

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications**

**Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice**

**Additional Estimates Hearings February 2014**

**Communications Portfolio**

**Department of Communications**

**Question No: 391**

**Program No. Corporate**

**Hansard Ref: In Writing**

**Topic: Christmas party costs**

**Senator Ludwig asked:**

List what functions were held by the Department/Agency for either Christmas or end of calendar year since 7 September 2013

1. What was the cost of each of these functions?
2. How was the money identified?
3. What was the location of these functions?
4. Provide a table of food and alcohol purchased for the function

**Answer:**

1-4. The Christmas functions for the Department are organised and funded by the Social Club.