010. |
| \$926 | \$2,359 | \$3,285 | NEW ZEALAND | Provision of secretariat services to the 2010 |

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| | | | | meeting of delegates to the Historic Shipwrecks Act |
| | | | | (1976) (HSD) biannual meeting in Wellington (23- 24 February 2010) preceding the meeting of the |
| | | | | Heritage Chairs and Officials of Australia and New |
| | | | | Zealand, as most HSD's are also heritage officials |
| | | | | on the HCOANZ. Outcomes for Australia included |
| | | | | the holding of the biannual meeting of the HSD as |
| | | | | a joint meeting with New Zealand officials. Topics |
| | | | | which were discussed included the management of |
| | | | | underwater cultural heritage and opportunities to assist between the jurisdictions. The meeting also |
| | | | | enabled the exchange of information on Australia |
| | | | | and New Zealand's position concerning ratification |
| | | | | of the UNESCO 2001 Convention for the Protection |
| | | | | of the Underwater Cultural Heritage. A key issue |
| | | | | was the finalisation of the intergovernmental |
| | | | | agreement for Underwater Cultural Heritage which was endorsed by EPHC in May 2010. The |
| | | | | Australian National Shipwreck Database was also |
| | | | | considered by New Zealand officials positively as a |
| | | | | possible vehicle for the documentation and |
| | | | | management of their underwater cultural heritage. Consultations with governments and local |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | communities on AusAID-funded Pacific Public |
| | | | GUINEA, | Sector Linkages projects related to World Heritage |
| | | | SOLOMON | in the Solomon Islands and PNG 8 Feb - 5 March |
| \$7,305 | \$3,640 | \$10,945 | ISLANDS | 2010. |
| | | | | Consultations with Solomon Islands government and local community near East Rennell World |
| | | | | Heritage area to plan AusAid-funded Pacific Public |
| | | | SOLOMON | Sector Linkages Project - Solomon Islands 8-12 |
| \$1,914 | \$3,208 | \$5,123 | ISLANDS | Feb 2010. |
| | | | | Provision of secretariat services to the Heritage Chairs and Officials of Australia and New Zealand |
| | | | | (HCOANZ) bi-annual meeting in Christchurch, NZ |
| | | | | 24-28 Feb 2010. Outcomes for Australia included |
| | | | | agreement to final reports and direction for current |
| | | | | and future joint Cooperative National Heritage |
| | | | | Agenda (CNHA) projects (including national data collection, sustainability, heritage trades and |
| | | | | professional training, heritage and climate change; |
| | | | | agreements for HCOANZ information sharing; |
| | | | | agreement to direction for new national policy |
| | | | | heritage initiatives (including heritage ruins and |
| | | | | rural heritage); reporting requirements for the Environment Protection and Heritage Council |
| | | | | (EPHC) and other Ministerial Councils; sharing |
| | | | | knowledge on lessons learnt (NZ perspectives |
| . | ^- | . | | included) and practical examples of streamlining |
| \$1,501 | \$2,757 | \$4,258 | NEW ZEALAND | and efficiencies in heritage processes. |
| | | | | Attend as Chair of the Australian Heritage Council the Heritage Chairs and Officials of Australia and |
| | | | | New Zealand (HCOANZ) bi-annual meeting in |
| | | | | Christchurch, NZ 24-25 Feb 2010. Outcomes for |
| \$235 | \$3,230 | \$3,465 | NEW ZEALAND | Australia included Outcomes for Australia included |

