

Senate Standing Committee on Economics
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: INNOVATION, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND RESEARCH

TOPIC: Hospitality

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Eggleston

QUESTION No.: AI-64

What is the Department's hospitality spend FYTD? Please detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.

ANSWER

The total Departmental hospitality expenses FYTD is \$91,115.94 (GST inclusive).

Date	Location	Division	Total Cost (\$)	Purpose
2/07/2009	Mures Upper Deck Restaurant - TAS	Australian Building Codes Board	247.10	Meeting with visitors from the New Zealand Department of Building and Housing
2/07/2009	National Measurement Institute - VIC	National Measurement Institute	968.00	National Measurement Institute 5th birthday function
3/07/2009	Rockwall Bar & Grill - TAS	Innovation	181.00	Business meeting
5/07/2009	National Measurement Institute - NSW	National Measurement Institute	2,153.42	National Measurement Institute 5th birthday function
6/07/2009	The Waldorf Hotel - ACT	Manufacturing	142.50	Industry Innovation Councils meeting
7/07/2009	The Lime Bar - QLD	Enterprise Connect	693.77	Clean Energy Innovation Centre Workshop
8/07/2009	Industry House - ACT	Corporate	381.15	End of financial year function
8/07/2009	Bayviews Burnie - TAS	Enterprise Connect	534.80	Burnie stakeholders meeting
8/07/2009	Rigonis Bistro - SA	Australian Building Codes Board	1,568.40	Australian Building Codes Board meeting
9/07/2009	Sugo - TAS	Enterprise Connect	143.00	Meeting to discuss Tasmanian operations
13/07/2009	Black Bull - VIC	Enterprise Connect	108.00	Meeting with Innovative Regions Director
16/07/2009	Intermezzo - NSW	Enterprise Connect	212.00	Meeting with Creative Industries Centre employees
16/07/2009	Cha Cha Char Wine Bar - QLD	Enterprise Connect	1,291.30	Mining Technology Innovation Centre Interim Advisory Board meeting

20/07/2009	High Tide Waterfront Restaurant - TAS	Enterprise Connect	800.00	Queensland Manufacturing Industries Manufacturing Workshop
21/07/2009	The Boat House - ACT	Manufacturing	5,696.50	Information Technology Innovation Council meeting
22/07/2009	Asian Café - ACT	Enterprise Connect	363.00	Induction training meeting
22/07/2009	Chairman & Yip Restaurant - ACT	Manufacturing	1,377.00	Meeting with the Australian Aerospace Industry Forum's Unmanned Aircraft Systems Sub-Committee
24/07/2009	Defence Industry Innovation Centre Dandenong - VIC	Enterprise Connect	5,475.00	Launch of Defence Industry Innovation Centre
27/07/2009	Glasshouse Café - ACT	Enterprise Connect	111.90	Tender evaluation panel
28/07/2009	Silo Restaurant and Lounge - NSW	Enterprise Connect	310.00	Enterprise Connect Clean Energy Advisory Board meeting
28/07/2009	River Café - SA	Enterprise Connect	568.70	Innovative Regions Centre Advisory Board meeting
29/07/2009	Relish Catering - NSW	Enterprise Connect	326.15	Clean Energy Advisory Board meeting
5/08/2009	Asian Café - ACT	Enterprise Connect	526.00	Enterprise Connect departmental induction training
6/08/2009	Hotel Grand Chancellor - TAS	AusIndustry	70.00	Tasmanian leaders program meeting
6/08/2009	Seasalt @ Armstrongs - QLD	Enterprise Connect	417.00	Meeting with Manufacturing Interim Advisory Board
10/08/2009	CSIRO Building - NSW	Corporate	2,376.00	Meeting with Minister Carr and industry stakeholders
10/08/2009	National Measurement Institute - NSW	National Measurement Institute	1,815.00	National Measurement Institute 5th birthday function
12/08/2009	Banana Leaf Restaurant - ACT	Office of Chief Scientist	65.82	Business meeting
12/08/2009	Yots Greek Taverna - NT	Enterprise Connect	239.40	Business meeting
14/08/2009	Victorian Business Centre - VIC	Enterprise Connect	329.50	Monthly meeting of Business Advisers - Victorian Manufacturing Centre
17/08/2009	Port Office Hotel - QLD	Enterprise Connect	871.50	Leadership meeting
26/08/2009	Asian Café - ACT	Enterprise Connect	420.00	Enterprise Connect departmental induction training
26/08/2009	Venerdi's Café - NSW	National Measurement Institute	505.50	Sales workshop meeting
27/08/2009	Waldorf Hotel - ACT	Enterprise Connect	850.00	Enterprise Connect Partner Organisation Forum
27/08/2009	Australian Resources Research Centre - WA	Science & Infrastructure	1,642.30	SKA High Performance Computing Centre Naming function
27/08/2009	The Italian Restaurant - VIC	Manufacturing	2,323.00	Pulp and Paper Industry Strategy Group meeting
28/08/2009	Questacon - ACT	Questacon	95.37	Catering for a primary school teacher familiarisation tour

