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PM 67 – Community Cabinets – All Departments and Agencies – Senator Barnett

- a) What was the cost of Ministers' travel and expenses for the Community Cabinet meetings held since Additional Estimates?
- b) How many ministerial staff and departmental officers travelled with the Minister for the Community Cabinet meeting?
- c) What was the total cost of this travel?
- d) What was the total cost to the Department and the Minister's Office?

Answer

The Office did not participate in, or send any staff to, the Community Cabinet meetings held since Additional Estimates. The Office has no knowledge of the Minister's or the Department's expenses in regard to these meetings.