

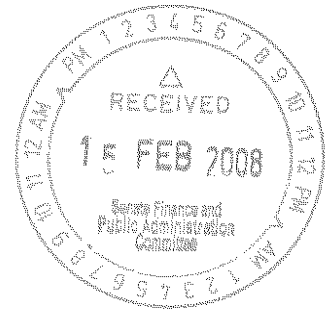
Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Public Administration

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Budget Estimates Hearings 2007-2008, 21-22 May 2007



Question: PM 71

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Topic: New Year's Eve

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Senator Faulkner asked:

Do we know the date of the New Year's Eve one?

Ms Hazell—I assume it would have been 31 December.

Senator FAULKNER—Were some of the costs for that function paid for by Mr Howard or was that paid for by the taxpayer?

Ms Hazell—I would need to take that on notice.

Answer:

The department received reimbursement for the portion of the cost of the function that was attributable to guests of the former Prime Minister's family.