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| | | | | agreement to final reports and direction for current |
| | | | | and future joint Cooperative National Heritage |
| | | | | Agenda (CNHA) projects (including national data |
| | | | | collection, sustainability, heritage trades and |
| | | | | professional training, heritage and climate change; |
| | | | | agreements for HCOANZ information sharing; |
| | | | | agreement to direction for new national policy |
| | | | | heritage initiatives (including heritage ruins and |
| | | | | rural heritage); reporting requirements for the |
| | | | | Environment Protection and Heritage Council |
| | | | | (EPHC) and other Ministerial Councils; sharing |
| | | | | knowledge on lessons learnt (NZ perspectives |
| | | | | included) and practical examples of streamlining and efficiencies in heritage processes. |
| | | | | Finalisation with PNG Government of |
| | | | | recommendations for tranche 2 of the Kokoda |
| | | | | Track Safety Package and prepare for high level |
| | | | | meeting on Second Joint Understanding on the |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | Kokoda Track in Port Moresby, PNG 14-19 Feb |
| \$2,732 | \$2,232 | \$4,965 | GUINEA | 2010. |
| 7 / - | + / - | + , | | Attend the Heritage Chairs and Officials of Australia |
| | | | | and New Zealand (HCOANZ) bi-annual meeting, |
| | | | | Christchurch, NZ 24-27 Feb 2010. Outcomes for |
| | | | | Australia included agreement to final reports and |
| | | | | direction for current and future joint Cooperative |
| | | | | National Heritage Agenda (CNHA) projects |
| | | | | (including national data collection, sustainability, |
| | | | | heritage trades and professional training, heritage |
| | | | | and climate change; agreements for HCOANZ |
| | | | | information sharing; agreement to direction for new |
| | | | | national policy heritage initiatives (including |
| | | | | heritage ruins and rural heritage); reporting |
| | | | | requirements for the Environment Protection and Heritage Council (EPHC) and other Ministerial |
| | | | | Councils; sharing knowledge on lessons learnt (NZ |
| | | | | perspectives included) and practical examples of |
| \$772 | \$761 | \$1,532 | NEW ZEALAND | streamlining and efficiencies in heritage processes. |
| ψ <u></u> | Ψ.σ. | Ψ1,002 | 11211 221 (2) (1) | Attend UNESCO 2nd Foundation Course on |
| | | | | Underwater Cultural Heritage as an expert trainer |
| \$1,421 | \$0 | \$1,421 | THAILAND | in Chantaburi, Thailand 7-16 Mar 2010. |
| . , | | . , | | Provide assistance to the Kokoda Track Authority |
| | | | | to prepare for the first 2010 Tour Operators Forum |
| | | | | and implement priority projects under the Joint |
| | | | | Understanding between PNG and Australia to |
| | A | . | PAPUA NEW | protect the Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 15- |
| \$3,891 | \$3,587 | \$7,478 | GUINEA | 23 Mar 2010. |
| | | | | Support Prime Minister's Special Envoy visit for |
| | | | | high level meetings on the Second Joint |
| | | | | Understanding between PNG and Australia to |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | protect the Kokoda Track, and to finalise tranche 2 |
| \$2,600 | \$3,247 | \$5,847 | GUINEA | of the Kokoda Track Safety Package - Port Moresby, PNG 21-26 Mar 2010. |
| Ψ2,000 | ψυ,Ζ41 | ψυ,υ+1 | JUNEA | Prime Minister's Special Envoy visit for high level |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | meetings on the Second Joint Understanding |
| \$2,127 | \$3,603 | \$5,730 | GUINEA | between PNG and Australia to protect the Kokoda |
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| | | | | Track, and to finalise tranche 2 of the Kokoda |
| | | | | Track Safety Package - Port Moresby, PNG 21-26 |
| | | | | Mar 2010. Support Prime Minister's Special Envoy visit for |
| | | | | high level meetings on the Second Joint |
| | | | | Understanding between PNG and Australia to |
| | | | | protect the Kokoda Track, and to finalise tranche 2 |
| ተ ጋ ዕርር | <u></u> | ФС 004 | PAPUA NEW | of the Kokoda Track Safety Package - Port |
| \$3,066 | \$3,855 | \$6,921 | GUINEA | Moresby, PNG 21-26 Mar 2010. Heritage Conference in Liverpool for training |
| | | | | purpose - recalled to duty to attend -, UK 12-14 Apr |
| | | | | 2010. Outcomes for Australia included a better |
| 4000 | • | | UNITED | understanding of the UK Heritage Management |
| \$383 | \$0 | \$383 | KINGDOM | regime. |
| | | | | Progress priorities for the Joint Understanding between PNG and Australia on the Kokoda Track |
| | | | | with PNG agencies following recent meetings by |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | the Prime Minister's Special Envoy on Kokoda in |
| \$11,238 | \$3,378 | \$14,615 | GUINEA | Port Moresby, PNG 6-30 April 2010. |
| | | | | Assist agencies on the PNG National Taskforce for Kokoda to implement priorities of the Joint |
| | | | | Understanding between PNG and Australia, |
| | | | | including preparations for the signing of a Second |
| | | | | Joint Understanding on the protection of the |
| £4.04.4 | #0.400 | ФО 227 | PAPUA NEW | Kokoda Track - Port Moresby, PNG 3-14 May |
| \$4,914 | \$3,423 | \$8,337 | GUINEA | 2010. Progress Livelihoods Mircrobusiness Support |
| | | | | Project Workshop in Isurava Village on the Kokoda |
| | | | | Track and consultations on the Kokoda Track |
| ** * * * * * * * * * | 00044 | A-1-1 | PAPUA NEW | Safety Package with PNG agencies - Port |
| \$3,543 | \$3,911 | \$7,454 | GUINEA | Moresby, PNG 1-12 Jun 2010. Chair World Heritage Convention Expert Meeting |
| | | | | on Upstream Processes: Practices and Processes |
| | | | | prior to World Heritage Committee Consideration of |
| | | | | Nominations, an Australian initiative co-sponsored |
| | | | | by Japan and Thailand, to improve the integrity of |
| | | | | the World Heritage Convention, Bangkok 27-29 April. Outcomes for Australia included enhanced |
| | | | | international reputation as contributor to |
| | | | | strengthening the integrity of the World Heritage |
| * | . | *** | | Convention and improved processes for the World |
| \$445 | \$0 | \$445 | THAILAND | Heritage List. Assist agencies on the PNG National Taskforce for |
| | | | | Kokoda to implement priorities of the Joint |
| | | | | Understanding between PNG and Australia, |
| | | | | including preparations for the signing of the Second |
| ФE 40E | ው ስ መርሰር | ₾ | PAPUA NEW | Joint Understanding - Port Moresby, PNG 24 May - |
| \$5,435 | \$3,586 | \$9,021 | GUINEA | 4 Jun 2010. Draft background documents and write report for |
| | | | | the World Heritage Convention Expert Meeting on |
| | | | | Upstream Processes: Practices and processes |
| | | | | prior to World Heritage Committee consideration of |
| | | | | nominations, Thailand 27-29 April 2010. Outcomes |
| \$169 | \$0 | \$169 | THAILAND | for Australia included international acceptance of the need to improve World Heritage nomination |
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| | | | | processes and improved processes for the World |
| | | | | Heritage List. |
| | | | | Attend Linux Conference and meet with Datacom |
| | | | | IT security and sustainable IT experts in |
| | | | | Wellington/Auckland, NZ 17-25 Jan 2010. |
| | | | | Outcomes included an improved understanding of |
| | | | | current global trends in Linux and open source in government, Datacom's capabilities in delivering IT |
| | | | | Security projects and current best practice in |
| \$2,078 | \$1,082 | \$3,161 | NEW ZEALAND | sustainable data centres. |
| +-, | + ·, · · · | 40,101 | | Board of Trustees Meeting - Institute for Global |
| | | | | Environment Strategies in Hayama, Japan 24 Feb - |
| | | | | 3 Mar 2010. Outcomes included improving bilateral |
| | | | | relationships between Japan and Australia in the |
| \$2,230 | \$7,682 | \$9,911 | JAPAN | area of Sustainability Education. |
| | | | | Attend CA World 2010 Conference in Las Vegas, |
| | | | UNITED | USA 15 - 22 May 2010. Outcomes included |
| ¢4 600 | ¢10 500 | ¢10 100 | STATES OF | identifying best-practise systems solutions for |
| \$1,609 | \$10,529 | \$12,138 | AMERICA | Attend OECD Working Group on Economic |
| | | | | Attend OECD Working Group on Economic Aspects of Biodiversity workshop and meeting in |
| | | | | Paris, France and meet with officials in Sweden |
| | | | | and the UK 23 Mar - 7 Apr 2010 - to advance |
| | | | | Australia's agenda of the use of market instruments |
| | | | FRANCE, | for Biodiversity conservation on private land. |
| | | | SWEDEN, | Australia is now recognised as one of the few |
| | | | UNITED | countries in the world with real experience in this |
| \$8,243 | \$16,348 | \$24,591 | KINGDOM | area. |
| | | | | Attendance as representative for the Indigenous |
| | | | | Advisory Committee at 9th meeting of the Working |
| | | | | Group on Access and Benefit-sharing, United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity in Cali, |
| | | | | Columbia 19-31 Mar 2010. Participation resulted in |
| | | | | Australia's delegation being well informed on |
| \$2,833 | \$12,606 | \$15,439 | COLOMBIA | indigenous perspectives on this issue. |
| , | . , | | | Attendance as Head of Australian delegation at 3rd |
| | | | | ad hoc intergovernmental and multi-stakeholder |
| | | | | meeting to negotiate the establishment of an |
| | | | | intergovernmental science-policy platform on |
| | | | | biodiversity and ecosystem services in Busan, |
| | | | KUDE V | South Korea 5-13 June 2010. Australia played a |
| \$2,916 | \$7,476 | \$10,393 | KOREA REPUBLIC | key role in securing international agreement on progressing this initiative. |
| φ∠,510 | ψ1,410 | क् १७,३७३ | NEF ODLIC | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Jakarta, Indonesia 10 - 21 July 2009. |
| | | | | This project contributed to building capacity within |
| | | | | the Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| | | | | national bird marking program. In particular it |
| | | | | provided practical bander training for officers of the |
| | | | | Indonesian Institute of Science in relation to the |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme. It also enabled the exchange of |
| \$9.056 | ¢1 010 | ¢0 976 | INDONESIA | ornithological data, in particular on the issue of Avian Influenza occurrence. |
| \$8,056 | \$1,819 | \$9,876 | INDONESIA | Avian iniliuenza occurrence. |

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| | | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Jakarta, Indonesia 10 - 21 July 2009. This project contributed to building capacity within |
| | | | | the Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$397 | \$1,819 | \$2,217 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| | | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Jakarta, Indonesia 10 - 21 July 2009. This project contributed to building capacity within |
| | | | | the Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$495 | \$1,597 | \$2,092 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| | | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Jakarta, Indonesia 10 - 21 July 2009. This project contributed to building capacity within |
| | | | | the Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$436 | \$1,629 | \$2,064 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| | | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Jakarta, Indonesia 10 - 21 July 2009. This project contributed to building capacity within |
| | | | | the Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$447 | \$1,806 | \$2,253 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| | | | | Attendance at the second meeting of the parties to |
| | | | | the Convention on Migratory Species Memorandum |
| | | | | of Understanding on the conservation of cetaceans in the Pacific region. Outcomes for Australia |
| | | | | included the removal of text within the Whale and |
| | | | | Dolphin Action Plan that supported dolphin drive |
| | | | | hunts in the Solomon Islands which is contrary to |
| \$621 | \$2,425 | \$3,046 | NEW ZEALAND | Australia's cetacean conservation policy objectives. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| | | | | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| | | | | annual meeting. In New Zealand, Ms Petrachenko |
| | | | | met with New Zealand's IWC Commissioner and senior officials to advance Australia's position in |
| | | | | ongoing 'future of the IWC' discussions. While in |
| | | | | New Zealand, Ms Petrachenko also participated at |
| | | | | the second meeting of the parties to the |
| | | | | Convention on Migratory Species Memorandum of Understanding on the conservation of cetaceans in |
| | | | | the Pacific region. Outcomes for Australia included |
| | | | | the removal of text within the Whale and Dolphin |
| | | | | Action Plan that supported dolphin drive hunts in |
| ¢4 500 | 00.400 | ¢4.705 | | the Solomon Islands which is contrary to Australia's |
| \$1,539 | \$3,186 | \$4,725 | NEW ZEALAND | cetacean conservation policy objectives. Attendance at the second meeting of the parties to |
| | | | | the Convention on Migratory Species Memorandum |
| | | | | of Understanding on the conservation of cetaceans |
| | | | | in the Pacific region. Outcomes for Australia |
| \$858 | \$2,590 | \$3,447 | NEW ZEALAND | included the removal of text within the Whale and |

