

Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

Answers to Senate Estimates Questions on Notice

Budget Estimates Hearings May 2014

Communications Portfolio

Department of Communications

Question No: 622

Program No. Corporate

Hansard Ref: In Writing

Topic: Official residences

Senator Ludwig asked:

1. Provide a list of all formal functions conducted at any of the Official Residences, or for the Prime Minister's office or Prime Minister's Dining Room where it has been used in place of the official residences since 25 February 2014. Include:
 - a. The guest list of each function, including if any ministerial staff attended
 - b. The party or individual who initiated the request for the function
 - c. The menu, program or list of proceedings of the function
 - d. A list of drinks consumed at the function

2. Provide a list of the current wine, beer or other alcoholic beverages in stock or on order at any of the official residences, or venues or offices acting as official residences.

Answer:

- 1-2. The Department has no responsibility for such functions.