

**Question on Notice
No. 365
Asked on 8 March 2007**

QUESTION:

MRS MENKENS asked the Minister for Environment and Multiculturalism (Ms Nelson-Carr)—

What is the breakdown of hospitality and entertainment received for chief executive officers and senior executive service officers for her department/s in 2005-06 and 2006-07 (year to date), detailing (a) names of the officers receiving the hospitality and entertainment, (b) type of the hospitality and entertainment received for each officer, (c) provider of the hospitality and entertainment for each officer, (d) total value of the hospitality or entertainment including travel and accommodation if relevant, (e) purpose of the hospitality or entertainment and (f) benefit to the Queensland taxpayer?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Burdekin for her Question (Number 365).

Please refer to Attachment A for responses for the Environmental Protection Agency.

Attachment A

| Name | Type | Provider | Total value | Purpose | Benefit | Date received |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|---|-------------------|---|---|------------------|
| Mark Williamson | Entry to races (horse) and lunch | Sparke Helmore Lawyers | \$150 (estimated) | Business networking | Good business relationships | 3 March 2007 |
| Mark Williamson | Theatre | LGAQ | \$150 (estimated) | Business networking | Good business relationships | 8 June 2006 |
| Mark Williamson | Christmas function | Port of Brisbane Corporation | \$20 (estimated) | Business networking | Good business relationships | December 2006 |
| Mark Williamson | Christmas function | Rio Tinto | \$20 (estimated) | Business networking | Good business relationships | December 2006 |
| Doug Watson | Invitation to event | Woodford Folk Festival/ Queensland Folk Federation | \$320 | Invitation to attend Woodford Folk Festival | Maintains an existing relationship with an organisation that has a clear interest in environmental matters and where a future relationship with this agency may be productive. Prior approval to accept this invitation was obtained from the Director-General. | 28 December 2006 |
| Alan Feely | Golf day | Port of Brisbane Corporation | \$100 (estimated) | Improve Government relationship with industry | Cross government and industry networking; information sharing; relationship building. | June 2006 |
| Alan Feely | Theatre tickets | Port of Brisbane Corporation | \$140 (estimated) | Improve Government relationship with industry | Cross government and industry networking; information sharing; relationship building. | February 2006 |
| Alan Feely | Reef Trip | Association for Marine Park Tourism Operators (AMPTO) | \$200 (estimated) | Improve Govt relationship with industry | Develop relationship with major commercial body licensed for activity on QPWS estate | July 2006 |
| Ralph Henderson | Meal and drinks | Association for Marine Park Tourism Operators (AMPTO) | \$40 (estimated) | Joint QPWS/GBRMPA/tourism industry dinner | Cross government and industry networking and information sharing; relationship building | 8 March 2007 |
| Ralph Henderson | Dinner | Pacific Film and Television | \$50 (estimated) | Improving relationship with filming industry on QPWS estate | Higher profile of QPWS Estate through movie backdrops and settings | November 2006 |