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Topic: Hospitality and entertainment

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Question: What is the department/agency's hospitality spend for this financial year to date? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.

1. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total hospitality spend for this financial year to date. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.
2. What is the department/agency's entertainment spend for this financial year to date? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
3. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total entertainment spend for this financial year to date. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.
4. What hospitality spend is the department/agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
5. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, what hospitality spend is currently being planned for? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.
6. What entertainment spend is the department/agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
7. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, what entertainment spend is currently being planned for? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of each event.
8. Is the department/agency planning on reducing any of its spending on these items? If so, how will reductions be achieved and what are the estimated savings over each year of the forward estimates?

Answer:

The total cost of OIGIS' hospitality spend for this financial year to date (as at 30 September 2012) is nil.

1. The total hospitality spend for each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office for this financial year to date (as at 30 September 2012) is nil (not applicable).
2. The agency's entertainment spend for this financial year to date (as at 30 September 2012) is nil.
3. The total entertainment spend for each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office for this financial year to date (as at 30 September 2012) is nil (not applicable).
4. The agency has no hospitality spend planned.
5. There is no hospitality spend currently planned for each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office (not applicable).

6. The agency plans to spend approximately \$150 on entertainment in 2012-13. This is for a morning tea on 11 December 2012 at the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet to thank staff for the support they provide to OIGIS.
7. There is no entertainment spend currently planned for each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office (not applicable).
8. The agency already spends a very limited amount on hospitality and entertainment.