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Question: AET 1066 - 1069

Topic: Hospitality and Entertainment (AOFM)

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Senator BUSHBY asked:

1066. What is the Department/Agency's hospitality spend for this financial year to date? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
1067. What is the Department's entertainment spend for this financial year to date? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
1068. What hospitality spend is the Department/Agency planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.
1069. What entertainment spend is the Department/Agency planning on spending? Detail date, location, purpose and cost of all events.

Answer:

1066 & 1067. For the period from 1 July 2011 to 31 January 2012 the AOFM's expenditure on hospitality and entertainment was \$5,142. This comprised the following events:

Date	Location	Purpose	Cost
August 2011	Canberra	Staff function	\$2,445
August 2011	Brisbane	Debt management tri-partite meeting (representatives from PNG Treasury, Solomon Islands Treasury and AOFM)	\$930
November 2011	Canberra	Meeting with business economists	\$387
November 2011	Canberra	Selection process for the appointment debt management advisor for PNG SGP	\$600
December 2011	Canberra	AOFM Advisory Board meeting	\$780

1068 & 1069. On 29 and 30 March 2012, the AOFM will be hosting a meeting of the Chief Financial Officers of Australian and New Zealand central borrowing authorities in Canberra. The estimated cost is \$2,000.