

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES – 9 FEBRUARY 2010 ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Human Services Portfolio

Topic: Hospitality

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Senator: BARNETT

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Question:

- a) What is the Department's hospitality spend FYTD? Please detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
- b) For each Minister/Par Sec's office, please detail total hospitality spend FYTD. Please detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.

Answer:

a)

**Department Of Human Services
Official Hospitality 1 June 2009 To 28 February 2010**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Cost</i>
07/07/2009 – 20/10/2009	Various locations - Child Support Office, Wollongong, Newcastle, Woden, Tamworth, Belconnen, Darwin, Parramatta.	NAIDOC Day Celebrations	2,839.50
26/11/2009	Sebel Hotel, Surry Hills, NSW	Industry Briefing Session - On 25 March 2009, the previous Minister for Human Services, Senator the Hon. Joe Ludwig, announced to industry that the government would release a discussion paper seeking collaboration with industry on Government payment and information transactions.	1,500.00
		Total Cost	4,339.50

b) Nil