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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Senator: Senator the Hon Penny Wong

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Question:

Senator WONG: Okay. Was this bill the only cost incurred by PM&C in association with the PM's visit in September?

Ms Kelly: There may have been some minor allowances for some of the staff involved— incidentals, meals; things of that nature. I would have to check on that.

Senator WONG: Do you want to take that on notice?

Ms Kelly: Yes.

Answer:

In addition to hotel costs set out in question 48, the following expenses were also incurred by the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet:

Summary of visit costs (GST exclusive):

Transport (ground)	\$360.43
Travel (airfares, accommodation, meals and incidentals)	\$14,291.03
Miscellaneous (e.g. printing, equipment)	\$2,157.33