

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**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: Were any departmental officers present at the party?

Ms Kelly: I was not in Canberra and I am not aware that any departmental officers were present, but I will make an inquiry to confirm that is the case.

Senator WONG: Ms Cross, you cannot throw any light on that?

Ms Cross: No, I was just going to say we were not aware of who was attending.

**Answer:**

No departmental officers were present at the party.