

Request: A table detailing the total costs incurred in the four categories of venue hire, entertainment, food and alcohol

Response:

Revive: a place for every story, a story for every place – Australia’s National Cultural Policy was launched on 30 January 2023 at the Esplanade Hotel in Melbourne. Costs incurred as per the FOI request are outlined below, in addition to other key cost category of Audiovisuals and Staging. Note that food costs are incorporated into the Venue Minimum Spend line item:

Item	Costs (including GST where appropriate)
Venue Minimum Spend inclusive of venue space, chairs, tea, coffee, water, crackers and biscuits, fruit, basic audiovisuals, lectern and venue security	\$10,400.00
Alcohol (not provided)	\$0.00
Entertainment	\$12,141.46
Audiovisuals and Staging	\$4,768.01

In addition, costs were incurred for the Welcome to Country and Auslan Interpreter.

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