1/09/2009	St Martins Tower Perth - WA	Enterprise Connect	390.00	Event with IP Australia and AusIndustry designed to promote Enterprise Connect to intellectual property associations and providers
3/09/2009	Shark Finn Restaurant - VIC	Australian Building Codes Board	146.20	Meeting on issues related to bushfire construction standards
3/09/2009	Industry House - ACT	Science & Infrastructure	418.00	Education Investment Fund Assessment training day
9/09/2009	Fourno Café - NSW	Enterprise Connect	72.90	Business meeting
14/09/2009	D Browes Restaurant - ACT	Enterprise Connect	549.00	Meeting with Chairs of Enterprise Connect Interim Advisory Boards
15/09/2009	Sour Cherry - ACT	Enterprise Connect	59.10	Enterprise Connect Training Working Group meeting
15/09/2009	Enterprise Connect - WA	AusIndustry	228.88	Enterprise Connect/IP Australia consultant information session
15/09/2009	Old Parliament House - ACT	Enterprise Connect	10,611.10	Workshop for Chairs of Advisory Entries
16/09/2009	Chairman & Yip Restaurant - ACT	Manufacturing	1,309.50	Textile, Clothing and Footwear Innovation Industry Council IIC meeting
22/09/2009	Café Carlotta - WA	Enterprise Connect	1,003.00	Meeting with Remote Enterprise Connect board members and Enterprise Connect staff
23/09/2009	St George Leagues Club - NSW	AusIndustry	90.00	Networking meeting
23/09/2009	Queensland Rugby Club - QLD	AusIndustry	1,190.00	Business Meeting
23/09/2009	Royal Pines Resort - QLD	Australian Building Codes Board	1,252.00	Meeting with international guests from Japan and the United States of America
23/09/2009	The Boat House Restaurant - ACT	AusIndustry	2,064.00	Meeting with Innovation Australia
24/09/2009	Industry House - ACT	Enterprise Connect	324.50	Industry Capability Network roundtable meeting to discuss collaboration
24/09/2009	Shark Fin Inn Restaurant - VIC	Enterprise Connect	625.70	Enterprise Connect board meeting
29/09/2009	Athenian Greek Restaurant - NSW	Enterprise Connect	425.50	Clean Energy Innovation Centre Advisory Board meeting
1/10/2009	Bradley's Restaurant - WA	Enterprise Connect	745.35	Mining Technology Innovation Centre Interim Advisory Board meeting
2/10/2009	The Melbourne Hotel - WA	Enterprise Connect	2,211.50	Mining Technology Innovation Centre networking event for the Gas and Oil Industry
6/10/2009	Hotel Grand Chancellor - TAS	AusIndustry	110.00	Attendance at Tasmanian Chamber of Commerce and Industry business dinner
9/10/2009	Kenzan Restaurant - VIC	Enterprise Connect	127.00	Business meeting
14/10/2009	Boffins Restaurant - ACT	Innovation	167.00	Meeting with Innovation Australia Board
14/10/2009	Simon's Wok Inn - QLD	Enterprise Connect	225.00	Business meeting

19/10/2009	Asian Café - ACT	Enterprise Connect	195.90	Business meeting
19/10/2009	Parliament House - ACT	Enterprise Connect	271.00	Workshop for Chairs of Advisory entities
21/10/2009	National Press Club - ACT	AusIndustry	75.00	Attendance at a National Press Club address
5/11/2009	Benchmark Restaurant - ACT	Corporate	386.40	Enterprise Agreement Negotiating Committee meeting
8/11/2009	Kingsleys Steak & Seafood Restaurant - ACT	Australian Building Codes Board	374.91	Meeting with Chinese delegation
9/11/2009	Hyatt Hotel - ACT	Australian Building Codes Board	373.00	Meeting with Chinese delegation
9/11/2009	National Measurement Institute Port Melbourne Office – VIC	National Measurement Institute	2,673.00	Port Melbourne office official opening ceremony
10/11/2009	Asian Café - ACT	Enterprise Connect	679.00	Enterprise Connect departmental induction training
11/11/2009	Monte Pio Motor Inn - NSW	Enterprise Connect	496.50	Client Information and Knowledge Seminar
11/11/2009	OnRed Restaurant - ACT	Questacon	657.00	2009 Valedictory dinner for the 2009 Graduate Diploma/Shell Questacon Science Circus students
12/11/2009	Drum Theatre – Dandenong - VIC	Enterprise Connect	467.50	Tasmanian Providers Briefing Meeting
12/11/2009	Drum Theatre – Dandenong - VIC	Enterprise Connect	735.00	Contact group meeting
13/11/2009	Enterprise Connect Dandenong Office - VIC	Enterprise Connect	583.30	Monthly meeting of Business Advisers - Victorian Manufacturing Centre
16/11/2009	Lipari Café Bar - VIC	Enterprise Connect	340.00	Induction program - Innovative Regions Centre
16/11/2009	Ottoman Cuisine - ACT	Manufacturing	876.00	Textile, Clothing and Footwear Industries Innovation Council meeting
17/11/2009	University of Technology Sydney - NSW	Enterprise Connect	67.50	Business meeting
17/11/2009	University of Technology Sydney - NSW	Enterprise Connect	268.87	Stakeholder event to showcase the new Creative Industries Innovation Centre
17/11/2009	Deakin University - VIC	Enterprise Connect	357.50	Induction program - Innovative Regions Centre
17/11/2009	Shiraaz Indian Restaurant - VIC	Enterprise Connect	519.00	Induction program - Innovative Regions Centre
18/11/2009	Asias Restaurant - NSW	National Measurement Institute	179.50	National Association of Testing Authorities business meeting
19/11/2009	Fishermans Pier - VIC	Enterprise Connect	748.50	Induction program - Innovative Regions Centre
19/11/2009	Bardon Conference Centre - QLD	Enterprise Connect	2,600.67	Enterprise Connect, AusIndustry and Austrade collaboration meetings held 19 - 20 November 2009

