

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

National e-Health Transition Authority (NeHTA)

Budget Estimates 2012-13

Question: 8

OUTCOME 10.2: e-Health

Topic: Expenditure

Senator Boyce asked:

Can NEHTA provide the Committee a detailed list of all expenditure on Functions, Entertainment, Food, Flights and Other Travel & Accommodation with justifications for each, for any expense over \$100 over the last 2 years?

Answer:

Please refer to Question 7.

Over the course of the 2011/12 financial year, NEHTA spent approximately \$2.5 million on travel and related expenses for its COAG work programme, and approximately \$1.8 million on the PCEHR work programme.

All of NEHTA's expenditure on these items is in accordance with NEHTA's approved travel and expenditure policies and is thoroughly reviewed on a regular basis by both the NEHTA Finance Committee and the NEHTA Board.