Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE BUDGET ESTIMATES (ADDITIONAL HEARINGS) 2013-2014

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman

Outcome/Program:

Outcome 1. Fair and accountable administrative action by Australian Government agencies by investigating complaints, reviewing administrative action and inspecting statutory compliance by law enforcement agencies.

Topic: Hospitality

Senator: Senator Wong Question reference number: 227 Type of question: Written Date set by the committee for the return of answer: 11 April 2014

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Question:

(1) What is the total cost of hospitality since 18 September 2013?

(2) For each hospitality event please advise

- a. host
- b. date
- c. location
- d. nature of event, and
- e. cost?

Answer:

(1) From 18 September 2013 to 28 February 2014, the Office has had nil hospitality spend.

(2) Not applicable.