20/11/2009	Anise Restaurant - ACT	Science & Infrastructure	296.50	Meeting with the head of The Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development Scientific and Technology Policy unit
21/11/2009	Questacon - ACT	Questacon	616.80	Lunch and snacks for visiting presenters for the Polar Palooza from the Australian Antarctic Division
23/11/2009	Cecconi's Cantina - VIC	Enterprise Connect	476.00	The Clean Energy Advisory Board meeting
25/11/2009	Crowne Plaza - ACT	Office of Chief Scientist	182.70	Meeting with the head of the Science Academy
1/12/2009	Parliament House - ACT	Office of Chief Scientist	6,125.63	Prime Ministers Science, Engineering and Innovation Council meeting
2/12/2009	The Malay Restaurant - NSW	AusIndustry	780.00	Tax Concession Committee meeting
2/12/2009	Lane Cove Steakhouse - NSW	National Measurement Institute	278.20	Meeting with an official from the National Physical Laboratory United Kingdom
2/12/2009	Max Bar Restaurant - VIC	Enterprise Connect	296.00	Mining Technology Innovation Centre - Interim Advisory Board meeting
2/12/2009	Dame Nellie Melba Boardroom Bayview Edean - VIC	Enterprise Connect	581.40	Mining Technology Innovation Centre - Interim Advisory Board meeting
4/12/2009	Waldorf Hotel - ACT	Industry & Small Business Policy	230.00	Official function - Impact of future needs of moving to a low emission economy 2010-2025
4/12/2009	Commonwealth Offices - VIC	Innovation	947.00	Meeting of State and Territory Innovation, Industry and Science Ministers
5/12/2009	Crowne Plaza - ACT	Industry & Small Business Policy	60.90	Business meeting
8/12/2009	Crowne Plaza - ACT	Enterprise Connect	324.00	Mid-Year Business Plan Review for Enterprise Connect Managers
8/12/2009	Bardon Conference Centre - QLD	AusIndustry	1,523.00	AusTrade/AusIndustry/Enterprise Connect meeting
9/12/2009	La Scala Restaurant - ACT	Innovation	144.20	Meeting with international expert to discuss IIF investments
9/12/2009	Benchmark Restaurant - ACT	AusIndustry	1,647.20	Meeting with Innovation Australia board members
10/12/2009	Industry House - ACT	Corporate	54.00	Meeting with Audit Committee
14/12/2009	La Dolce Vita Restaurant - ACT	Enterprise Connect	167.80	Business meeting
17/12/2009	Tasmanian State Office - TAS	Enterprise Connect	60.00	State office meeting and 2010 Planning session
17/12/2009	Hellyers Road Distillery - TAS	Enterprise Connect	190.50	State office meeting and 2010 planning session
28/01/2010	Omah's Malaysian Cuisine - VIC	National Measurement Institute	194.00	Business meeting
2/02/2010	Ahmets Restaurant - QLD	Enterprise Connect	615.00	Queensland Manufacturing Centre Business Advisors meeting

4/02/2010	Glasshouse Café - ACT	Innovation	239.38	Business meeting
8/02/2010	Flint Dining Room & Bar - ACT	Questacon	168.00	Meeting with the Liberty Science Centre Exhibitions Manager
8/02/2010	Questacon - ACT	Questacon	181.50	Catering for familiarisation tour for tour operators

There were also 7 instances, totalling \$266.87, where the Department expended less than \$50 on each occasion.