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Department/Agency: AASB/AUASB

Question: SBT 1733-1741

Topic: Hospitality

Reference: written - 30 October 2015

Senator: Wong, Penny

Question:

Since 1 January 2015:

- 1733. What has been the Department/Agency's hospitality spend including any catering and drinks costs.
- 1734. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total hospitality spend. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.
- 1735. What has been the Department/Agency's entertainment spend? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.
- 1736. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, please detail total entertainment spend. Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.
- 1737. What hospitality spend is the Department/Agency's planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.
- 1738. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, what hospitality spend is currently being planned for? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.
- 1739. 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.
- 1740. For each Minister and Parliamentary Secretary office, what entertainment spend is currently being planned for? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events including any catering and drinks costs.
- 1741. Is the Department/Agency planning on reducing any of its spending on these items? If so, how will reductions be achieved?

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Answer:

1733 and 1735

AASB \$3,031

AUASB \$202

AASB

Staff Drinks - Friday 13/2/2015 - La Di Da Melbouurne	78.27
Drinks only - 18/3/2015 - farewell function G Brady - Mail Exchange Hotel Melbourne	37.42
Business Lunch - 23/3/2015 - AASB Director Finance with John Newman for PFS - Mistress Bourke & K	30.55
Admin Staff lunch - 27/4/2015 - The Colonial Hotel Melbourne	70.15
Lunch - 28/5/2015 - AASB staff & Productivity Commission	1206.08
Staff lunch - 10/7/2015 - farewell J Paul - 28 years	995.11
Lunch - 27/7/2015 - 2 AAASB staff with T Costa (Dep of Education) & J Lee (DFT) - Nostra Posta Melbou	87.59
Lunch - 31/7/2015 - AASB Director Finance with K Tankgey from Yorston Services - The Merchant Melb	83.05
Lunch - 3/8/2015 - 4 AASB Tech Staff with 2 visiting staff from KASB Seoul - Merchant Melbourne	215.73
Lunch - 7/8/2015 - AASB Project Manager with 2 visiting staff from KASB Seoul - Bergerac Melbourne	126.95
Lunch - 28/8/2015 - 3 AASB Tech /staff - Promotion E Ling - Scugnizzo Melbourne	100.00
	3030.90

AUASB

M Kelsall dinner 5/3/15 with K Peach/T Dale/S vanDyk 201.	50
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1734

AASB n/a

AUASB n/a

1736

AASB n/a

AUASB n/a

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1737 and 1739

AASB \$12,028 AUASB \$2,400

AASB

Relocation lunch with Productivity Commission	2027.92
Alumni Cocktail Party, Board and Staff Xmas Function	10000.00
	12027.92

AUASB

AUASB Board End of Year Dinner 1/12/2015	2000.00
AUASB Christmas lunch	400.00
	2400.00

1738

AASB n/a

AUASB n/a

1740

AASB n/a

AUASB n/a

1741

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