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RELEASE OF RECORDS
PURSUANT TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACTS 1997 AND 2003

Request No. FOI 340 - For release: 2nd October, 2009

Dear **Senator Daly**,

Further to my letter of 29th September 2009, please find enclosed details of foreign travel undertaken by you in the years 2005 – 2009. The travel details have been broken down under the following categories;

British Irish Interparliamentary Body, Interparliamentary and Committee Travel

You will be aware that, previous requests for information have been phrased in such a way that only the travel expenses paid to Members were released in the request, on this occasion the information being requested also includes the overall cost of the trip which you were on. **It should be noted that the overall cost of the trip includes the expenses claimed by you and we will be notifying the requestor that this is the case. If you require any further information please contact either:

For Committee Travel
Bernadette Mathews: 01-6183442

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Lorraine Lee: 01-6183686

For BIIPB Travel
Julie Clarke: 01-6184293

Yours sincerely

Orla Scott

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One Stop Shop
30th September 2009**

2008 Committee Travel

Name of Member	No of foreign journeys by Member each year	Destination	Duration	Cost of each trip	Cost per Member (if quantifiable)	Number in party (those who travelled incurring costs paid by exchequer)	Identity of party (those who travelled incurring costs paid by the exchequer)	Reason for Travel
Mark Daly	1	Israel/Palestine	2-7 March 2008	€23,127.57	€3,326.25	7	Alan Shatter, Mark Daly, Michael D. Higgins, Michael Woods, Roy O'Hanlon, Seán Ardagh, Official	JC on Foreign Affairs Fact finding visit

2009 COE, OSCE, WEU & EUROMED

Delegate	No of foreign journeys by Member each year.	Destination	Duration	Cost of each trip	Cost per Member (if quantifiable)	Number in party (those who travelled incurring costs paid by exchequer)	Identity of party (those who travelled incurring costs paid by the exchequer)	Reason for Trip
Mark Daly	1	Cairo	19-22 June 09	€1,840.07	€1,840.07	1	Mark Daly	EMPA Meeting