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| | | | | Dolphin Action Plan that supported dolphin drive |
| | | | | hunts in the Solomon Islands which is contrary to |
| | | | | Australia's cetacean conservation policy objectives. |
| | | | | Contribute Australian expertise to a workshop to |
| | | | | develop a regional plan on Marine and Coastal |
| | | | | invasive species by the Coordinating Body on the |
| \$404 | \$0 | \$404 | THAIL AND | Seas of East Asia (COBSEA). Bangkok, Thailand |
| \$404 | Φ0 | \$404 | THAILAND | 29 Aug - 6 Sep 2009. Attendance at regional Convention on International |
| | | | | Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) meeting in |
| | | | | Nadi, Fiji 3 - 8 August 2009. Workshop outcomes |
| | | | | included: strengthening capacity to implement |
| | | | | CITES by Parties in the region; reviewing the status |
| | | | | and distribution of wild populations of giant clams; |
| | | | | and assessing requirements of non-detrimental |
| | | | | findings and the CITES review of significant trade |
| \$990 | \$3,682 | \$4,672 | FIJI | process. |
| | | | GERMANY, | Travel to support the Special Envoy for Whale |
| | | | Iceland, | Conservation in meetings with key like-minded |
| | | | MEXICO, UNITED | countries and pro-whaling IWC members to convey |
| | | | STATES OF | Australia's position following the establishment at |
| \$3,044 | \$21,614 | \$24,658 | AMERICA | the June 2009 IWC annual meeting of the 'future of the IWC' process. |
| ΨΟ,Ο-Τ- | Ψ21,014 | Ψ24,000 | AWERIOA | Attendance at Convention on International Trade in |
| | | | | Endangered Species (CITES) - Introduction from |
| | | | | the Sea Working Group in Geneva, Switzerland 12- |
| | | | | 20 Sep 2009. Outcomes achieved included the |
| | | | | incorporation of Australia's views into the |
| | | | | development of a discussion document and draft |
| | | | | revised resolution for consideration at the CITES |
| #0.000 | #0.050 | 040.054 | 014/177501 4110 | CoP15, with the aim of resolving the |
| \$2,603 | \$9,650 | \$12,254 | SWITZERLAND | implementation of CITES on the high seas. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which |
| | | | ARGENTINA, | resulted in the defeat of a proposal that would have |
| \$8,242 | \$12,846 | \$21,089 | CHILE | sanctioned commercial whaling. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | 4 D O E N I T 11 1 4 | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| ¢4.700 | #40.000 | #47.000 | ARGENTINA, | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| \$4,796 | \$13,026 | \$17,822 | CHILE | annual meeting. |
| | | | | Meet with Indonesian Government and US Government officials to plan Australian support for |
| | | | INDONESIA, | the Coral Triangle Initiative. Jakarta and Bangkok |
| \$2,244 | \$3,332 | \$5,576 | THAILAND | 4-9 Oct 2009. |
| +-, - ·· | , -, - - | , -, -, - | | Participate in Australian delegation to 16th Meeting |
| | | | | of the Commission for the Conservation of |
| | | | | Southern Bluefin Tuna (CCSBT) in Jeju, South |
| | | | | Korea 17-25 Oct 2009. Following Australia's lead, |
| | | | | the Commission agreed to implement binding |
| | | | KODEA | measures to conserve Southern Bluefin Tuna, |
| የ ጋ ዕርር | ¢5 700 | ¢o 674 | KOREA | including a reduction in the global Total Allowable |
| \$2,965 | \$5,706 | \$8,671 | REPUBLIC | Catch for the 2010 and 2011 seasons by around |

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| | | | | 20% and a commitment to develop a management |
| | | | | procedure to rebuild the stock. |
| | | | | Attendance at Arafura and Timor Seas Ecosystem |
| | | | | Action (ATSEA) program Inception Workshop and Arafura Timor Seas Experts Forum (ATSEF) |
| | | | | Steering Committee meeting in Bali, Indonesia 14- |
| | | | | 18 Oct 2009. Outcomes for Australia flow from the |
| | | | | fact that the ATSEA program is focused on |
| | | | | improved management of the Timor and Arafura |
| | | | | seas, an area encompassing the national |
| | | | | jurisdiction of Australia, Timor Leste and Indonesia, |
| | | | | therefore requiring a regional approach. |
| # 000 | M4 440 | 04.044 | INIDONICOLA | Participation in the forum also supports |
| \$232 | \$1,112 | \$1,344 | INDONESIA | relationships within our region. |
| | | | | Attendance at Arafura and Timor Seas Ecosystem Action (ATSEA) program Inception Workshop and |
| | | | | Arafura Timor Seas Expert Forum (ATSEF) |
| | | | | Steering Committee meeting in Bali, Indonesia 14- |
| | | | | 18 Oct 2009. Outcomes for Australia flow from the |
| | | | | fact that the ATSEA program is focused on |
| | | | | improved management of the Timor and Arafura |
| | | | | seas, an area encompassing the national |
| | | | | jurisdiction of Australia, Timor Leste and Indonesia, |
| | | | | therefore requiring a regional approach. |
| 0440 | #0.400 | ФО ООО | INIDONICOLA | Participation in the forum also supports |
| \$410 | \$2,196 | \$2,606 | INDONESIA | relationships within our region. |
| | | | | Participate in Australian delegation to the '16th Meeting of the Commission for the Conservation of |
| | | | | Southern Bluefin Tuna (CCSBT) in Jeju, South |
| | | | | Korea 19-24 Oct 2009. Following Australia's lead, |
| | | | | the Commission agreed to implement binding |
| | | | | measures to conserve Southern Bluefin Tuna, |
| | | | | including a reduction in the global Total Allowable |
| | | | | Catch for the 2010 and 2011 seasons by around |
| | 0 = 4=0 | 07 040 | KOREA | 20% and a commitment to develop a management |
| \$2,664 | \$5,156 | \$7,819 | REPUBLIC | procedure to rebuild the stock. |
| | | | | Attendance at CTI Coordination Mechanism Working Group Meeting, 6th CTI Partners Meeting |
| | | | | and 4th CTI Senior Officials Meeting in Kota |
| | | | | Kinabalu, Malaysia 17-23 October 2009. These |
| | | | | meeting progressed work and made decisions |
| | | | | related to the ongoing development of the Coral |
| \$674 | \$2,521 | \$3,195 | MALAYSIA | Triangle Initiative. |
| | | | | Attendance at CTI 5th Senior Officials Meeting, |
| | | | | which made decisions on the ongoing development |
| | AC 2:: | 0.1 - | SOLOMON | and implementation of the Coral Triangle Initiative. |
| \$1,114 | \$3,614 | \$4,728 | ISLANDS | Solomon Islands November 2009. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| | | | AFGHANISTAN, | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| \$650 | \$3,151 | \$3,801 | NEW ZEALAND | annual meeting. |
| * | . , | . , | UNITED | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| \$2,139 | \$11,341 | \$13,479 | STATES OF | meetings) on the 'future of the International |

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| , and marroos | . un ar oo | i otai | AMERICA | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| | | | | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| | | | | annual meeting. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | UNITED | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which |
| | | | STATES OF | resulted in the defeat of a proposal that would have |
| \$7,034 | \$11,434 | \$18,468 | AMERICA | sanctioned commercial whaling. |
| | | | NEW | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | ZEALAND, | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | UNITED | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which |
| ¢2.050 | ¢42.044 | ¢46.700 | STATES OF | resulted in the defeat of a proposal that would have |
| \$2,859 | \$13,844 | \$16,703 | AMERICA | sanctioned commercial whaling. Brief Indonesian Government officials on the |
| | | | | Montara well-head blow-out Timor Sea Oil Spill - |
| \$855 | \$5,642 | \$6,497 | INDONESIA | Indonesia 9-12/11/09. |
| ΨΟΟΟ | Ψ0,0π2 | Ψ0, 407 | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | UNITED | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which |
| | | | STATES OF | resulted in the defeat of a proposal that would have |
| \$12,788 | \$3,549 | \$16,337 | AMERICA | sanctioned commercial whaling. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | UNITED | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| 00.050 | 00.407 | A7.45 0 | STATES OF | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| \$3,653 | \$3,497 | \$7,150 | AMERICA | annual meeting. |
| | | | | Travel to support the Minister at the launch in |
| | | | | Wellington, New Zealand, of the Southern Ocean Research Partnership Antarctic Whale Expedition. |
| | | | | The first vessel-based research expedition under |
| | | | | the Australian initiated IWC non-lethal whale |
| \$507 | \$2,561 | \$3,068 | NEW ZEALAND | research partnership |
| | Ψ=,σσ: | Ψ0,000 | | Represent Australia at the UN General Assembly |
| | | | | Working Group on marine biological diversity in |
| | | | | areas beyond national jurisdiction. Outcomes for |
| | | | | Australia included the promotion of standards of |
| | | | | management and regulation for high seas areas |
| | | | | more aligned with standards applying within our |
| | | | | boundaries and to Australian industries and |
| | | | LINITED | individuals operating in high seas areas. The |
| | | | UNITED | meeting was also an opportunity to showcase |
| ¢2.075 | ¢ 0 055 | ¢12 024 | STATES OF AMERICA | Australia's leadership and approaches to marine |
| \$3,975 | \$8,855 | \$12,831 | AIVIERICA | biodiversity management. Participate in '3rd meeting on international |
| | | | | cooperation on Migratory Sharks under the |
| | | | | Convention of Migratory Species. Outcomes |
| | | | | achieved included participating in the development |
| | | | | and finalisation of the Sharks Memorandum of |
| | | | | Understanding (MoU), and Chairing a working |
| | | | | group regarding the number of species covered by |
| \$1,444 | \$7,863 | \$9,308 | PHILIPPINES | the MoU. |
| | | | KOREA | Attend 4th Meeting of Partners to the East Asian- |
| \$1,504 | \$4,906 | \$6,410 | REPUBLIC | Australasian Flyaway Partnership in Seoul, South |

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| | | | | Korea 21-28 Feb 2010. Australia led the |
| | | | | development of the Flyway Partnership and |
| | | | | continues to play a leading role in its |
| | | | | implementation. Participation in this meeting |
| | | | | progressed practical outcomes for the |
| | | | | implementation of the partnership, including a |
| | | | | commitment to include further wetlands throughout |
| | | | | the Flyway into the Flyway Site Network prior to the |
| | | | | next meeting in November 2010. Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which |
| | | | | resulted in the defeat of a proposal that would have |
| | | | | sanctioned commercial whaling. Attendance at the |
| | | | | IWC intersessional meeting and participation at |
| | | | UNITED | associated future of the IWC side-meetings (and |
| | 00 = 40 | * • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • | STATES OF | related bilateral meetings) conducted adjacent to |
| \$6,144 | \$9,519 | \$15,663 | AMERICA | this meeting. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| | | | | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| | | | | annual meeting. Attendance at the IWC |
| | | | | intercessional meeting and participation at |
| | | | UNITED | associated future of the IWC side-meetings (and |
| . | . | | STATES OF | related bilateral meetings) conducted adjacent to |
| \$1,374 | \$10,570 | \$11,944 | AMERICA | this meeting. |
| | | | | Participate in the 4th Meeting of the Partners to the |
| | | | | East Asian-Australasian Flyaway Partnership in Seoul, South Korea 21-28 Feb 2010. Outcomes for |
| | | | | Australia included a commitment to include further |
| | | | | wetlands into the Flyway Site Network prior to |
| | | | | MoP5 (November 2010); a commitment to increase |
| | | | | information on Flyway Network Sites on the EAAFP |
| | | | | website, to install links to other relevant sites such |
| | | | | as Ramsar, and translation of key documents into |
| | | | | Flyway languages for inclusion on the website; and |
| | | | | the establishment of an informal EAAFP taskforce to review colour marking of shorebirds within the |
| | | | KOREA | Flyway and identify a mechanism for better |
| \$1,303 | \$4,906 | \$6,209 | REPUBLIC | coordination, reporting and information sharing. |
| Ţ:,=3 0 | . , | , | | Participate in Australian delegation to the 15th |
| | | | | Conference of the Parties/59th and 60th Standing |
| | | | | Committee meetings (SC59, SC60) of the |
| | | | | Convention on International Trade in Endangered |
| | | | | Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (COP15) |
| | | | | in Doha, Qatar 10 Mar - 5 Apr 2010. Outcomes |
| | | | | achieved included fulfilling Australia's obligations as a Party to CITES, which included representing |
| | | | | Australia's interests in relation to a significant |
| | | | | number of marine issues with wide reaching |
| \$10,770 | \$8,041 | \$18,810 | QATAR | implications for Australian fisheries. |
| | | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| \$6,585 | \$967 | \$7,552 | INDONESIA | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |

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| 7 | 7 | 7 0 001 | | Scheme in Bali, Indonesia 2-26 Apr 2010. This |
| | | | | project contributed to building capacity within the |
| | | | | Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| | | | | national bird marking program. In particular it |
| | | | | provided practical bander training for officers of the |
| | | | | Indonesian Institute of Science in relation to the |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme. It also enabled the exchange of |
| | | | | ornithological data, in particular on the issue of |
| | | | | Avian Influenza occurrence. |
| | | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Bali, Indonesia 2-6 Apr 2010. This |
| | | | | project contributed to building capacity within the |
| 0004 | #4 750 | 04.000 | INIDONICOLA | Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$234 | \$1,758 | \$1,992 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| | | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Bali, Indonesia 2-11 Apr 201. This |
| | | | | project contributed to building capacity within the Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$325 | \$1,815 | \$2,140 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| ΨΟΖΟ | ψ1,013 | ΨΖ, 140 | INDONESIA | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Bali, Indonesia 2-10 Apr 2010 . This |
| | | | | project contributed to building capacity within the |
| | | | | Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$310 | \$1,662 | \$1,973 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| | . , | | | AusAid project: undertake training during |
| | | | | establishment of the Indonesian Bird Banding |
| | | | | Scheme in Bali, Indonesia 2-11 Apr 2010. This |
| | | | | project contributed to building capacity within the |
| | | | | Indonesian Government to run and maintain a |
| \$385 | \$1,232 | \$1,617 | INDONESIA | national bird marking program. |
| | | | | Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | LINUTED | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | UNITED | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| \$4 000 | ¢0 202 | \$12 004 | STATES OF AMERICA | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| \$4,889 | \$8,202 | \$13,091 | AIVIERICA | annual meeting. Participation at key meetings (and related bilateral |
| | | | | meetings) on the 'future of the International |
| | | | | Whaling Commission' (IWC) process - which had |
| | | | UNITED | as its aim the development of a negotiated |
| | | | STATES OF | proposal for consideration at the June 2010 IWC |
| \$3,994 | \$12,358 | \$16,352 | AMERICA | annual meeting. |
| + - , - 0 | , =,500 | , -,- | | Attendance at a key Pacific whale research and |
| | | | | conservation management meeting and attendance |
| | | | | at a joint Pacific island presentation to receive an |
| | | | | award on behalf of Australia for its efforts to |
| \$577 | \$2,860 | \$3,437 | NEW ZEALAND | advance whale conservation objectives. |
| | | | | Attendance at Coral Triangle Initiative Regional |
| | | | | Priorities planning workshop and Coordination |
| | | | | Mechanisms Working Group meeting in Jakarta, |
| \$1,665 | \$5,070 | \$6,735 | INDONESIA | Indonesia 15-23 May 2010. Outcomes for Australia |

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| | | | | relate to reinforcing and informing our active |
| | | | | involvement in the Coral Triangle Initiative. This |
| | | | | provides benefits in terms of regional relations, |
| | | | | food security and sustainable livelihoods in our |
| | | | | region, and the conservation and sustainable |
| | | | | management of interconnected marine |
| | | | | ecosystems. |
| | | | | Attendance at a Coral Triangle Initiative workshop |
| | | | | which identified priority activities for regional scale |
| | | | | collaboration and a meeting of the Coordination |
| | | | | Mechanisms Working Group which negotiated draft legal documents to establish a permanent CTI |
| \$1,903 | \$5,070 | \$6,972 | INDONESIA | secretariat. |
| ψ1,903 | ψ5,070 | Ψ0,312 | INDONESIA | Attendance at regional Convention on International |
| | | | | Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) meeting in |
| | | | | Honiara, Solomon Islands 15-21 May 2010. |
| | | | | Outcomes achieved included improving regional |
| | | | | capacity to effectively implement CITES non- |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | detriment finding requirements and assisting |
| | | | GUINEA, | countries under trade suspensions pursuant to |
| | | | SOLOMON | CITES compliance mechanisms to fulfil the |
| \$2,217 | \$6,423 | \$8,640 | ISLANDS | recommendations and resume trade. |
| | | | | Attendance at the June 2010 annual meeting of the |
| | | | | IWC and associated IWC committee meetings |
| | | | | which resulted in agreement on key conservation |
| | | | ED ANIOE | outcomes and science initiatives and the |
| ¢07.074 | ¢40.040 | ¢40,000 | FRANCE, | maintenance of the moratorium on commercial |
| \$27,874 | \$12,219 | \$40,093 | MOROCCO | whaling. Attendance at the June 2010 annual meeting of the |
| \$5,984 | \$9,592 | \$15,576 | MOROCCO | IWC and associated IWC committee meetings |
| φο,σοι | φο,σσ2 | ψ.ο,ο.ο | morrocc | Attendance at the June 2010 annual meeting of the |
| \$4,109 | \$9,588 | \$13,697 | MOROCCO | IWC and associated IWC committee meetings |
| , | . , | | | Attendance at a meeting of the APEC Marine |
| | | | | Resources Conservation Working Group |
| | | | | (MRCWG), to support planning and organisations |
| | | | | of a subsequent (Oct 2010) APEC Oceans |
| | | | | Ministerial Meeting. Lima, Peru 19-27 June 2010. |
| | | | | Outcomes for Australia included reinforcement of |
| | | | | Australia's lead role within APEC, and the |
| | | | | development of a policy framework (subsequently |
| | | | | endorsed by APEC Oceans Ministers) for APEC economies to work together to address priority |
| | | | | marine and fisheries resources issues in the Asia- |
| \$1,818 | \$11,990 | \$13,809 | CHILE, PERU | Pacific region. |
| \$1,010 | Ψ,σσσ | ψ. O, O O O | J | Attend 16th Meeting of the Convention on |
| | | | | Migratory Species (CMS) Scientific Council and the |
| | | | | 2nd Meeting of the Intercessional Working Group |
| | | | | on the Future Shape of the CMS in Bonn, Germany |
| | | | | 26 Jun - 5 Jul 2010. Outcomes achieved included |
| | | | | Australia participating in a meeting to develop and |
| | | | | refine options for the future shape of the CMS. At |
| | | | | the Scientific Council the delegate presented an |
| #0.070 | ΦO 404 | Φ44 400 | OEDMANN/ | agenda item on Australia's draft marine debris |
| \$2,278 | \$9,124 | \$11,402 | GERMANY | resolution. |
| \$594 | \$5,014 | \$5,609 | THAILAND | Attendance at workshop that developed criteria for |

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| | | | | a Marine Protected Area System in the Coral |
| | | | | Triangle Initiative - Phuket, Thailand 16-20 June |
| | | | | 2010. Outcomes for Australia relate to reinforcing |
| | | | | and informing our active involvement in the Coral |
| | | | | Triangle Initiative. This provides benefits in terms of |
| | | | | regional relations, food security and sustainable |
| | | | | livelihoods in our region, and the conservation and |
| | | | | sustainable management of interconnected marine |
| | | | | ecosystems. |
| ¢200 | #0.040 | ₾0.740 | | To judge at the New Zealand Portrait Gallery in |
| \$398 | \$2,343 | \$2,740 | NEW ZEALAND UNITED | Wellington 22 Feb - 3 Mar 2010. |
| | | | STATES OF | Attend Museums and the Web 2010 conference in |
| \$2,237 | \$0 | \$2,237 | AMERICA | Denver, USA 13-18 Apr 2010. |
| ΨΖ,Ζ31 | ΨΟ | ΨΖ,Ζ31 | FRANCE, | Deliver, OSA 13-10 Apr 2010. |
| | | | SWITZERLAND, | Research and develop exhibition for the NPG to be |
| | | | UNITED | held in 2011 'PreRaphaelite Portraits' in |
| \$6,312 | \$9,941 | \$16,253 | KINGDOM | Switzerland and the UK 14 Apr - 20 May 2010. |
| Ψ0,012 | Ψυ,υτι | Ψ10,200 | - KII TODOW | Indonesia, Manila and Singapore - Various |
| | | | | Exhibitions. The purpose of the travel was to |
| | | | | research and develop a major exhibition on |
| | | | | contemporary portraiture from South and South |
| | | | | East Asia to be held in mid 2011. Outcomes |
| | | | | included the establishment of new contacts with |
| | | | INDONESIA, | artists, curators, collectors and institutions within |
| | | | PHILIPPINES, | the Southeast Asian region to secure loans and |
| \$4,506 | \$5,337 | \$9,843 | SINGAPORE | assist with the realisation of the exhibition. |
| | | | | Australian-European meeting to develop a |
| | | | | Memorandum on joint taxonomic research and |
| | | | | collections-based initiatives in Leiden, Netherlands |
| | | | | 4-11 July 2009. Increased communication between |
| | | | | Australia and other countries and to further |
| | | | | taxonomic research and collections-based |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NETHERLANDS | initiatives. |
| | | | | OECD meeting on Scientific Research Collections |
| | | | | in Berlin, Germany 2-4 Sep. 2009. Australian |
| | | | | representative developing global network for |
| | • | • | OEDMANN' | scientific collections; partly based on Australian |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | GERMANY | collection network models. |
| | | | | Workshop on the future of the CBD Programme of |
| | | | | Work on Protected Areas (PoWPA) in Jehu City, |
| | | | | Korea 12-21 Sep 2009. Reviewed the CBD |
| | | | KOREA | Program of Work on Protected Areas and |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | REPUBLIC | incorporated Australia's views in the future work |
| φυ | ΦΟ | φυ | NLF UDLIU | program. Represent the Atlas of Living Australia (ALA) at the |
| | | | | 4D4Life (Distributed Diversity Databases for Life - |
| | | | | http://4d4life.eu /) project start-up meeting in |
| | | | | Reading/London, UK 13-20 Sep 2009. ALA is |
| | | | | signatory to the project MOU and has responsibility |
| | | | | for the management of an Australian node within |
| | | | | the 4D4life network. |
| | | | | - Establish Australia's credentials for, and |
| | | | UNITED | requirements of, participation in the development of |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | KINGDOM | global level biodiversity information systems. |
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| | | | | 8th Meeting of the Access and Benefit-sharing |
| | | | | Working Group and 6th meeting of the Article 8j |
| | | | | Working Group under the Convention on Biological |
| | | | | Diversity in Montreal, Canada 30 Oct - 20 Nov |
| | | | | 2009. Australia's interests protected in protocol |
| ¢5 710 | \$11,934 | \$17,654 | CANADA | negotiations, and text related to Indigenous |
| \$5,719 | φ11,934 | \$17,004 | CANADA | knowledge. 8th Meeting of the Access and Benefit-sharing |
| | | | | Working Group and 6th meeting of the Article 8j |
| | | | | Working Group under the Convention on Biological |
| | | | | Diversity in Montreal, Canada 30 Oct - 20 Nov |
| | | | | 2009. Australia's interests protected in protocol |
| | | | | negotiations, and text related to Indigenous |
| \$5,331 | \$11,934 | \$17,266 | CANADA | knowledge |
| | | | | 2009 Pacific World Heritage Workshop (co- |
| | | | | sponsored by Australia), French Polynesia 31 Oct - 8 Nov 2009. Engagement and exchange of |
| | | | | information and knowledge with UNESCO Pacific |
| | | | | Indigenous communities on traditional customs and |
| | | | | beliefs of the cultural dimensions of the ocean with |
| | | | FRENCH | Kakadu Traditional Owners. Capacity Building with |
| \$590 | \$2,296 | \$2,886 | POLYNESIA | island neighbours. |
| | | | | Atlas of Living Australia - National Species Lists |
| | | | | (ANSL) and New Zealand Organism Register |
| | | | | (NZOR) Shared Technical Infrastructure Meeting Christchurch 7-10 October 2009. Shared vision and |
| | | | | roadmap of an information architecture for |
| | | | | nomenclatural and taxonomic information systems |
| | | | | supporting Australian and New Zealand biodiversity |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | sciences. |
| | | | | Participation at Biodiversity Information Standards |
| | | | | (http://tdwg.org) meeting and Phyloinformatics |
| | | | | Vocabulary Workshop in Montpelier, France 5-18 |
| | | | | Nov 2009. Collaborative advancement of standards and protocols supporting development and |
| | | | | management of national biodiversity information |
| | | | | systems. Shared knowledge development in the |
| | | | | strategic application of semantic web technologies |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | FRANCE | (web 3.0) |
| | | | | Access and Benefit-sharing Business and Science |
| | | | | Dialogue' convened by the United Nations |
| | | | | University and the Secretariat to the UN |
| | | | | Convention on Biological Diversity in Jakarta, Indonesia 1-5 Dec 2009. Significant exchange of |
| | | | | views between negotiators, experts and |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | INDONESIA | stakeholders. |
| | | | | Botanical field research in Christchurch/Auckland, |
| | | | | NZ 4-24 Feb 2010. Field collection of cryptogams |
| | | | | for DNA analysis contributing to understanding of |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | evolutionary relationships of species in both Australia and New Zealand. |
| ΦΟ | φυ | φυ | INCAA CEWCWIND | Access and Benefit-sharing Friends of the Co- |
| | | | | Chairs' meeting under the Working Group on |
| | | | | Access and Benefit-sharing, UN Convention on |
| \$1,888 | \$8,453 | \$10,341 | CANADA | Biological Diversity 23-31 Jan 2010. Australia's |

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| | | | | legislation highly influential in productive |
| | | | | discussions between key negotiators. |
| | | | | Global Workshop on the Satoyama Initiative in |
| | | | | Paris, France 27 Jan - 2 Feb 2010. Preparation for |
| | | | | the tenth Conference of the Parties to the |
| | | | | Convention on Biological Diversity, information |
| | | | | gathering for the development of an Australian |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | FRANCE | Government position on the Satoyama Imitative. |
| | | | | Pest eradication from islands conference in |
| | | | | Auckland, NZ 6 -13 Feb 2010. Improved feral |
| • | | 00 | NIEWA ZE AL ANIO | animal management in Norfolk Island National |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | Park. |
| | | | | 6th Trondheim Conference on Biodiversity' Getting |
| | | | | the biodiversity targets right, working for |
| | | | | sustainable development in Trondheim, Norway 30 |
| | | | | Jan - 10 Feb 2010. Preparation for the tenth |
| | | | | Conference of the Parties (COP-10) to the Convention on Biological Diversity-information |
| | | | | gathering for the development of an Australian |
| | | | | Government position on global targets for |
| \$3,570 | \$10,277 | \$13,847 | NORWAY | biodiversity. |
| φο,ο.ο | Ψ.ο,Σ | Ψ10,011 | | Attend International conference on Invasive |
| | | | | species management, Auckland NZ 08 - 12 Feb |
| | | | | 2010. Greater understanding of the methods for the |
| | | | | management of invasive species threats to |
| | | | | Christmas Island's biodiversity through presentation |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | of papers and discussion. |
| | | | | International Conference on Invasive Species |
| | | | | Management in Auckland, NZ 5-20 Feb 2010. |
| | | | | Greater understanding of the methods for the |
| | | | | management of invasive species threats to |
| 4 - | | | | Christmas Island's biodiversity through presentation |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | NEW ZEALAND | of papers and discussion. |
| | | | | Global Names Infrastructure workshop in Santa |
| | | | | Cruz and Morphbank Image repository meeting in |
| | | | | Tallahassee, USA 8-21 Feb 2010. Establishment of |
| | | | UNITED | an international working group to develop a core nomenclatural model and interchange standard for |
| | | | STATES OF | global biodiversity information products. Evaluate |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | AMERICA | Morphbank for ALA use. |
| ΨΟ | ΨΟ | ΨΟ | AWILKIOA | 14th meeting of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific, |
| | | | | Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA14) |
| | | | | and 3rd meeting of the Working Group on Review |
| | | | | of Implementation of the Convention (WGR13) in |
| | | | | Nairobi, Kenya 6-31 May 2010. Preparation for the |
| | | | | tenth Conference of the Parties (COP-10) to the |
| | | | | Convention on Biological Diversity, ensuring |
| | | | | Australia's interests are recognised in draft |
| \$10,049 | \$7,517 | \$17,566 | KENYA | decisions sent to COP-10. |
| | | | | 9th meeting of the Working Group on Access and |
| | | | | Benefit-sharing, UN Convention on Biological |
| | | | | Diversity in Cali, Colombia 19-31 Mar 2010. |
| A | *** | | 0010115 | Australia's interests protected in major progress on |
| \$2,719 | \$8,197 | \$10,916 | COLOMBIA | draft protocol. |
| \$4,010 | \$2,452 | \$6,462 | NEW | Convention on Biological Diversity Asia-Pacific |

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| | | | ZEALAND, | Workshop on National Reporting in NZ and Samoa |
| | | | SAMOA | 10-25 Apr 2010. Capacity building workshop - a |
| | | | | contribution to Australia's objective to improve our |
| | | | | reputation within the CBD. 14th meeting of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific, |
| | | | | Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA14) |
| | | | | and 3rd meeting of the Working Group on Review |
| | | | | of Implementation of the Convention (WGR13) in |
| | | | | Nairobi, Kenya 6-25 May 2010. Preparation for the |
| | | | | tenth Conference of the Parties (COP-10) to the |
| | | | | Convention on Biological Diversity - ensuring |
| \$8,658 | \$7,470 | \$16,128 | KENYA | Australia's interests are recognised in draft decisions sent to COP-10. |
| ψ0,000 | Ψ1, Ψ10 | ψ10,120 | KLIVIA | 4th Global Botanic Gardens Congress in Dublin, |
| | | | | Ireland 13-18 Jun 2010. Presented paper in |
| | | | | conference on "Building a sustainable botanic |
| | | | IRISH | gardens", & assisted with workshop on valuing |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | REPUBLIC | living plant collections. |
| | | | | 20th Association of South East Asian Nations |
| | | | | (ASEAN) Senior Officials on the Environment Plus Three Meeting in Hua Hin, Thailand 6-9 August |
| | | | | 2009 - key outcome was the agreement to promote |
| | | | | cooperation among East Asian Summit member |
| | | | | countries on sustainable cities through the |
| # 400 | # 4.050 | 05.004 | TILLA II ANID | establishment of the East Asia Summit High Level |
| \$428 | \$4,856 | \$5,284 | THAILAND | Seminar on Environmentally Sustainable Cities. |
| | | | | AusAID funded Pacific Public Sector Linkages project- Trial of streamlined reporting by Pacific |
| | | | | Island Countries to the biodiversity-related |
| | | | | multilateral environmental agreements (MEAs) in |
| | | | | Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea, 7-11 Sep 2009. |
| | | | | The outcome was a successful trial in PNG of the |
| | | | | streamlined reporting project. This has helped build the case for the viability of the use of a |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | consolidated reporting model to the biodiversity- |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | GUINEA | related MEAs. |
| | | | | AusAID funded Pacific Public Sector Linkages |
| | | | | project- Trial of streamlined reporting by Pacific |
| | | | | Island countries to the biodiversity-related |
| | | | | multilateral environmental agreements in Honiara, Solomon Islands 20 - 26 Sep 2009. The outcome |
| | | | | was a successful trial in the Solomon Islands of the |
| | | | | streamlined reporting project. This has helped build |
| | | | | the case for the viability of the use of a |
| *** | • | ** | SOLOMON | consolidated reporting model to the biodiversity- |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | ISLANDS | related MEAs. |
| | | | | Australian Public Service Commission (APSC) Leadership across Borders overseas study tour |
| | | | | programme in Ottawa, Canada 1-12 Oct 2009. |
| | | | | Professional development and intensive |
| | | | | engagement with officials from UK, Canada, NZ |
| \$1,506 | \$12,411 | \$13,917 | CANADA | and across the APS. |
| | | | | 2nd ad hoc intergovernmental and multi- |
| \$2,691 | \$8,324 | \$11,015 | KENYA | stakeholder meeting on an intergovernmental science-policy platform on biodiversity and |
| φ∠,091 | ψ0,324 | φιι,σιο | INLINIA | Science-policy planorin on blodiversity and |

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| | | | | ecosystem services (IPBES) in Nairobi, Kenya 3-12 |
| | | | | Oct 2009. Discussions at the meeting focussed on |
| | | | | whether or not to establish an IPBES. Outcomes |
| | | | | included a decision to convene a third and final |
| | | | | meeting to determine whether the proposed IPBES |
| | | | | would add value to existing work on biodiversity |
| | | | | assessments. |
| | | | | 2nd ad hoc intergovernmental and multi- stakeholder meeting on an intergovernmental |
| | | | | science-policy platform on biodiversity and |
| | | | | ecosystem services (IPBES) in Nairobi, Kenya 3-12 |
| | | | | Oct 2009. Discussions at the meeting focussed on |
| | | | | whether or not to establish an IPBES. Outcomes |
| | | | | included a decision to convene a third and final |
| | | | | meeting to determine whether the proposed IPBES |
| 40.740 | | * 4 0 0 4 0 | 1450.44 | would add value to existing work on biodiversity |
| \$2,518 | \$8,324 | \$10,843 | KENYA | assessments. |
| | | | | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Environment Policy |
| | | | | Committee Meeting in Paris, France and the |
| | | | | Second Meeting of the United Nations Environment |
| | | | | Programme Consultative Group of Ministers or |
| | | | | High-Level Representatives on International |
| | | | | Environmental Governance in Rome, Italy 19 Oct - |
| | | | | 1 Nov 2009 - The meeting agreed on a set of |
| | | | | objectives and functions to underpin international |
| \$6,622 | \$9,876 | \$16,497 | FRANCE, ITALY | environmental governance. |
| | | | | Senior Officials meeting to prepare for the 2nd East |
| | | | | Asia Summit Environment Ministers Meeting in |
| | | | | Singapore 29 Oct - 2 Nov 2009. Outcomes included a recommendation to hold the 2nd East |
| | | | | Asia Summit Environment Ministers Meeting back |
| | | | | to back with the 12th Informal ASEAN Ministerial |
| \$1,067 | \$4,831 | \$5,898 | SINGAPORE | Meeting on the Environment in Brunei in 2010. |
| . , | . , | . , | | Attend the East Asian Summit, Economic Research |
| | | | | Institute for ASEAN and East Asia meeting of the |
| | | | | Biodiesel Fuel Working Group, and the Joint |
| | | | | Workshop with the International Energy Agency |
| | | | | Task 40 on 'Sustainable International Bioenergy |
| | | | | Trade' and 'Securing Supply and Demand'. |
| | | | | Outcomes included ensuring the Australian Government has ongoing engagement in fuel |
| | | | | standard setting in the East Asia region, and |
| | | | | obtaining up to date information on international |
| \$1,334 | \$6,139 | \$7,473 | JAPAN | and regional bioenergy trade activities and issues. |
| | | | | Torres Strait Treaty Environment Management |
| | | | | Committee (EMC) and Joint Advisory Council |
| | | | | Meetings in Alotau, Papua New Guinea, 31 Oct - 4 |
| | | | | Nov 2009. DSEWPaC co-chairs the EMC with PNG |
| | | | | and was therefore required to attend to provide a |
| | | | | chair for the meeting as well as participate in |
| | | | | representing the department's interests in the EMC. The outcomes included building and strengthening |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | Australia's bilateral relationship with PNG and our |
| \$1,415 | \$4,072 | \$5,488 | GUINEA | management of shared resources across the |

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| | | | | Torres Strait Treaty Environment Management |
| | | | | Committee and Joint Advisory Council Meetings in |
| | | | | Alotau, Papua New Guinea, 31 Oct - 4 Nov 2009. |
| | | | | DSEWPaC co-chairs the EMC with PNG and was |
| | | | | therefore required to attend to provide a chair for |
| | | | | the meeting as well as participate in representing |
| | | | | the department's interests in the EMC. The |
| | | | | outcomes included building and strengthening |
| | | | PAPUA NEW | Australia's bilateral relationship with PNG and our management of shared resources across the |
| \$1,567 | \$4,053 | \$5,620 | GUINEA | Torres Strait. |
| Ψ1,507 | Ψ+,000 | ψ5,020 | GOINEA | Meetings with ESRI in Redlands and Washington, |
| | | | | USA 6-13 Dec 2009. Outcomes included improved |
| | | | UNITED | relations with, and ongoing support from the |
| | | | STATES OF | department's Geographic Information Systems |
| \$1,884 | \$12,426 | \$14,310 | AMERICA | software provider. |
| | | | | 2nd East Asia Summit High Level Seminar |
| | | | | Organising Committee Meeting Kitakyushu City. |
| | | | | Organising committee finalised arrangements in |
| _ | | | | preparation for the Seminar on Environmentally |
| \$1,307 | \$6,323 | \$7,630 | JAPAN | Sustainable Cities held in Jakarta in March 2010. |
| | | | | East Asia Summit High Level Seminar on |
| | | | | Environmentally Sustainable Cities in Jakarta, |
| | | | | Indonesia. Outcomes included a Chair's summary |
| | | | | to recommend continued collaboration with experts |
| \$1,173 | \$2,011 | \$3,184 | INDONESIA | and city representatives on Environmentally Sustainable Cities. |
| Ψ1,173 | ΨΖ,ΟΤΤ | ψ5,104 | INDONESIA | Extraordinary meetings of the Conference of the |
| | | | | Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm |
| | | | | conventions and 11th special session of the |
| | | | | Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment |
| | | | | Forum (GCSXXI) in Bali, Indonesia 22-28 Feb - |
| | | | | Key outcomes were the Ministerial (Nusa Dua) |
| | | | | Declaration; and decisions on enhanced |
| | | | | cooperation and coordination among the three |
| | | | | chemical and waste conventions, international |
| | | | | environmental governance (IEG), coordination |
| | | | | across the UN system, the proposed |
| | | | | intergovernmental platform on biodiversity and ecosystem services (IPBES), environmental law, |
| | | | | oceans, Gaza, strengthening the environmental |
| | | | | response in Haiti, and financing options for |
| \$2,666 | \$2,972 | \$5,638 | INDONESIA | chemicals and waste. |
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| | | | | Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm |
| | | | | conventions and 11th special session of the |
| | | | | Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment |
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| | | | | Declaration; and decisions on enhanced |
| | | | | cooperation and coordination among the three |
| | | | | chemical and waste conventions, international |
| #0.000 | Ф000 | # 4400 | | environmental governance (IEG), coordination |
| \$3,220 | \$900 | \$4,120 | INDONESIA | across the UN system, the proposed |

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| | | | | ecosystem services (IPBES), environmental law, |
| | | | | oceans, Gaza, strengthening the environmental |
| | | | | response in Haiti, and financing options for |
| | | | | chemicals and waste. East Asia Summit High Level |
| | | | | Seminar in Jakarta, Indonesia - 2-4 Mar 2010 - the |
| | | | | |
| | | | | meeting brought together high level experts and |
| | | | | city representatives to exchange information on |
| | | | | Environmentally Sustainable Cities in the region |
| | | | | and enhanced city to city partnerships. |
| | | | | AusAID funded Pacific Public Sector Linkages |
| | | | | Project - Travel Samoa to Canberra for meetings |
| | | | | on the Pacific Regional Environment Programme |
| | | | | (SPREP) 6-16 Mar 2010. A series of high-level |
| | | | | meetings were conducted between the Director of |
| | | | | SPREP and Australian Government Ministers, |
| | | | | agency-heads and senior officials to assist in |
| | | | | strengthening Australia's relationship with SPREP. |
| | | | | As part of his secondment to SPREP, Dr Powell |
| | | | | provided support to the Director of SPREP during |
| | | | | these meetings. Outcomes included strengthening |
| | • | | AUSTRALIA, | and advancing Australia's role as a member of and |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | SAMOA | key donor to SPREP. |
| | | | | ESRI 2010 Developer Summit in Palm Springs, |
| | | | | USA 21-28 Mar 2010. Outcomes included |
| | | | | improved understanding of latest developments in |
| | | | UNITED | the department's Geographic Information Systems |
| | | | STATES OF | software package, used to deliver spatial |
| \$3,953 | \$12,451 | \$16,403 | AMERICA | functionality in all departmental applications. |
| | | | | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and |
| | | | | Development (OECD) Environment Policy |
| | | | | Committee meeting in Paris, France 12-19 April |
| | | | | 2010 - representing Australia at the meeting to |
| | | | | discuss future work of the OECD on the |
| \$6,147 | \$10,623 | \$16,770 | FRANCE | environment. |
| | | | | 18th Session of the United Nations Commission on |
| | | | | Sustainable Development (CSD 18) and 1st |
| | | | | Preparatory Committee meeting for the United |
| | | | | Nations Conference on Sustainable Development |
| | | | | in 2012 (Rio +20) - New York, USA 1 - 22 May |
| | | | | 2010. Outcomes included meeting Australia's |
| | | | | convention obligations and protecting Australian |
| | | | | interests in negotiated outcomes. DSEWPaC |
| | | | | shares the lead with DFAT on Australia's |
| | | | | engagement on Rio +20. Australia participated in |
| | | | | the preparatory process for Rio +20 as part of |
| | | | | building directions for Australia's domestic |
| | | | UNITED | sustainability agenda and to participate in re- |
| | | | STATES OF | directing and re-energising the international |
| \$11,847 | \$255 | \$12,102 | AMERICA | approach to sustainable development. |
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| | | | | Sustainable Development (CSD 18) and 1st |
| | | | UNITED | Preparatory Committee meeting for the United |
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| | | | STATES OF | Nations Conference on Sustainable Development |

