

Mr Tom Watson (West Bromwich East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much Arts Council England spent on (a) overnight accommodation and (b) overnight expenses for (i) its staff and (ii) its board members in each of the last three years. (307936)

Answer:

Currently Arts Council England does not have a separate account line for accommodation as it is collated within a single travel budget code, alongside other travel (e.g. train tickets etc). From 2010-11 we have set up a separate code and would be able to report this in future.