SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Group: Written

Program: Whole-of-Portfolio

Question: BE14/143

Senator Ludwig asked the following question at the hearing on 26-29 May 2014:

- 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 Additional Estimates in 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.

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

This is a matter for the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.