Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO

2013-14 Additional Estimates Hearings

Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programs Question No: 103

Topic: Hospitality and entertainment

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Senator Ludwig asked:

What entertainment spend is the Department/Agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.

Answer:

Department of Social Services (including Social Security Appeals Tribunal – SSAT)

The Department does not separately identify spending on entertainment. These costs are included in hospitality. Information relating to the Department's planned hospitality spend is provided in the response to Question No. 101.

Australian Institute of Family Studies

The Australian Institute of Family Studies has planned to spend \$800.00 (ex GST) on entertainment for the rest of the financial year. Please note that this figure is a projection and is subject to change.

National Disability Insurance Agency

The National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) does not separately identify planned spending on entertainment. Information relating to the NDIA's hospitality is provided in the response to Question No. 101.

Australian Aged Care Quality Agency

The agency has no planned entertainment spend.

Aged Care Pricing Commissioner

This office has no planned entertainment spend.

Aged Care Commissioner

This office has no planned entertainment spend.