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| | | | | the preparatory process for Rio +20 as part of |
| | | | | building directions for Australia's domestic |
| | | | | sustainability agenda and to participate in re- |
| | | | | directing and re-energising the international |
| | | | | approach to sustainable development. |
| | | | | AusAID funded Pacific Public Sector Linkages |
| | | | | Project - Travel from Samoa to Guam and Fiji for |
| | | | | Pacific Regional Environment Programme |
| | | | | (SPREP) Strategic Plan workshops 14-25 May |
| | | | | 2010. As part of his secondment, Dr Powell led the |
| | | | | development of a new Strategic Plan for SPREP |
| | | | | and led regional workshops for Pacific Islands |
| | | | | countries to seek their input to the Plan. The |
| | | | FIJI, GUAM, | outcome was a successful and comprehensive |
| | | | UNITED | consultation process that led to the development of |
| | | | STATES OF | a new Strategic Plan for SPREP that reflects the |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | AMERICA | views of Pacific Island countries. |
| | | | | 3rd ad hoc intergovernmental and multi-stakeholder |
| | | | | meeting to negotiate and reach agreement on the |
| | | | | establishment of an intergovernmental science- |
| | | | | policy platform on biodiversity and ecosystem |
| | | | | services (IPBES) in Busan, South Korea 5-13 June |
| . | | | KOREA | 2010. The meeting recommended the |
| \$1,675 | \$7,414 | \$9,089 | REPUBLIC | establishment of the IPBES to the UNGA. |
| | | | | Attend 'The Rightful Place of Science' Conference, |
| | | | | Tempe 16-19 May 2010. Travel funded by |
| | | | LINUTED | conference organisers for officer to present a paper |
| | | | UNITED STATES OF | and facilitate a round table discussion. Outcomes |
| \$1,117 | \$0 | \$1,117 | AMERICA | included sharing information on science |
| Φ1,117 | ΨΟ | φ1,117 | AWENICA | communications strategies. Attend Sea Turtle Foundation/Marine and Tropical |
| | | | | Sciences Research Facility -funded workshop in |
| | | | | Daru, Papua New Guinea, 8-11 June 2010. A key |
| | | | | issue of the EMC is marine resource management |
| | | | | in the Torres Strait. A DSEWPaC official attended |
| | | | | this workshop to ensure that the government has a |
| | | | | comprehensive understanding of marine-related |
| | | | | issues in the Torres Strait and work underway to |
| | | | | progress the objectives of the EMC. The outcome |
| | | | | was a successful workshop that helped to build |
| | | | | understanding of the importance of the |
| | | | | management of marine resources in the Torres |
| \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | DARU | Strait. |
| +5 | +- | 7- | | Recall to Duty - Attend and present at the 3rd |
| | | | | Annual Green Building Asia 2009 Conference in |
| \$1,098 | \$3,652 | \$4,750 | HONG KONG | Hong Kong, China 7-9 July 2009. |
| . , - | , | , | | OECD Environment Policy Committee Meeting in |
| \$2,967 | \$10,126 | \$13,093 | FRANCE | Paris, France 15-21 Sep 2009. |
| , | , | , | | EEMODS 09 and the 1st International (Motor |
| \$2,249 | \$9,057 | \$11,306 | FRANCE | Efficiency) Testing Centres Workshop in Names, |
| \$2,249 | \$9,057 | \$11,306 | FRANCE | Efficiency) Testing Centres Workshop in Names, |

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| | | | LINITED | France 11-20 Sep 2009. |
| | | | UNITED | Crid words Conference in Weekington 110A 40 07 |
| ¢2 027 | ¢44 494 | \$4.4.0E4 | STATES OF | Grid week Conference in Washington, USA 18-27 |
| \$3,827 | \$11,124 | \$14,951 | AMERICA | Sep 2009. Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) |
| \$1,554 | \$3,428 | \$4,982 | CHINA | Meeting & Workshops in Taiwan 3-9 Oct 2009. |
| Ψ1,554 | ψ5,420 | Ψ4,302 | CHINA | Asia-Pacific Partnership (APP) on Clean |
| | | | | Development and Climate 8th Building and |
| | | | | Appliances Task Force (BATF) meeting in Tokyo, |
| \$1,669 | \$7,842 | \$9,512 | JAPAN | Japan 5-10 Oct 2009. |
| 4 1,000 | 4 · , • · · | 4 5 , 5 1 = | | International Energy Agency and Asia Pacific |
| | | | KOREA | Partnership meetings in Seoul, Korea 31 Oct - 7 |
| \$1,597 | \$6,584 | \$8,181 | REPUBLIC | Nov 2009. |
| | | | | Australian led Lighting Flagship Project under the |
| | | | | Asia Pacific Partnership on Clean Development |
| | | | | and Climate Program in Hong Kong 25 Oct - 1 Nov |
| \$2,372 | \$6,920 | \$9,291 | CHINA | 2009. |
| \$1,363 | \$5,260 | \$6,623 | SINGAPORE | SINGAPORE - Smart Grid Conference. |
| | | | | Equipment Energy Efficiency Consultation forum in |
| \$712 | \$2,829 | \$3,541 | NEW ZEALAND | Wellington, NZ 1-3 Dec 2009. |
| _ | | | | APEC Energy Efficiency Meeting in Wellington, NZ |
| \$1,368 | \$1,420 | \$2,789 | NEW ZEALAND | 31 Jan - 6 Feb 2010. |
| | | | | Meet with officials from the Indian Ministry of New |
| \$3,503 | \$6,842 | \$10,346 | INDIA | & Renewable Energy, New Delhi 8-15 Feb 2010. |
| #4.700 | #0.040 | ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** | INIDIA | Meet with officials from the Indian Ministry of New |
| \$4,799 | \$6,842 | \$11,641 | INDIA | & Renewable Energy, New Delhi. |
| \$671 | \$0 | \$671 | DENMARK | Attend COP15 as an Observer. |
| | | | ALIOTOLA | 4E Standby Annex meeting in Vienna, Austria and |
| \$2,422 | \$10,847 | \$13,269 | AUSTRIA, FRANCE | Secondment to the IEA in Paris, France 27 Feb - 8 |
| \$2,422 | φ10,04 <i>1</i> | \$13,209 | FRANCE | Sep 2010. International Mine Water Association Conference in |
| | | | | Pretoria, South Africa 16-31 Oct 2009. SSD |
| | | | | provided a presentation on best practice water |
| | | | | management in mining and attendance at the |
| | | | | conference informed SSD of emerging new |
| \$2,666 | \$6,826 | \$9,492 | SOUTH AFRICA | technologies being employed elsewhere. |
| | | | | Visit to International Atomic Energy Agency in |
| | | | | Vienna, Austria 27 Mar - 2 Apr 2010. Attendance at |
| | | | | the meetings allowed SSD to maintain awareness |
| | | | | of current practices in the mining and processing of |
| | | | | low grade uranium ores and disseminate advice on |
| ¢4.000 | ₾ 0 5 40 | C44 404 | ALICTRIA | best practice methodologies in Australia to |
| \$1,622 | \$9,510 | \$11,131 | AUSTRIA | delegates from developing countries. |
| | | | | Attend meetings of the scientific advisory panel of the Kyoto and Carbon (K&C) Initiative organised by |
| | | | | the Japanese Aerospace Exploration Agency |
| | | | | (JAXA) in Tokyo, Japan 15-20 June 2010. SSD |
| | | | | provided advice on wetland mapping and |
| | | | | monitoring applications using satellite imagery, |
| | | | | particularly as they relate to northern Australia. |
| | | | | SSD has also been asked to assist with / provide |
| | | | | advice for the development and implementation of |
| | | | | a project for effectively managing data created by |
| _ | _ | _ | | the K&C projects. Most of the cost of this travel was |
| \$520 | \$0 | \$520 | JAPAN | met by JAXA. |

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| | | | | Minor cost to Department of travel - flights and |
| | | | | accommodation paid by AusAID. Trip was for |
| | | | | officer to attend key annual policy and review |
| | | | | meeting of Australia China Environment |
| | | | | Development Program in Beijing, China 25-31 July |
| | | | | 2009, aimed at improving water policy and |
| | | | | management in China drawing on Australia's |
| | | | | experience. DEWHA (now DSEWPAC) was lead |
| \$243 | \$0 | \$243 | CHINA | the Australian agency attending. |
| | | | | Minor cost to Department of travel - flights and |
| | | | | accommodation paid by AusAID. Trip was for |
| | | | | officer to attend key annual policy and review |
| | | | | meeting of Australia China Environment |
| | | | | Development Program in Beijing, China 25-31 July |
| | | | | 2009, aimed at improving water policy and |
| | | | | management in China drawing on Australia's |
| | | | | experience. DEWHA (now DSEWPAC) was the |
| \$263 | \$0 | \$263 | CHINA | lead Australian agency attending. |
| | | | | 9th session of the Conference of the Parties to the |
| | | | | United Nations Convention to Combat |
| | | | | Desertification (UNCCD COP 9) in Buenos Aires, |
| | | | | Argentina 19 Sep - 4 Oct 2009 to align the work of |
| | | | | the Convention's institutions with the 10 year |
| | | | | strategic plan, and put in place measures to |
| | | | | support the efficient and effective implementation of |
| \$5,671 | \$11,279 | \$16,950 | ARGENTINA | the strategy, including monitoring and resources. |
| | | | | Attend an NWQMS Joint Steering Committee |
| | | | | meeting in Wellington, NZ 9-13 Dec 2009 to |
| | | | | progress revisions to key national water quality |
| | | | | guideline documents, being jointly developed under |
| | . | | | the auspices of the Environment and Heritage |
| \$795 | \$1,432 | \$2,227 | NEW ZEALAND | Ministerial Council. |
| | | | | Food and Agriculture Organization Expert |
| | | | | Consultation ' Coping with Water Scarcity - the role |
| | | | | of Agriculture' in Rome, Italy 11-20 Dec 2009. |
| | | | | Showcasing Australian experience in increasing |
| | | | | water use efficiency through investments in |
| 00 | #070 | #070 | IT A L \/ | infrastructure, developing market operations, and |
| \$0 | \$273 | \$273 | ITALY | learning from leading edge contacts. |