

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet

Office for the Arts

Supplementary Budget Estimates 18-21 October 2010

Question: PM 121

Topic: Hospitality Spend

Asked By: Senator Abetz

Type of Question: Written

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- a) What is the Department's hospitality spend since Budget Estimates 2010? Please detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
- b) For each Minister/Pal Sec's office, please detail total hospitality spend FYTD. Please detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.

Answer:

- a) The NLA has spent \$50,222.42 including GST. Details of dates, locations, purpose and cost of all events are attached. Some events included on the list are paid for by sponsorships and trust fund donations.
- b) Not applicable.

Purpose	Date	Location	Amount (Inc GST)
Sir James Gobbo Farewell Dinner	3/06/2010	National Library	\$ 3,630.00
Catering for Names Roundtable Meeting	18/06/2010	National Library	\$ 963.20
Folklore Forum Dinner	23/06/2010	Ottoman	\$ 1,984.00
Catering Ray Mathew Lecture	29/06/2010	National Library	\$ 4,174.49
Catering Merv Moriarty Book Launch	24/06/2010	National Library	\$ 535.00
Catering Dr Paul Arthur Book Launch	8/06/2010	National Library	\$ 450.00
Development Office Sydney Dinner	9/06/2010	AAR Building, Sydney	\$ 5,606.80
Catering for Victor Crittenden Congratulatory function	5/07/2010	National Library	\$ 416.45
Catering Petherick Reader's Function	12/07/2010	National Library	\$ 622.50
Catering My Blood's Country Book Launch	15/07/2010	National Library	\$ 526.20
Catering Harold White Fellow Presentation	27/07/2010	National Library	\$ 374.00
Kenneth Myer post lecture dinner	26/07/2010	Old Parliament House	\$ 3,798.65
Catering National Capital Attractions Association monthly meeting	3/08/2010	National Library	\$ 630.80
Catering Hurley's Antarctica Book Launch	11/08/2010	National Library	\$ 706.50
Dinner meeting with Heads of National Libraries, Sweden	11/08/2010	Sjomagasinet Gotteborg, Sweden	\$ 1,470.12
Catering Kenneth Myer Lecture	26/07/2010	National Library	\$ 5,421.73
Catering Harold White Fellow Presentation	19/08/2010	National Library	\$ 468.00
Catering "Get Reading 2010" event - Campaign Ruby by Jessica Rudd - Book Talk	31/08/2010	National Library	\$ 1,324.50
Seymour Lecture Dinner	16/09/2010	Water's Edge Restaurant	\$ 1,412.00
Dinner for Richard Bonyng 80th birthday	20/08/2010	Australian Club, Sydney	\$ 979.43
Catering Director-General Farewell	23/09/2010	National Library	\$ 6,480.00
Catering Rodney Hall event	22/09/2010	National Library	\$ 417.50
Catering Indigenous Literacy Fundraiser	13/09/2010	National Library	\$ 576.10
Catering for Writing Lives Seminar	16/09/2010	National Library	\$ 290.00
Catering Director-General Farewell by Volunteers	17/09/2010	National Library	\$ 607.50
Catering for David Suzuki Lecture	16/10/2010	National Library	\$ 2,288.85
Catering Dunera Boys Remembered	27/08/2010	National Library	\$ 1,336.30
Catering Seymour Lecture Reception	16/09/2010	National Library	\$ 2,055.80
Catering for National Library of Indonesia training & presentations over 2 days	5/10/10-6/10/10	National Library	\$ 676.00
		Total hospitality expense	<u>\$ 50,222.42</u>