ESTIMATES COMMITTEEQuestion Taken on Notice

Date: 19 June 2019

Subject: Cost of Maintaining Loves Creek Facility

From: Mrs Robyn Lambley MLA

To: Minister for Territory Families

Agency: Territory Families

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Question: Can you please provide the cost of maintaining the Loves Creek

facility in the last financial year?

Answer:

As at 31 March 2019, \$108,000 has been paid in association with the Loves Creek facility, consisting of:

- \$80,000 for road rectification; and
- \$28,000 for caretaker services.

Caretaker services cost \$4,000 per month and include visiting the site three times per week to ensure assets are maintained, are secure and fire prevention is undertaken including weeding and slashing.

Ross River Resort was selected due to their proximity and the road to Loves Creek camp is via their property. It also supports local employment.

Ross River Resort has been providing invoices since August 2018.

^{*}all figures are GST exclusive and costs are paid by the Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics.